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CAMP KLURMAN

June 10 - August 16, 2024

mbjcc.org/camp

MBJCC

4221 Pine Tree Drive, Miami Beach FL 33140 | (305) 534-3206 | mbjcc.org

Camp Klurman is a fun-filled summer to remember. We are committed to providing an excellent, safe, well-rounded blend of day camp activities, amazing specialties, Jewish culture, on-campus interactive shows and field trips to select destinations throughout the summer.

Fun-loving, dynamic staff will facilitate your child's summer of a lifetime, filled with excitement and adventure!

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HOURS

Monday – Friday:
9 am – 3:45 pm
Drop off is from 8:45 - 9 am
Staff members will escort your child inside.

Pre-care: 8 - 9 am
Post-care: 4 - 5 pm

***Campers dropped off before 8:45 am or picked up after 4 pm will be placed in pre or post care. Additional fees apply.**

sessions

Pre Camp Week: June 10 – 14, 2024
*Closed Wednesday June 12th & Thursday, June 13th in observance of Shavuot

8 Weeks of Camp: June 17 – August 9, 2024
*Closed July 4th in observance of Independence Day.

Post Camp Week: August 12 – 16, 2024

important dates

Last Day for Early Bird Pricing: March 1, 2024

Last Day for Deposit Refund: May 1, 2024

Payment Due in Full: May 6, 2024

No Camp: June 12, June 13 & July 4, 2024

contact us

Register: mbjcc.org/camp

CAMP DIRECTOR: Jenny Mermelszteyn
Jenny@mbjcc.org or (305) 534-3206 x210

CAMP OFFICE/REGISTRAR: Hellen Jena
camp@mbjcc.org or (305) 534-3206 x235

REGISTER FOR CAMP

Register online: mbjcc.org/camp

No stress, no worries, no lines. Register online from the comfort of your home. Camp Klurman has a flexible week-to-week option: campers may sign up for as few as one or as many as ten weeks during the summer.

* A copy of an up-to-date Florida Certification of Immunization/Health form is required to attend camp. All campers are required to be immunized according to Florida state regulations. We do not accept religious exemptions.

