

ISLAND REC

San Juan Island Park and Recreation District

SUMMER RECREATION GUIDE



MAY THROUGH AUGUST 2025

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Letter from Our Director

Dear San Juan Island Residents,

We're inviting you to get outside and get creative with us this summer.

Summer is the perfect time to explore, create, and connect, and Island Rec has something for *everyone* this season! We're especially excited about our expanded All Ages Outdoor Programming (page 8), offering inter-island bike rides, whale watching, guided walks, and a family evening at Lime Kiln. Whether you're looking for an adventure on land or sea, don't miss our brand-new overnight Sailing Camp—a thrilling addition to our summer lineup!

Summer isn't just for kids! Island Rec offers a variety of programs for adults that include favorites like Yoga, Pickleball, and Birdwatching, and we have been working hard to present a few new additions like Ukulele, Intro to Golf, and an expanded lineup of art programs. Whether you want to get moving, try a new hobby, or meet new people, these programs are designed to spark inspiration and fun.

And we can't talk about summer without celebrating a major milestone—Camp Eagle Rock is turning 30! For three decades, this beloved camp has been at the heart of summer for San Juan Island families, creating lifelong memories for campers and peace of mind for parents.

None of this would be possible without our amazing volunteers. From coaching youth sports to leading enrichment programs, they make so much of what we do happen. Thank you to everyone who gives their time and energy to make our community a better place to play, learn, and grow!

So flip through this guide, find something that excites you, and join us in making the most of the season. Register early to secure your spot, and if you need any help, we're always happy to assist.

See you out there!

Kerry Jack, Director



33rd Annual
**ISLAND REC
CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL**

MAY 17, 2025 10 AM - 2 PM

AT LINDE PARK

FREE



CIRQUE DU SALISH SEA





EST. 1977

48TH ANNUAL ISLAND REC

BRAD PILLOW 8.8K

9AM SATURDAY AUGUST 16, 2025

UNDER 13: \$20

13 YEARS AND UP: \$30

GENEROUSLY SPONSORED BY:

ISLAND  STRENGTH
+ MOVEMENT



Thank you FANS!



Families and Neighbors Support Island Rec (FANS), a 501(c)3, has been supporting Island Rec programs since it's start in 2011.

Generous FANS donations within the past year helped fund new & existing programs:

- Scholarships
- Swim Lessons
- Skateboarding
- Music programming
- Art programming
- Music on the Lawn
- Support of Children's Festival



Please consider donating to FANS or joining their team!

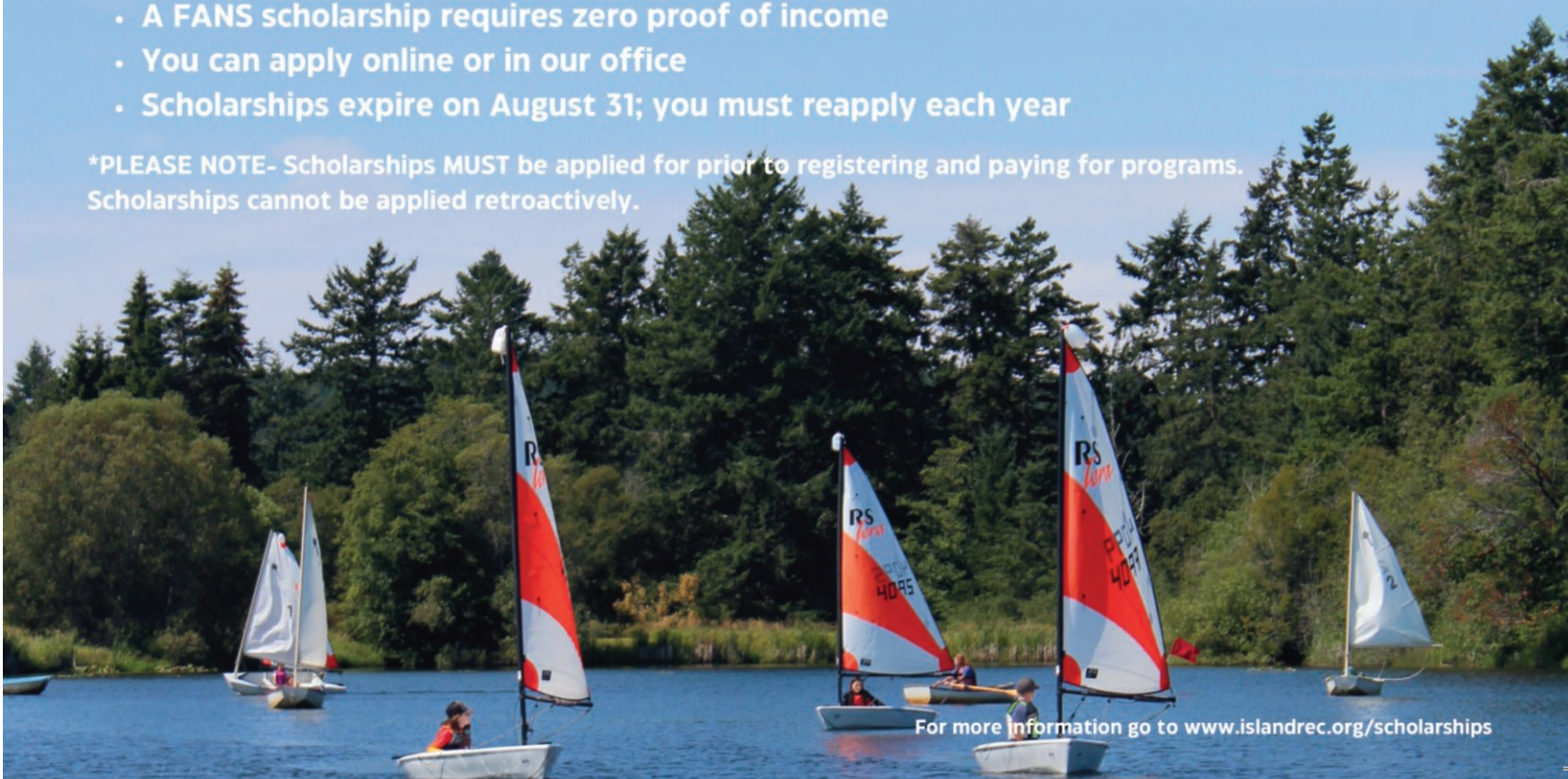
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Scholarships for all!

