

Rising Leaders

Summer 2024 Application

The Rising Leaders program provides an exciting and enriching experience for young individuals aged 12-14, entering grades 7-9. This program is dedicated to fostering leadership skills, teamwork, and personal growth in a fun and supportive environment. The Rising Leaders program helps build confidence, leadership skills, and a sense of community.

Dates & Times:

Monday - Friday 9:00 AM- 4:00 PM
June 24th - August 9th, 2024
Skipping Week of July 1, 2024

Program Cost:

6 Week Registration: \$480RES/\$576NR
Weekly Registration: \$100RES/\$120NR
Full Payment Due by June 7th, 2024

Registration Requirements:

- Completed Registration Form and Waiver
- Letter of Interest
 - *Write a brief letter explaining why you want to participate in the Rising Leaders Summer Program. Share your interests, hobbies, and what you hope to gain from the experience.*
- Character Reference
 - Reference from someone who is NOT an immediate family member*
- Completed Rising Leaders Questionnaire
 - Fill out our questionnaire to help us get to know you!*

Registration Deadlines:

6 Week Applications: 3/4/2024
(Expect to hear back by 4/1/2024)
Individual Week Applications (Based on Availability): 4/8/2024
Registration Deadline 6/3/2024

**Please Return Applications to Emilee Bose | Email: emileeb@rutlandrec.com
OR In Person at the Godnick Adult Center | 1 Deer Street, Rutland VT, 05701**

Registration Form

Please check which week(s) your Rising Leader would like to participate in:

Week 1 (June 24th- 28th) _____ Week 4 (July 22nd - 26th) _____
Week 2 (July 8th - July 12th) _____ Week 5 (July 29th - August 2nd) _____
Week 3 (July 15th - July 19th) _____ Week 6 (August 5th - August 9th) _____
All 6 Weeks (20% discount) _____

Rising Leader Information:

Full Name: _____

Nickname(s): _____ Preferred Pronouns: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Grade: _____

Parent/ Guardian Household Information:

Full Name: _____ Preferred Pronouns: _____

Relationship to Participant: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Physical Address: _____

Town: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Have you set up an account with the Rutland Recreation and Parks Department since October 1st, 2023? Yes ___ No ___

If not, we encourage all applicants to go to our website and create an account. This makes the registration process quicker and easier! To create an account go to <https://secure.rec1.com/VT/rutland-vt/catalog>

Does your child have any dietary restrictions/allergies? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, please specify here: _____

Does your child take any medications? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, please specify here: _____

Any special considerations or accommodations we should be aware of? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, please specify here: _____

Rising Leader Questionnaire

What do you prefer being called? _____

What is your favorite color? _____

What is your favorite food? _____

What is your favorite subject in school? _____

What is your least favorite subject in school? _____

If you could plan your ideal summer activity, what would it be?

What are your favorite hobbies or activities (Sports, art, video games...etc.)?

What are your favorite things to do around the community? Or things you would like to do?

List three careers or jobs that interest you:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Participant Waiver

I realize that, as with any physical activity there is a possible risk of injury to myself and/or my child while participating in this activity. I agree to assume the risk of injury which I or my child might suffer while involved in the Rutland Recreation and Parks Department activity and I will not hold the City of Rutland, or its staff and volunteers liable for any injuries which I and/or my child may suffer while participating in these activities. I consent to the use of my child's and/or my photo, video, artwork, etc. to be used by the department for flyers, brochures and other methods of advertising.

Parent/ Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Rising Leader Signature: _____ Date: _____