Lunch and Snack

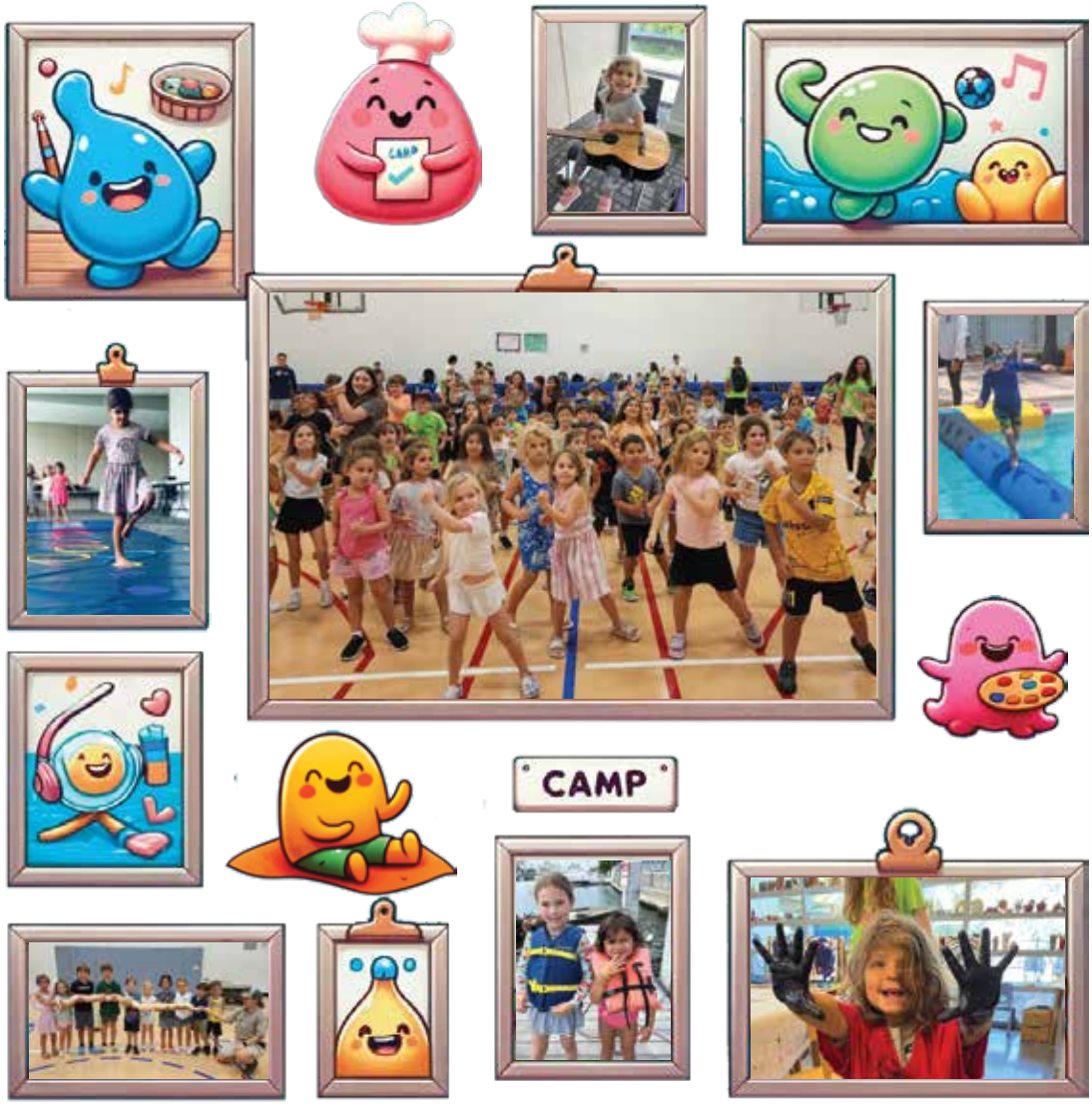
Camp Klurman provides all campers with a glatt Kosher lunch. The lunch menu is varied, nutritious and kid friendly. We are a peanut free camp and provide alternative options (gluten, egg, vegetarian and dairy free). Two snacks are provided daily. In keeping with MBJCC's kashrut (dietary laws) policy, no food or snacks may be sent from home.

Transportation

Transportation is available to and from camp on the MBJCC air-conditioned minibus (with seatbelts) for an additional fee. Designated pick up locations are available in Surfside and North Beach. Limited spots available. Advanced Registration required.

*If you are interested in transportation from other locations, please email the camp office at camp@mbjcc.org

EVENTS & HIGHLIGHTS



Arts & Crafts
Basketball
Ceramics
Dance
Flag Football
Gaga
Gymnastics
Israeli Culture
Jewish 101
Instructional Swim
Kayaking
Canoeing
Aquatics
w/Swim Gym
Water Play
Water Polo
Stand Up Paddle
Hip Hop
Nature
Cooking
Music
Robotics
Science
Soccer
Rock Band
Yoga
Zumba
and more!

Paddle, Paint, Play: Camp in my Happy Place!

Boker Tov Morning
Dances & Games

Israel Day

Water Fun Days

Select Field Trips

Dress Up Days

Themed Weeks

Color War

Weekly Shows

Friday Shabbat

Field Trips

Each day is a new adventure at Camp Klurman. Our campers (1st-8th grade) travel to a wide assortment of local attractions. These field trips expose campers to many new exciting possibilities, while providing stimulating, challenging and fun opportunities to grow as individuals and within a group. Some field trips include museums, aquariums/zoos, water parks, game centers, movies, bowling, and more.