Did you know:

- Any resident of San Juan Island is eligible, regardless of age
- Different scholarship rates are based on need
- A FANS scholarship requires zero proof of income
- You can apply online or in our office
- Scholarships expire on August 31; you must reapply each year

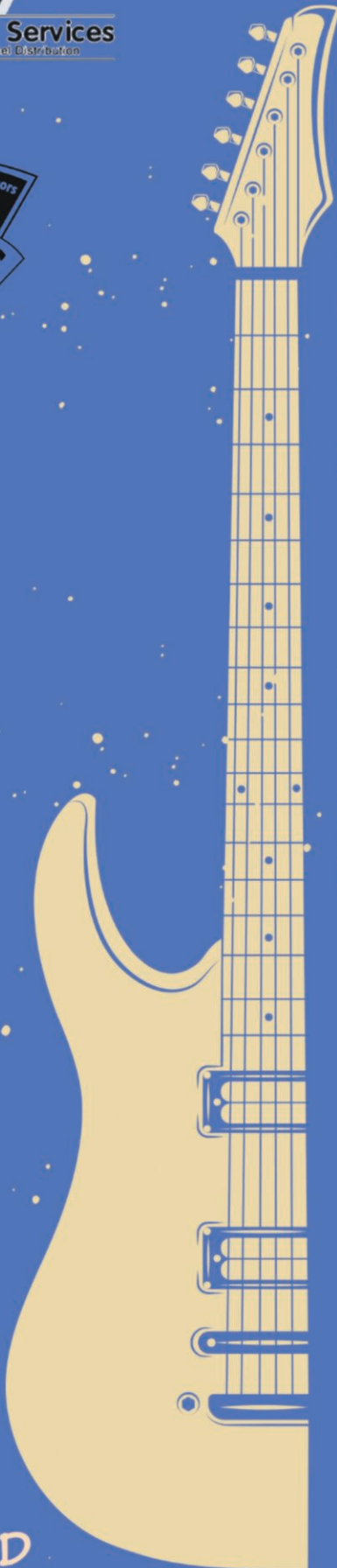
*PLEASE NOTE- Scholarships MUST be applied for prior to registering and paying for programs. Scholarships cannot be applied retroactively.



For more information go to www.islandrec.org/scholarships



ISLAND REC SUMMER MUSIC SERIES



MUSIC ON THE LAWN

PERFORMANCES BY:

CHRIS EGER & SAVANNAH WOODS

JULY 9

THE BE KIND REWIND

JULY 16

JOEL ASTLEY

JULY 23

THE DANGERFIELDS

JULY 30

BARCODE

AUGUST 6

*ISLAND
REC*

ISLANDREC.ORG FOR MORE INFO

WEDNESDAYS, 6:30-8:15 PM
SAN JUAN HISTORICAL MUSEUM 405 PRICE
STREET. PLEASE NO PETS OR ALCOHOL.
PACK IT IN, PACK IT OUT.

Community Events

Summer Playground Program *New!* All Ages

Free summer fun on Wednesday afternoons at Linde park! Island Rec staff will be on-site with games, craft projects, sports equipment, and more. Join us each week to play outside together. The Summer Playground Program is not intended to be a substitute for child-care or daycare services. Young children should not be left unsupervised.

Linde Park
W 1:30-3:30 pm **June 25-Aug 20** Free

Island Kids Maker Fair

Island Rec is holding our annual Island Kids Maker Fair where entrepreneurial kids can sell their creations. Gather up your friends and family and come out to shop for Mother's Day gifts and support our island kids!

Brickworks
F 4-5:30pm **May 9**

Children's Festival "Cirque du Salish Sea" All Ages

Save the date for Island Rec's 33rd annual Children's Festival. A fun day of entirely FREE activities, based around this year's circus theme. Brought to you by Island Rec and many community businesses and organizations.

Linde Park
Sa 10am-2pm **May 17** Free

Summer Kickoff S'mores Beach Party All Ages

Schools out for summer! Join Island Rec hanging at the beach and celebrating the start of summer with a bonfire and s'mores!

Jackson Beach
F 4-6 pm **June 13** Free

Music on the Lawn All Ages

Island Rec's free outdoor summer concert series! Bring blankets or lawn chairs, a picnic and enjoy an evening of great music on the lawn at the San Juan Historical Museum.

San Juan Historical Museum 405 Price St
Chris Eger & Savannah Woods **W** 6:30-8:15pm **July 9** Free
The Be Kind Rewind **W** 6:30-8:15pm **July 16** Free
Joel Astley **W** 6:30-8:15pm **July 23** Free
The Dangerfields **W** 6:30-8:15pm **July 30** Free
Barcode **W** 6:30-8:15pm **Aug 6** Free

Brad Pillow 8.8K Run All Ages

Be part of this Island tradition, 48 years running! A fun run/walk for all ages. Race fee includes a wristband for entry into the San Juan County Fair for the day of the race. Register before June 30 to guarantee a shirt in the size of your choice. Shirts subject to availability for registrations made after June 30. Day-of registrations will be accepted, but pre-registration is *strongly* encouraged.

Aug 14,15: Pick up race bib and t-shirt at the Island Rec office between 8am-5pm

Aug 16, 8-8:45am: Late registration and race bib pick-up at Wells Fargo Bank parking lot. *No registrations after 8:45am.*

Wells Fargo Parking Lot
Sa Race starts at 9:00am **Aug 16** 12 & under \$20; 13+ \$30



Art in the Park with Alchemy Art Center All Ages

All activities taught through Alchemy Art Center's Artist in Community program, featuring visiting artists from around the country. Kids under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Please see islandrec.org for full project descriptions.

Each Sunday will have TWO timeslots offered to choose from: 11:00-12:30pm, and 1:00-2:30pm.

