



**BRUCE A. BLAKEMAN**  
 NASSAU COUNTY EXECUTIVE

# 2025 SUMMER CAMPS at GARVIES POINT MUSEUM

Tuesday-Thursday, 9:30am-3:30pm | Ages 5-7 & 8-10

*Small group size - Our specialized museum and 62-acre nature preserve along Hempstead Harbor offer rich and unique natural experiences for all!*



## **A. July 1-3 Aquatic Adventures I**

Discover what it takes to survive in the ever-changing world of water! Get your hands wet as we explore the intertidal zone and two pond habitats. Learn about pond & shoreline life, aquatic animal adaptations, water experiments and beach seining. Make underwater viewers, play water games & more!

## **B. July 8-10 Wild for Wildlife**

Explore the wild world of animals from past to present! Study special skills and traits of prehis-toric mammals, dinosaurs, insects, birds, reptiles, and modern mammals. Show off your own superpowers on our animal obstacle course! Special guest animal encounters with Tacka-pausha Museum during week.

## **C. July 15-17 Naturally Artistic**

Color, texture, and pattern abound in the natural world. Young artists will stroll the seashore, wander the woods, and gaze at the gardens as we explore and create art from nature. From real chunks of graphite, ochre from rocks, natural dyes from plants, to weaving, sculpting, and painting, there is so much creativity waiting to be unleashed, culminating in a special art show for all to enjoy!



## **D. July 22-24 Earth Heroes**

Learn how to protect our Earth! Find out what plants and animals need to thrive and how to respect and help wildlife. Be a junior engineer as we control erosion and conduct energy experi-ments. Play recycling relay game and turn recycled materials into works of art. Food scraps to soil: food, composting & gardening. Cultivate a love of nature to protect nature!

## **E. July 29-31 Aquatic Adventures II**

Discover what it takes to survive in the ever-changing world of water! Get your hands wet as we explore the intertidal zone and our two pond habitats! Learn about pond & shoreline life, animal adapta-tions, properties of water, beach seining and dipping nets. Make underwater viewers, play water games & more!

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**GARVIES POINT MUSEUM & PRESERVE**

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### F. Aug 5-7 **Prehistory Mystery: Puzzles of the Past**

This week all campers will be Geologists, Archaeologists, and Paleontologists! Learn all about rocks & minerals with scientific tests & solve a mineral mystery! Uncover fossils from 400 million years ago through present times. Discover an archaeological dig, dinosaur fossil dig, explore geology of beach, LEGO building activities & more! Proper gear is essential this week! Each Ologist gets their own tool kit & hat.

### G. Aug 12-14 **Native American Culture & our Natural World**

Campers will discover and experience hands-on ancient tool technology and learn how to use an atlatl for spear-throwing. Learn fire-making without matches, how to safely build a campfire & outdoor survival. Beach visit to see natural clay deposits, clay processing & pottery-making. Enjoy games & storytelling, learn importance & uses of trees and fort-building, reading the forest, navigation & animal tracking. Use native foods & foraging with campfire cooking.

### H. Aug 19-21 **Summer Roundup**

Culminating week featuring special selection of most-loved topics including aquatic and animal adventures, arts & crafts, spear-throwing & more!



	1ST WEEK PRICE	EACH ADDITIONAL WEEK
<b>General</b>	1st child: \$375 2nd child: \$370	1st child: \$365 2nd child: \$360
<b>Family + Member</b>	1st child: \$365 2nd child: \$360	1st child: \$355 2nd child: \$350

#### ALL WEEKS INCLUDE:

- T-Shirt for Nature Printing
- Hands-on discovery, learning with daily interactive activities & experiments.
- Arts & Crafts & educational film throughout week
- Thematic & team-building games, scavenger hunts
- Nature play & adventures

**Early-bird discount: Enroll & pay in full by May 1, additional \$10 off total per child.**

CPR & First-Aid Certified Staff on-site. 1:8 ratio

Family Plus Membership (\$75/year) Information available at museum and our website.

#### Partial scholarships available thanks to North Shore Audubon Society

. By May 15, please submit short write-up and/or drawing to the museum or to email listed below. Awarded by June 1.

Registration forms can be filled out digitally from our website, [www.garviespointmuseum.com](http://www.garviespointmuseum.com) and emailed to [Garvies@nassaucountyny.gov](mailto:Garvies@nassaucountyny.gov). Please use one form per child. Forms can also be mailed to or dropped off at the museum, 50 Barry Drive, Glen Cove, NY 11542. We accept credit card, check, and cash.

## SUMMER CAMPS 2025 AT GARVIES POINT MUSEUM REGISTRATION FORM (please print clearly)

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (Fall 2025): \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt#: \_\_\_\_\_ Town City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail (required): \_\_\_\_\_

CIRCLE CHOICE(S): **A B C D E F G H**

ALLERGIES OR CONCERNS \_\_\_\_\_

#### For Office Use Only:

PAYMENT DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ AMT PAID: CHG \$ \_\_\_\_\_ CASH \$ \_\_\_\_\_ CK \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RECEIPT #: \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK #: \_\_\_\_\_