Judaic & Israeli Programming

Judaic programs are an integral part of camp. Campers will have activities with a Judaic specialist and Israeli cultural specialists - Chavaya, Jewish 101, Sababa. Jewish values guide each weekly theme, as well as various activities at camp including, Boker Tov - morning dances and games, weekly Shabbat celebrations, Israel day and more. Our yearly Shinshinim, Israeli Emmisaries, become a part of our summer teaching campers about Israel and their society.

Aquatics with Swim Gym

Water safety is always our first priority. Experienced aquatics staff who have WSI and Lifeguard certifications help campers develop swimming skills in a friendly environment. Swim Gym follows the internationally recognized American Red Cross Learn-to Swim Program. Swim instruction and water play includes: instruction through water play, swim techniques, progress reports, water safety, water polo, climbing wall, relay races in the MBJCC swimming pool, as well as kayaking, canoeing and stand up paddle on the Indian Creek Waterway (1st - 8th grade).

make a splash

CAMP UNITS

3 & 4 Years Old
Must by 3 years old by June 17, 2024
Must be potty trained
Co-ed groups by age

Chalutzim

Week 1 - Week 8: June 17 - August 9

Campers Enjoy:

- Excellent staff-to-camper ratio
- Certified teachers with every group
- A great place to make new friends
- Structured and age-appropriate activities
- Daily instructional swim
- In-house entertainment, interactive shows, water play
- Weekly fun-filled Shabbat and Israeli cultural activities
- Air-conditioned rooms which serve as their home base; where they eat snack, nap, have quiet time, change and re-apply sunscreen

Entering Kindergarten
Co-ed groups

Chaverim

Choose from 2 groups:

1. Traditional Group
2. Jr. Sports Camp Group: Introduction to sports and fundamental skills

Campers Enjoy:

- Fun-filled and exciting sports, music, drama and science programs
- Daily instructional swim
- Interactive daily and weekly themes to fuel your child's imagination
- 'Hands-on' nature program with lots of live animals
- Interactive weekly shows

Entering
1st - 2nd Grade
Grouped by gender

Yeladim

Campers Enjoy:

- Water activities on the Indian Creek Waterway, supervised by Swim Gym
- A wide variety of activities to help children discover new skills and interests
- Weekly unit league competitions to promote camaraderie and sportsmanship
- Israeli cultural activities and weekly Shabbat celebrations
- Water fun days, interactive performances, talent shows and more
- One field trip per week

Entering 3rd - 4th Grade
Co-ed groups

Achim

- Throughout the summer Achim campers will have special "community service" projects/trips dedicated to the Jewish value, Tikkun Olam (repairing the world)
- Bi-weekly water sport activities on Indian Creek Waterway, supervised by Swim Gym
- Weekly sports competitions
- Wide variety of to enchance recreational and social skills
- Two field trips per week

Entering 5th - 6th Grade &
7th - 8th Grade
Co-ed groups

Tzofim

- Tzofim Campers enjoy a blend of stimulating traditional camp activities and specialized training programs
- Bi-weekly water sport activities (kayaking, canoeing, stand up paddle) on the Indian Creek Waterway
- Throughout the summer Tzofim campers will have special "community service" projects/trips dedicated to the Jewish value, Tikkun Olam (repairing the world)
- Weekly sports and gaming tournaments
- Wide variety of activites and speicalized workshops
- Three field trips per week

SPECIALTY CAMPS

SPORTS CAMPS

JOE CAMPODONICO | SPORTS CAMP DIRECTOR
Sports Camp is an in-depth program committed to developing fundamental sports skills. Campers are separated by grades into groups to create level-based competitive teams. This multi-sport specialty camp is designed for the sports enthusiast. Each day the campers enjoy a "sport of the day", focusing on Basketball, Football and Soccer. Their daily routine also includes a variety of other sports and camp activities.