Linde Park

Ceramic Seed Pods	Su	June 1	\$5
Meditative Illustration & Handbuilding	Su	June 15	\$5
Zero Waste Tote Bags	Su	June 29	\$5
Hectographs and Anthotypes	Su	July 6	\$5
Upcycled Assemblage	Su	July 20	\$5
Clay Still-Life	Su	Aug 3	\$5
Indigo Dye Day	Su	Aug 31	\$5



All Ages Outdoor Adventures

Know Your Island Walks All Ages

Join the Trails Committee for group hikes on San Juan Island one Saturday of each month at 10am. Bring plenty of water, sunscreen, and sturdy walking shoes. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Please see islandrec.org for more detailed information.

American Camp

Sa 10-1pm May 31 Free

National Trails Day

Sa 10-1pm June 7 Free

Lime Kiln State Park

Sa 10-1pm July 26 Free

Young Hill Garry Oak

Sa 10-1pm Aug 30 Free

Mt. Grant

Sa 10-1pm Sept 27 Free

Family Outrigger Canoe Fun All Ages

These rock-solid canoes are a perfect way to introduce your kids (ages 4-10) to paddling in a supportive group environment, with room for up to six people so most families can pile into the same canoe! Lead by our friends from the Hui Wa'a canoe and kayak club.

Shipyard Cove Marina

Sa 10-11:30am June 28 \$5
Sa 11:30am-1pm June 28 \$5

Inter-Island Bike Rides All Ages *New!*

FREE summer rides on bike-friendly Shaw and Lopez Islands! Take the ferry for free on your bike and choose your own adventure for your ride. No pre-registration required, just come with your helmets and bikes! Ferry time subject to change.

Depart FH Ferry Terminal

Shaw Island

Su Leave 8:25 Ferry/Return 3:55 Ferry July 13 Free

Lopez Island

Su Leave 8:25 Ferry/Return 3:55 Ferry Aug 10 Free

Nature Wonders Family Day All Ages *New!*

Head to our local Lime Kiln State Park for a fun-filled family outdoor evening! Enjoy a breathtaking sunset, guided nature walks, and activities for all ages. Bring your loved ones for a memorable evening in one of the island's most scenic spots!

Lime Kiln State Park

Su 5-8:30pm Aug 24 Free

100 Mile May Challenge All Ages

Walk, run or convert another fitness activity into mileage for May's 100 mile challenge! Track your distance using a smartphone, watch or any available app.

May 1-31

Free

100 Hours Outside All Ages

Join us for the summer 100 Hours Outside Challenge. Stop by the Island Rec Office or download your tracking sheet and spend 100 hours outside. When you complete the form bring it back to Island Rec to pick up your outdoor activity completion prize!

June 1-Aug 31

Free

Community Whale Watch All Ages

Jump on board a locals whale watch event, generously sponsored by San Juan Safaris and IPS. You'll have the chance to witness marine life in their natural habitat. This tour offers an unforgettable experience, combining marine education with the thrill of spotting whales and other marine life.



San Juan Safaris

Su 11am
Su 11am

May 18
Sep 7

\$5
\$5



Specialty Camps

Mural Art Camp with Alchemy *New!* Arts Ages 9-14

An exciting opportunity for kids to create alongside the talented artists from Alchemy Art Center. Creative kids will work together and make a unique, portable plywood mural.

Island Rec House

M-F 10am-noon June 16-20 \$150

Tennis Camp Ages 8-14

Coach Kyle is back to help improve and refine your tennis game. Skills such as proper grip, footwork, strokes, volleys, and serves will be covered in this dynamic 5-day camp. Rackets provided.

FHHS Tennis Courts

Ages 8-11 M-F 9-11am June 23-27 \$67
Ages 12-14 M-F 9-11am July 7-11 \$67

Fantasy Art and Craft *New!* Camp Ages 7-10

Step into a world of magic and creativity! In this enchanting, short-format camp, young artists will bring mythical creatures and fairy-tale wonders to life through a mix of painting, crafting, and imaginative fun.

Island Rec House

M-Th 1-3pm June 30-July 3 \$120

Circus Camp with Cirque Cadia Ages 7-13

Run away and join the circus this summer! Move your body, get creative, and have a ton of fun while learning the basics of juggling, hula hooping, stilt walking, and more with Natale and Anthony of Cirque Cadia. No experience is necessary; all props provided.

FHHS

M-F 9am-12pm July 21-25 \$255



Skateboarding Camp Ages 7-13

Join our incredible skate instructors for a week of fun at the Friday Harbor skatepark. Anyone interested in skateboarding, no matter their skill, is welcome. Come build new skills and confidence, learn tricks, and make new friends. Come shred with us! (no class 7/4)

Skate Park

M-Th 9am-12pm June 30-July 3 \$120
M-F 9am-12pm Aug 4-8 \$150

LEGO® Camp Ages 5-11

Let your imagination run wild with thousands of LEGO® parts as we design and build together. Play, create, and learn during this week of summer fun.

FHHS STEM Bldg

Wildlife Wonders
Ages 5-9 M-F 9am-Noon July 7-11 \$260
Minecraft
Ages 7-11 M-F 1-4pm July 7-11 \$260

CANCELLATIONS:

All programs must meet minimum attendance to run. By registering at least 2 weeks in advance of a program, you ensure we meet our program minimum and give us adequate time to prepare for you. Please register early to avoid the disappointment of a cancellation.

Specialty Camps

International Soccer Half Day Development Camp Ages 6-15

Challenger Sports sends soccer coaches from all around the world to take players through a series of skill-building practices in this fun, week-long soccer camp. Each day includes foot skills, technical drills, and games. Cleats and shin guards are recommended but not required. Camp fee includes a ball and t-shirt!

Linde Park

M-F	9am-Noon	July 14-18	\$239
M-F	1-4 pm	July 14-18	\$225

Build a Band Music Camp Ages 8-14

Join local music educator, teacher, and musician Kyle Lutz as he leads this fun week of music programming. Camp focuses on forming bands/ensembles with fellow campers; composing original songs; songwriting/collaboration; and jamming.

The Fold Music Studio

M-F	2-5pm	July 28-Aug 1	\$215
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Masterpiece Makers Art Camp: *New!* Recreating the Classics Ages 7-10

Step into the shoes of the greats! In this creative, short-format art camp, young artists will reimagine some of history's most famous paintings, starting with Starry Night. With guided instruction and plenty of room for personal flair, kids will learn about legendary artists while putting their own unique twist on timeless masterpieces.