Jr. Varsity

Entering 1st Grade

June 10 - August 16

- Daily "sport of the day" training
- Weekly water sports activities on Indian Creek Waterway, supervised by Swim Gym
- Sports focused field trips throughout the summer
- One field trip per week

Varsity

Entering 2nd - 4th Grade

June 10 - August 16

- Daily "sport of the day" training
- Daily Recreational Sports including- Capture the Flag, Kickball and Gaga
- Weekly water sports activities on Indian Creek Waterway, supervised by Swim Gym
- Sports focused field trips throughout the summer
- Players of the week
- One field trip per week

Each Friday, Jr. Varsity and Varsity campers will play in a league style competition. Our young athletes will learn from both the thrills and the woes of competition. Campers will receive a reversible jersey to wear on game days.

Basketball Training Camp

Entering 3rd - 7th Grade

June 24 - 28, July 1 - 5, August 5 - 9 & August 12 - 16

- Intensive skill training program focusing on team building through competitive workouts and games
- Designed to help your child increase speed, agility, footwork and vertical leap
- Encourages personal development while focusing on improving team skills and game fundamentals
- Highly trained team of professionals ensure campers safety and skill development

Special Week: *June 17 - 21*

Nike Basketball Training Camp

Entering 3rd Grade and up

- Train with the best coaches
- Nike gear included.

let every game be a step towards your dreams..

Football Training Camp

Entering 2nd Grade and up

June 17 - 28, August 5 - 9 & August 12 - 16

- Enhance your speed, agility, technique and strategy.
- Each week will include passing drills, pass-catching drills, defensive drills.
- Overall conditioning and skill development on and off the field.

Gymnastics

Stacey Hatch | Gymnastics Camp Director

Entering 1st Grade and up

All Star* (Advanced Levels)

June 10 – 18

*For registration contact
Stacy Hatch at stacey@mbjcc.org

General (All Levels)

July 8 – 12
July 15 – 19

- USAG certified coaches
- Experienced and beginner gymnasts welcomed
- Rotations on bars, vault, beam and floor
- Improve and build strength & power tumbling
- Train for somersaults and twisting skills

Aquatics Sports Camp

Entering 2nd Grade and up

June 10 - 14, June 17 - 21,
July 8 - 12 & August 12 -16

Ride the waves of your dreams

- Geared towards all skill levels
- Safety awareness while using small water crafts
- Variety of high energy activities including kayaking, paddle boarding and canoeing
- Led by Swim Gym professionals

Skateboarding Camp

Entering 1st Grade and up

July 22 - 26 & August 5 - 9

SKATEBIRD Miami proudly presents the most exciting and safe skateboarding experience! Campers will immerse themselves in the Culture and Lifestyle that is Skateboarding. They will enjoy a full blown curriculum of Skateboarding, Art Projects, Photo and Video Production, and an amazing Slip N Slide to help them cool off this summer. Whether it is their first skateboarding experience or they are seasoned shredders, they are sure to come home with new skills, new friends, and memories to last a lifetime. Campers will travel daily on the MBJCC bus to Skatebird Miami Park.

SPECIALTY CAMPS

STEAM CAMPS

art camp

Entering 1st - 5th Grade

August 12 - 16

- Campers will use their unique creativity and make one-of-a-kind projects.
- Hands-on art activities in ceramics, painting, design, recycled materials and more.
- Step by step instructions lead to beautiful works of art.

intro to coding & design

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Entering 2nd - 8th Grade

June 24 – 28 & July 1 – 5

Kids will engage in a variety of fun coding and design-based games and projects. Step-by-step instructions will introduce campers to fundamental block-based coding and design concepts. Fun, easy-to-follow STEM-based games and projects will encourage creative thinking, self-expression, and problem-solving. Participants will make new friends, work in teams, and build their first video game, logo, and t-shirt design..

intro to Lego Robotics & coding

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Entering K - 2nd Grade

July 8 – 12 & July 15 – 19

Kids will complete a variety of fun coding and design-based games and projects. Step-by-step instructions introduce campers to standard block & text-based coding and design concepts. Fun and easy-to-follow STEM-based games and projects encourage creative thinking, self-expression, and problem-solving. They'll make new friends, work in teams, and build a portfolio of video games, logos, t-shirt designs, 2D animations, 3D models and prototypes, and a variety of digital media.