Island Rec House

M-W	1-3pm	Aug 11-13	\$90
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Animal Sanctuary Kids Camp Ages 8-11

Enjoy three days of animal sanctuary hands-on learning at Heaven on Earth Animal Retirement Sanctuary. Daily activities include animal projects, art, snacks, games, and more. Make friends with goats, donkeys, llamas, and sheep during these exciting three days of camp focused on all things animals!

Heaven on Earth Animal Sanctuary

M-W	10am-2pm	Aug 11-13	<i>New!</i> \$185
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Teen Adventure Camps Ages 11-16

Teen Adventure camps are a fun way to connect and enjoy the summer outdoors. Each day, participants will meet at the Island Rec House located at 650 Park St. A participant info packet for each week will be sent ahead of time, including everything you should bring each day and an itinerary for the week. Incoming 6th graders encouraged.

Island Rec House

Adventure Camp: Art and Nature

Explore nature's shapes and textures through art projects this week with Alchemy Art Center. Combine nature observation with creative mediums for unique take-home projects!

Tu-Th	9am-3pm	July 8-10	\$155
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Adventure Camp: Boulders, Bikes & Bonfires

Experience outdoor adventure at its best! Day one: bouldering and aerial silks at Climb San Juan; Day two: Bike to Eagle Cove and back with a picnic lunch at the beach; Day three: Hike Finlayson and enjoy a beach day at South Beach with outdoor games, and a bonfire cookout.

Tu-Th	9am-3pm	July 15-17	\$155
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Adventure Camp: Bikes and Beaches

BYO-bike for this week's adventures on San Juan, Lopez and Shaw islands. Beach games and hikes are on the agenda as we enjoy the scenery across our beautiful islands.

Bikes available upon request.

Tu-Th	9am-3pm	July 22-24	\$155
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Adventure Camp: Aquatics

It's all about keeping cool this week as we join local kayak outfitters, SJO, for a day paddle at Roche Harbor. Next, we'll be spending the day over on Orcas Island at Mountain Lake. Finally, we'll end our week with our own water wars events.

Tu-Th	9am-3pm	July 29-Jul 31	\$155
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Scholarships are available!

Specialty Camps

Basketball Camp

Develop skills, learn teamwork, and foster a love for basketball. Practice your shooting, dribbling, passing, rebounding, and defense in this fun and dynamic camp. Open to all skill levels.

Turnbull Gym

Ages 6-9	M-F	10-11:30am	July 28-Aug 1	\$70
Boys Ages 10-14	M-F	2-3:30pm	July 28-Aug 1	\$70
Girls Ages 10-14	M-F	3:30-5pm	July 28-Aug 1	\$70

Junior Golf Camp Ages 8-12 *New!*

Have fun learning the skills needed to enjoy the game of golf. Instruction includes proper grip and form, putting, appropriate club selection, rules, and strategy. Lunch provided daily. Participants supply their own clubs, limited clubs available upon request.

San Juan Golf & Tennis Club

M-W	10am-2pm	July 21-23	\$150
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Sailing Ages 8+

Scholarships are available!

Sailing classes are offered cooperatively between San Juan Sailing Foundation and Island Rec. Life jackets, textbook, weight requirement and float tests may be required. See islandrec.org for detailed class information.

Sailing Introduction Ages 8-10

This class is designed to make young sailors comfortable as they learn basic skills at a more relaxed pace.

Percich Pond

M-F	10am-1pm	June 23-27	\$215
M-F	10am-1pm	July 7-11	\$215

Sailing Basic Ages 9+

Participants will learn to rig, tack, jibe, recover from a capsize and other basic skills while sailing solo in El Toros. A practical and written test is given at the end of the session. Textbook required.

Percich Pond

M-F	2pm-5pm	June 23-27	\$215
M-F	2pm-5pm	July 7-11	\$215
M-F	10am-1pm	July 14-18	\$215
M-F	10am-1pm	July 21-25	\$215
M-F	2pm-5pm	July 21-25	\$215
M-F	10am-1pm	July 28-Aug 1	\$215
M-F	10am-1pm	Aug 4-8	\$215

Sailing Basic Adult & Teen Ages 13+

Percich Pond

M-Th	10am-1pm	Jun 30-Jul 3	\$185
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Sailing Intermediate Ages 10+

Start the week with skill refreshers at Percich Pond; the class then moves to Jackson Beach to sail in Lasers, saltwater, currents, and tides. Improve boat handling skills and learn some racing. Participants must have passed Sailing Basic class to enroll. Textbook required.

Percich Pond

M-F	2:30pm-6pm	July 14-18	\$235
M-F	2:30pm-6pm	Aug 4-8	\$235

Double Handed Sailing in High Performance Boats Ages 11+

Participants will learn to work as a team in high-performance boats with two sails and improve their boat handling and strategic sailing skills. Practice both as crew and as skipper and be introduced to navigation, chart reading, racing tactics, and rules. Class is held at Jackson Beach. Participants must have passed Sailing Intermediate to enroll.

Jackson Beach

M-F	2pm-6pm	July 28-Aug 1	\$240
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Sailing Camp & Overnight Trip Ages 11+ *New!*

Continue skill building in high-performance boats. This week long class ends with an overnight sailing trip Thursday-Friday! Class held at Jackson Beach. Participants must have passed Sailing Intermediate and consent of sailing instructor to enroll.

Jackson Beach

M-F	10am-1pm	Aug 11-15	\$295
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MAKE REGISTRATIONS FASTER!

DON'T MISS YOUR SHOT FOR A SUMMER CAMP SPOT!

SAVE TIME ON REGISTRATION DAY

FILL OUT CAMP FORMS BEFORE REGISTRATION DAY!

- SIGN INTO YOUR RECDESK ACCOUNT
- FIND THE PROGRAM "SUMMER CAMP FORMS"
- REGISTER YOUR CAMPERS INTO "SUMMER CAMP FORMS"
- GO TO CHECKOUT
- FILL OUT THE FORMS FOR EACH CAMPER
- CONTINUE THE CHECKOUT PROCESS

**FORMS WILL BE SAVED AND WILL APPLY FOR ALL 2025 SUMMER CAMPS
RESIDENT REGISTRATION OPENS APRIL 24TH AT 7:00AM**

MORE INFORMATION AT WWW.ISLANDREC.ORG

Camp Eagle Rock Ages 6-11

For 30 years Camp Eagle Rock has been Island Rec's flagship day camp program offering 7 weeks of fun to the families of San Juan Island. Campers will spend their days playing games, doing art, exploring nature, going on field trips, and more! Campers must have completed kindergarten to attend. Youth who have just completed 5th grade are also eligible to attend.



Friday Harbor Elementary School

Scholarships are available!

Week 1: Summer Kick Off M-F 8:30am-3:30pm	June 23-27	\$133
Week 2: Art Adventures M-F 8:30am-3:30pm	June 30-July 4	\$133
Week 3: Nature Explorers M-F 8:30am-3:30pm	July 7-11	\$133
Week 4: Color Craze M-F 8:30am-3:30pm	July 14-18	\$133
Week 5: Circus M-F 8:30am-3:30pm	July 21-25	\$133
Week 6: Ocean Discovery M-F 8:30am-3:30pm	July 28-Aug 1	\$133
Week 7: Camp Rewind M-F 8:30am-3:30pm	Aug 4-8	\$133

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AT-A-GLANCE SUMMER CAMP CALENDAR

June 16-20 June 23-27 June 30- July 4 July 7-11 July 14-18 July 21-25 July 28- Aug 1 August 4-8 August 11-15

Mural Art Camp w/ Alchemy Arts
Ages 9-14

Camp Eagle Rock
Ages 6-11

Tennis Camp
Ages 8-11

Sailing Intro
Ages 8-10

Sailing Basic
Ages 9+

Camp Eagle Rock
Ages 6-11

Fantasy Art & Craft Camp
Ages 7-10

Skateboard Camp
Ages 7-13

Sailing Basic
Ages 13+

Camp Eagle Rock
Ages 6-11

Tennis Camp
Ages 12-14

Lego Camps
Ages 5-11

Teen Adventure Camp
Ages 11-16

Sailing Intro
Ages 8-10

Sailing Basic
Ages 9+

Camp Eagle Rock
Ages 6-11

Soccer Camps
Ages 6-15

Teen Adventure Camp
Ages 11-16

Sailing Basic
Ages 9+

Sailing Intermed.
Ages 10 +

Camp Eagle Rock
Ages 6-11

Circus Camp
Ages 7-13

Golf Camp
Ages 8-12

Teen Adventure Camp
Ages 11-16

Sailing Basic
Ages 9+

Camp Eagle Rock
Ages 6-11

Build-A-Band Camp
Ages 8-14

Basketball Camps
Ages 6-14

Teen Adventure Camp
Ages 11-16

Sailing Basic
Ages 9+

Double Handed Sailing
Ages 11+

Camp Eagle Rock
Ages 6-11

Skateboard Camp
Ages 7-13

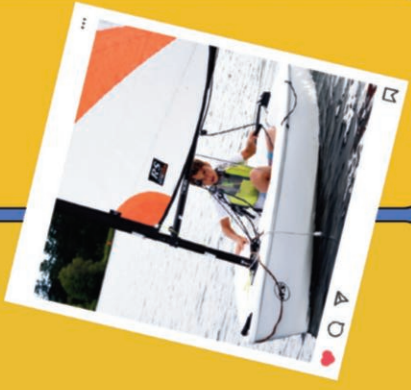
Sailing Basic
Ages 9+

Sailing Intermed.
Ages 10 +

Art Camp
Ages 7-10

Animal Camp
Ages 8-11

Overnight Sailing Camp Trip
Ages 11+



SEE ISLANDREC.ORG FOR FULL CAMP DESCRIPTIONS

Preschool



Dragonfly Preschool Camps Ages 3-5

These 2-day and 3-day camps for children ages 3-5 will explore fun themes intended to ignite wonder, imagination, and your child's natural sense of curiosity. We will spend the days learning and having fun through outdoor play, arts and crafts activities, story time and explorations.

Children must be potty trained to attend. **Scholarships are available!**
Dragonfly Camps held at the Jim Crook Building.

Dragonfly Preschool Camp: Build It

Let's play and learn about all things building. We'll explore construction, Lego, bird houses, blocks and more.

M,W,F	8:30am-12pm	June 23,25,27	\$75
Tu,Th	8:30am-12pm	June 24,26	\$55

Dragonfly Preschool Camp: Land

This week is full of activities to help establish a sense of place here on the island and offer a greater connection to the land (no session 7/4).

M,W	8:30am-12pm	June 30, July 2	\$55
Tu, Th	8:30am-12pm	July 1,3	\$55

Dragonfly Preschool Camp: Sky

Spend the week exploring the sky, including things like weather, outer space, planes, and kites!

M,W,F	8:30am-12pm	July 7,9,11	\$75
Tu,Th	8:30am-12pm	July 8,10	\$55

Dragonfly Preschool Camp: Animals

Take a journey through jungles, oceans, forests and more during a week of wild animal fun!

M,W,F	8:30am-12pm	July 14,16,18	\$75
Tu,Th	8:30am-12pm	July 15,17	\$55

Dragonfly Preschool Camp: Water

Dive into this week with wonder and a wild appreciation for water play and activities.

M,W,F	8:30am-12pm	July 21,23,25	\$75
Tu,Th	8:30am-12pm	July 22,24	\$55

Preschool Art Adventures Ages 2-5

This class is all about creative exploration and sensory fun; there's no "right" way to paint, just endless ways to experiment. Class themes at islandrec.org.

Island Rec House

W	10-11am	May 14, June 4	\$10/class
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Mini-Soccer Ages 3-5

Have fun, play games, and practice drills designed to improve coordination, balance, and teamwork. Build confidence and social skills while having a blast on the field. Parent volunteers needed!

Linde Park

M-F	9-10am	June 23-27	\$50
M-F	9-10am	Aug 4-8	\$50

Little Picassos in the Park Ages 2-5 *New!*

Let your little artist explore the joy of painting—outside, where the mess doesn't matter! Kids will splash, swirl, and smudge their way through fun, creative activities designed just for them.