Your Ideas Can Light Up the World

Drone Pilot Camp

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Entering 2nd Grade and Up

July 22 – 26

Soar to new heights with our Drone Pilot Summer Camp! Perfect for kids passionate about technology and aviation, this fun and exciting program teaches the basics of drone flying and aerial photography. Your kids will have a blast with experienced instructors and state-of-the-art equipment, learning valuable piloting skills.

Minecraft Architecture Education Edition

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Entering K - 6th Grade

August 5 – 9

Students will not only learn about different architectural styles, historical buildings, and construction methods, but they'll also gain hands-on experience designing, constructing, and modifying their own virtual buildings. Beyond architecture, this class will enhance critical thinking, spatial reasoning, teamwork, and creativity.

Fashion Focus: Graphic Design for Young Creatives

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Entering 2nd - 8th Grade

July 29 – August 2

Discover the world of fashion design through our engaging Graphic Design camp using the Gravit Design platform. Kids will unleash their creativity as they explore color theory, typography, and layout design to create stunning fashion designs and digital artwork. Alongside fashion design skills, this class nurtures digital literacy, creativity, and visual communication. Plus, campers get their own custom-designed t-shirts.

Minecraft Commands & Mods Education Edition

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Entering K - 6th Grade

August 12 – 16

This class delves into advanced Minecraft exploration, teaching complex building techniques, redstone mechanics, and survival strategies, along with an introduction to modding and command blocks. This immersive experience enhances key skills such as teamwork, creativity, spatial awareness, and problem-solving.

SPECIALTY CAMPS

PERFORMING ARTS

Princess Dance

3 Years Old & Entering Kindergarten

June 10 - 14, June 17 – 21, July 1 - 5 & August 12 - 16

- Introduction to creative expression
- Unlock endless creativity
- Build teamwork and kindness
- Learn basic ballet steps
- Music from favorite movies and shows
- Led by Ana Bolt Turrall, Alicia O'Hare & Scarlett O'Hare

Performing Arts

Entering 1st Grade and up

July 29 - August 2 & August 5 - 9

- Learn music, dance and stage performance techniques
- Perform excerpts from Broadway musicals
- Led by Ana Bolt Turrall, Alicia O'Hare & Scarlett O'Hare

Rock Band Camp

Entering 2nd Grade and up

June 17 – 21 & June 24 - 28

(2-week registration required)

The program is designed to produce performing ensembles and talented young musicians. Classes are taught by nationally acclaimed musicians in an environment that nurtures individual achievement and creativity, allowing our campers to reach their full musical potential, starting from the bases, while developing a life-long love of the arts.

mini mady's dance camp

Entering Pre-K - 1st Grade

July 8 - 12, July 15 - 19, & July 22 - 26

- Focus on Hip Hop, contemporary, Jazz, PomPoms and other dance techniques
- Gain better sense of music, movement and performing
- High energy level

mady's dance camp

Entering 1st Grade and up

June 10 - 14, June 24 - 28, July 1 - 5, & August 12 - 16

- Introduction to dancing for children just developing their coordination
- Discovery of movement, balance and listening skills
- Excellent first group activity and opportunity to develop a stronger bond
- Fun, safe and nurturing atmosphere

dance to your own rhythm

cheerleading

Entering 1st Grade and up

July 22 - 26

- Partnership with Top Gun Cheerleading
- Open to all levels
- Improve and learn cheerleading skills including, stunts, jumps and tumbling
- One full day at the Top Gun Cheer and Dance Training Center