Linde Park Field House

M	10-11am	June 30-Aug 25	\$10/class
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Music for Preschoolers & Parents Ages 2-5 *New!*

Explore the world of music with local music teacher, Kyle Lutz. Parents and children will sing, play, and learn together in this fun 4-week outdoor music class.

Linde Park Field House

Tu	1-2pm	July 8-29	\$45
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**Registration starts
April 24!**

www.islandrec.org

Youth & Teen

Swimming Lessons

Visit www.islandrec.org for full descriptions.

"The Rec" Pool

Swimming Beginner Skills Ages 4-8

T,W,Th	2:30-3:15pm	June 24-July 3	\$59
T,W,Th	3:30-4:15pm	June 24-July 3	\$59
M,W,F	1:30-2:15pm	July 7-18	\$59
M,W,F	4:45-5:30pm	July 7-18	\$59
M,W,F	1:30-2:15pm	July 21-Aug 1	\$59
M,W,F	1:30-2:15pm	Aug 4-15	\$59
M,W,F	2:30-3:15pm	Aug 4-15	\$59

Swimming Beginner Skills Ages 7+

T,W,Th	4:30-5:15pm	June 24-July 3	\$59
M,W,F	2:30-3:15pm	July 7-18	\$59
M,W,F	4:45-5:30pm	July 21-Aug 1	\$59

Swimming Intermediate Skills Ages 7+

M,W,F	2:30-3:15pm	July 21-Aug 1	\$59
M,W,F	4:45-5:30pm	Aug 4-15	\$59

Swimming Float School Ages 7-12

Passing a Float Test (offered in class at the end of the week) is required to participate in any Island Rec summer sailing classes. The float test requires the following skills: comfortable with face in the water, ability to swim the width of the large pool, float or tread water for 10 minutes, ability to put on life jacket while floating.

"The Rec" Pool

M-F	4:30-5:15pm	June 16-20	\$59
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After-School Paint Club Grades 2-8

Looking for a fun, creative way to unwind after school? Join the After-School Paint Club! Meet up with local artist Randi Schuh and let your creativity flow in this hands-on step by step painting class. All skill levels welcome. Please see islandrec.org for list of themes.

Island Rec House

W	3:30-5	May 14, June 4	\$15/class
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Illustration Club with Alchemy *New!* Art Grades 6-12

Do you like to draw, paint and create graphic art? Come to the Rec House after school on Fridays. Alchemize Illustration Club is a FREE drop-in afterschool program run by the artists at Alchemy Art Center.

Island Rec House

Drop-in	F	3:30-5:30	Every Friday thru June 6	Free
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Babysitting Safe Sitter Class Ages 11+

Participants will learn: How and where injuries can happen, how to prevent them, how to perform infant/child choking rescue, how a child's age affects how to care for them, how to prevent problem behaviors, and how to effectively run a babysitting business.

Frank Wilson EMS Bldg

M/Tu	9am-noon	June 23 & 24	\$110
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Youth & Teen

Teen Art Bite Ages 11+

Join local artists for a series of short, materials inspired workshops each highlighting a new art technique! Locations vary. See islandrec.org for full descriptions.

Cell Phone Photography with Chase			
F	2-3pm	June 27	\$20
Acrylic Painting with Randi			
F	1-3pm	July 11	\$20
Floating Ink Suminagashi Prints with Jen			
F	1-3pm	July 25	\$20
Action Photography with Chase			
F	1-3pm	Aug 1	\$20
Chalk /Decorative Lettering with Randi			
F	1-3pm	Aug 8	\$20
Skateboard Deck Design with Cozette			
F	1-3pm	Aug 22	\$20

Lunch on Turn Island: Outrigger Canoe Ages 10-14

Hui Wa'a is San Juan Island's outrigger canoe and kayak club, led by former Olympic kayaker David Halpern and club leader José Domenech; participants will paddle in 6+ person outrigger canoes to Turn Island for lunch. No experience required - just bring your lunch and a sense of adventure! Life jackets provided or bring your own.

<i>Shipyard Cove Marina</i>			
Sa	10am-1pm	July 12	\$39
Sa	10am-1pm	Aug 23	\$39

Woodworking Basics: Stool Ages 12+ *New!*

Come to the Fellow Shop and build a three-legged mortise and tenon stool. Jean and Nic will teach you how to use a number of hand tools as well as the drill press and band saw. Using simple construction techniques, you will build a seat for yourself! No experience necessary.

<i>The Fellow Shop</i>			
Tu-Th	2-4pm	July 22, 23, 24	\$175

Tuesday Treks Ages 11-16 *New!*

Explore weekly day trips designed for island youth, offering fun adventure and new experiences. From off-island activities to local explorations, there's something for everyone. Perfect for making the most of your summer!

<i>Island Rec House</i>			
Summit Park-Bellingham			
Tu	10:30am-5pm	Aug 5	\$95
Sea Kayak Tour			
Tu	10:30am-5pm	Aug 12	\$93
Lopez Skate Park			
Tu	10:30am-5pm	Aug 19	\$45
Eagle Cove Beach Day			
Tu	10:30am-5pm	Aug 26	\$10



Take pictures at Island Rec programs and events this summer and share them on Instagram. Make sure to tag @islandrec or #sjislandrec



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Adult



Pickleball Tournament Ages 16+

Calling all pickleball players for our annual pickleball tournament! Doubles tournament; prizes will be awarded to the 1st place winners in each bracket. All players must register individually with Island Rec.

FHHS Tennis Courts

Mixed Doubles

Sa 9am-4pm **May 3** \$17

Open Doubles/Women's Doubles

Su 9am-4pm **May 4** \$17

Pickleball 101 Ages 16+

Always wanted to learn pickleball? Here's your chance. Develop a solid foundation as you learn basic rules, techniques, and strategies in a fun and supportive environment. Loaner paddles are available.