Rates

	Early Bird Until March 1		Camp Fees	
	Weekly Fees: Week 1 - Post Camp *June 17 - August 16*	3-Day Fee: Pre Camp *June 10 - 14* *No Camp 6/12 & 6/13*	Weekly Fees: Week 1 - Post Camp *June 17 - August 16*	3-Day Fee: Pre Camp *June 10 - 14* *No Camp 6/12 & 6/13*
Chalutzim (3's and 4's) Week 1 - Week 8	—	—	Fee: $635 Members: $490	—
Chaverim (Kindergarten)	Fee: $575 Members: $440	Fee: $360 Members: $275	Fee: $625 Members: $480	Fee: $390 Members: $300
Yedidim (1st – 2nd Grade)	Fee: $560 Members: $430	Fee: $345 Members: $265	Fee: $610 Members: $470	Fee: $380 Members: $290
Achim (3rd – 4th Grade)	Fee: $580 Members: $445	Fee: $355 Members: $270	Fee: $630 Members: $485	Fee: $385 Members: $295
Tzofim (5th – 8th Grade)	Fee: $585 Members: $450	Fee: $360 Members: $275	Fee: $635 Members: $490	Fee: $390 Members: $300
Specialty Camps	Fee: $650 Members: $500	Fee: $395 Members: $305	Fee: $700 Members: $540	Fee: $430 Members: $330
Sports/Gymnastics/ Aquatics	Fee: $635 Members: $490	Fee: $385 Members: $295	Fee: $685 Members: $530	Fee: $420 Members: $320
Basketball/Football/ Nike Training Camp	Fee: $560 Members: $430	Fee: $345 Members: $265	Fee: $610 Members: $470	Fee: $380 Members: $290

An annual Family Membership, in good standing is required, to take advantage of the discounted member rates.

PRE/POST CARE WEEKLY Pre-care: $40 | Post-care: $40 OR Pre-care & Post-care: $70

TRANSPORTATION WEEKLY AM: $40 | PM: $40 OR AM & PM: $70

- Sign up during Early Bird and save up to $50 a week
- Become a MBJCC Member and save 30%
- Campers enrolled for more than 4 weeks will receive a $10 weekly discount for the additional weeks after the first 4 weeks at the regular rate.
- A $10 weekly sibling discount is deducted from the lower camp fee for each additional child.

SIGN UP FOR MEMBERSHIP & SAVE!
Contact nicolel@mbjcc.org

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE:

The MBJCC strives to ensure that no child is denied a camp experience. Limited financial assistance is available to qualifying families. A confidential application must be completed and submitted with your camper's registration and a $250 deposit. The final deadline to apply for financial assistance is April 19, 2024.

What Parents Need to Know

Who works with the children?

Highly trained professional staff who have a strong commitment to children and families supervise our camp. Our counselors are carefully selected, background checked, and attend required intensive training on program development, child care and safety. All of our supervisory staff members are college graduates with extensive camp experience.

Safety of all campers:

The MBJCC provides a safe and nurturing environment for your child. Our supervisory staff and lifeguards are Red Cross certified in CPR, first aid and emergency procedures. Every precaution is taken during all of our activities. For more detailed information, please review our Parent Manual with CDC and American Camping Association guided Health and Safety Protocols and Procedures.

What if my child has allergies/takes medication?

If your child has a food or environmental allergy or takes medication, include this information on our online registration form and contact the camp office to make appropriate arrangements for your camper.

What about food?

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What about pick up and drop off?

1. You may drop off and pick up your child in the carpool line at the MBJCC.
2. Transportation* is available to and from Surfside and North Beach on the MBJCC mini bus (with seatbelts). Additional fees apply.
   *If you are interested in transportation from other locations, please email the camp office at camp@mbjcc.org
3. Pick up only: You may park in the MBJCC parking lot and pick up your child at the designated area outside only (staff will walk your child out of the facility.)

How do campers travel on field trips?

Each camp unit (1 - 8th grade), has a unique, exciting, and age appropriate travel program following safety protocols to select attractions. Campers travel in air conditioned school buses (with seat belts). All camp field trips are supervised by a unit head and bunk counselors. We pack Kosher bag lunches to go for campers. All trips return on time for regular afternoon carpool.

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