Fairgrounds Main Building

M-W 6:30-8pm **May 12-14** \$30

FHHS Tennis Courts

M-W 9-11am **June 30-July 2** \$38

Morning Flow with Mariana Ages 16+

Start your day in a gentle and mindful way with a full body sequence of yoga poses to stretch, strengthen and center. Kindly wake up body and mind, restoring range of motion with ease. July and August dates to be announced.

Studio Jamm

Th 9-10:15am **May 1-29** \$12/class

Th 9-10:15am **June 5-19** \$12/class

Adult Co-ed Soccer League Ages 16+

NEW TEAMS WELCOME! Whether you're a seasoned player or new to the sport, our league offers an exciting opportunity to showcase your skills, make new friends, and experience the thrill of competition. This league is focused on fair play, sportsmanship and ensuring our matches are enjoyable for participants of all levels.

Linde Park

Tu/Th 6:00-8:30pm **May 20-July 17** \$40

Digital Photography Ages 15+

Join local photographer Chase Anderson and get comfortable with your digital camera! We will thoroughly cover the exposure triangle of shutter speed, aperture, and ISO so that you can fully harness the potential of your DSLR or mirrorless camera.

Island Rec House

Tu 5:30-7:30pm **May 6,13,20,27** \$93

Adult Paint Night Ages 15+

Unleash your inner artist in this relaxed, fun, and creative class! Whether you're a beginner or an experienced painter, this step-by-step paint night is the perfect opportunity to explore your artistic side in a stress-free environment. Please see islandrec.org for theme.

Island Rec House

W 6-8pm **May 7** \$20/class

All Ages Paint Nights: Summer Masterpieces Ages 8+ New!

Celebrate the colors of summer with this all-ages painting class. Guided step by step, you'll create a beautiful painting to take home—no experience needed! All skill levels welcome. Ages 8-14 accepted with a registered adult. Please see islandrec.org for list of themes.

Island Rec House

W 6-8pm **May 21, 28, June 11** \$20/class

Th 6-8pm **July 10, 24, Aug 7, 21** \$20/class



Adult



Birdwatching Ages 16+

Explore San Juan Island with our eagle-eye birdwatching guide, Tyler Davis. These walking tours will allow opportunities to learn about the variety of birds and habitats right in our own backyard. No experience is needed, but binoculars are highly recommended.

Zylstra Lake			
Th	7-9am	May 8	\$12
American Camp			
W	6:30-8:30pm	May 14	\$12
English Camp			
Th	7-9am	May 22	\$12
Lime Kiln State Park			
W	6:30-8:30pm	May 28	\$12
Beaverton Valley Marsh Preserve			
Th	7-9am	Jun 5	\$12
Jakle's Lagoon			
W	6:30-8:30pm	Jun 11	\$12

Play Ukulele Today Ages 11+ *New!*

In this fun introductory class, you will learn some basic chords and strums and be playing simple songs by the end of the workshop. No note reading required! Ages 11-14 accepted with a registered adult. Please bring a concert, tenor or soprano ukulele. No loaners available.

<i>Island Rec House</i>			
Th	5:30-7:00 pm	June 5	\$62

Nature Journaling Ages 11+ *New!*

Let's dive into the beauty of nature together! Grab a notebook and let your creativity shine as you jot down your thoughts, sketches, and questions about the world around you. Ages 11-14 accepted with a registered adult.

<i>Location TBD Outside</i>			
Sa	1:30-3:30 pm	June 7	\$62

Silver Clay Jewelry Ages 12+ *New!*

Get started with silver clay jewelry. This class is ideal for beginners who are interested in learning how to make real silver jewelry with this silver clay. We will cover how to plan, create, fire and finish simple jewelry designs. Ages 12-14 accepted with a registered adult.

<i>Island Rec House</i>			
Sa/Su	9-11am	June 21,22	\$60

Adult Beginner Outrigger Canoe Turn Island Ages 16+

This trip departs from Shipyard cove for a paddle to nearby Turn Island for lunch. Learn basic water safety skills and get a little exercise with friends, all with the Hawaiian 'ohana' welcome. Canoes will be guided by an experienced steersperson. No prior experience necessary. Bring your own life jacket if you have one. If not, one will be provided.

<i>Shipyard Cove Marina</i>			
Sa	10am-1pm	July 26	\$39

Seaweed Field Excursion Ages 15+

Join herbalist, Kristy Bredin, to explore Cattle Point as we traverse the intertidal and its amazing sea plants! The Seaweed Field Excursion is a unique opportunity to deepen your connection to the ocean while covering topics such as types of local seaweed, harvesting, drying, pickling techniques, healing properties, and more!

<i>Cattle Point Interpretive Area</i>			
F	11am-2pm	June 27	\$68



Adult



Sailing Basic Adult Ages 13+

Participants will learn to rig, tack, jibe, recover from a capsize and other basic skills while sailing solo in El Toros. A practical and written test is given at the end of the session. Textbook required.

Percich Pond

M-Th 10am-1pm **Jun 30-Jul 3** \$185

Craft & Create: Grown-Up Edition Ages 15+

Unleash your creativity and explore a variety of hands-on crafts in this relaxed, adults-only series. Beginners welcome!

Island Rec House

Tie-dye (bring your own shirt)

Su 1-3pm **July 6** \$25

Embroidery (includes a take-home kit)

Su 1-3pm **July 13** \$30

Tea Cup Planters

Su 1-3pm **July 20** \$35

Mosaic

Su 1-3pm **July 27** \$35

Macrame

Su 1-3pm **Aug 3** \$30

Terrarium

Su 1-3pm **Aug 10** \$35

Needle Felting

Su 1-3pm **Aug 24** \$30

Introduction to Golf Ages 18+

Learn the basic skills needed to enjoy the game of golf. Instruction includes proper grip and form, putting, appropriate club selection, rules, and strategy. Clubs available to rent or bring your own.

San Juan Golf & Tennis Club

Su 6-7pm **July 13-27** \$150

Express & Create: Art Journal Edition Ages 12+

Unleash your creativity and self-expression with a provided starter journal as you explore writing, painting, collage, and other techniques to create meaningful, one-of-a-kind pages. Ages 12-14 accepted with a registered adult.

Island Rec House

Th 6-8pm **July 17** \$30

Letterboxing Ages 12+

Uncover the world of letterboxing—a mix of treasure hunting, creativity, and adventure! Day one: learn the basics of this unique hobby and carve your own personal stamp. Day two: meet up and search for a hidden letterbox together! Ages 12-14 accepted with a registered adult.

Island Rec House / Fieldtrip location TBD

F/Sa 6-8pm & 11am-1pm **July 25, 26** \$25

Scraps & Stories: A Junk Journal Workshop Ages 12+

Transform vintage papers, fabric, ephemera, and other found materials into a beautiful, layered junk journal. Whether you're preserving memories, collecting inspiration, or simply creating for fun, you'll learn the art of repurposing and storytelling. Ages 12-14 accepted with a registered adult.

Island Rec House

Th 6-8pm **July 31** \$30

First Aid & CPR Ages 15+

Upon successful completion of these classes you will gain life-saving skills and have a certification from the American Heart Association that is valid for two years.

Frank Wilson EMS Building

M 9am-1pm **June 16** \$75

Lifelong Recreation 55+

Yoga for Longevity with Flow Collective Ages 55+

Mariana will guide you slowly and deliberately through a gentle sequence of asanas (physical poses) that will help you stretch, feel calm and balanced. July and August dates to be announced.

Studio Jamm

Tu	10-11am	May 6-27	\$12/class
Tu	10-11am	June 3-17	\$12/class

Island Hop and Hike Ages 55+

Jump in the Island Rec van and explore new landscapes on neighboring islands. Transportation and guide provided for these easy to moderate hikes. Specific hike information and pack list provided week of each hike.

San Juan Ferry Terminal

Orcas Island			
Sa	8:15am-3pm	Jul 19	\$15
Fidalgo Island			
Sa	8:15am-3pm	Aug 23	\$15

Explore our wide range of adult class offerings to enhance a skill or explore a new hobby. Discover additional classes on pages 17-19.



San Juan Island Trails



Since 1999, the Trails Committee has grown to include many dedicated volunteers who collaborate with existing land management agencies and potential new trail partners to help maintain trails and encourage new recreational trail development on San Juan Island.

Members host work-parties to assist with trail-building, maintenance, and stewardship, as well as lead the popular Know Your Island Walks (page 8).

Get involved by coming to a meeting and sharing your interest and ideas! In-person meetings are held on the 1st Thursday of the month at Noon at the Island Rec office.

Please visit our website to find maps of public trails on San Juan Island, which can be enjoyed by locals and visitors alike for walking, hiking, bicycling and horseback riding.



www.sjitrails.org

Island Rec Parks

The Fairgrounds Family Park

Open dawn to dusk daily, featuring a playground and covered shelter area with two picnic tables and a large barbecue. The park is located on Argyle Avenue within the San Juan County Fairgrounds.



The Skate Park

Open dawn to dusk daily. Helmets and pads are recommended. Island Rec asks parents to supervise beginners and small children in the Skate Park. Cooperation between skaters of all ages and abilities is essential! Park is located on Argyle Avenue within the San Juan County Fairgrounds.

Eddie & Friends Dog Park

Open daily from 7am to dusk. Two-acres of completely fenced off-leash area, with a separate fenced area for small and/or older dogs. The Park is not recommended for small children. There are no restrooms or water on site. Located on Mullis Street between Browne's Home Center and the Fire Department.



Lafarge Open Space

A primitive area that is open dawn to dusk for walking on the graded roadways only. Enjoy scenic views of Griffin Bay and Shipyard Cove on this one-mile loop. The property is located on Pear Point Road, just past Jackson Beach. Please pick up after your dogs and keep them off the slopes - the trees and grasses need all the help they can get to grow! There are no restrooms or water on site.

John O. Linde Community Park

Open dawn to dusk. Located at the end of Carter Avenue, this extensive community project features a playground, one-mile paved walking/running trail, and first-class athletic fields. Dogs must always be on leash. Please call or email Island Rec if you are interested in reserving field space.



Please report any maintenance issues or concerns to Park Superintendent Tracy Roberson at 360-378-0337 or tracy@islandrec.org.

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Imagine setting foot in history...

The Old Military Road Trail Committee is working to create a non-motorized, multi-use trail across the island, from English Camp to American camp, honoring the historic Old Military Road. Combining existing trails, conserved lands, and voluntary easements on private lands has been the work hard work of this volunteer committee.



Learn more at
www.oldmilitaryroadtrail.org



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San Juan Community Theatre 

2025 THEATRE CAMPS FOR KIDS *w/Penelope Haskeuw*

<p>Theatre for Wigglers! Ages 3-5 May 23rd - June 20th Fridays 10-11am or 11:30-12:30pm</p> 	<p>Let's Get Serious! Acting Workshop NEW! Ages 10-14 June 23rd-27th 10-12pm</p> 
<p>Musical Theatre Ensemble Camp Ages 6-14 June 23rd-27th 1-3pm</p> 	<p>Intro to Summer Musical Theatre Camp NEW! Ages 7-18 Disney Winnie the Pooh KIDS June 30th-July 12th, 10-3pm</p>

Summer Musical Theatre Camp **ANASTASIA THE MUSICAL YOUTH EDITION**
Ages 7-18 July 21st-August 10th

FOR FULL DETAILS & REGISTRATION, VISIT US ONLINE AT:
www.sjctheatre.org
OR CALL (360) 378-3210 TO REGISTER BY PHONE!

Rain or Shine Baby & Toddler Group
MONDAYS 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Join us for outdoor exploration, songs, and a light snack. Dress for the weather! Location varies.
Call the FRC for more details (360) 378-5246 or visit jlsfrc.org.

Baby & Toddler Library Group
THURSDAYS 10 AM - NOON

Join us at the San Juan Island Library for activities and social time for babies, toddlers, and their caregivers.



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Toddler Class: 18 months-4 years

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SJI Childcare Cooperative Director, Abby Howard, abbyh@jlsfrc.org sjicc.org

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Working on your San Juan Island Service Scholarship?

Check the MobileServe app for opportunities with **Island Rec** this summer!



Volunteers Need for:
Mini-Soccer Children's Festival Circus Camp
Preschool Programs Playground Program
8.8K Run Pig War Picnic and more!

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