



CAMP COMO IS  
WHERE SUMMER  
HAPPENS!!

# 2024 COMO SUMMER CAMP

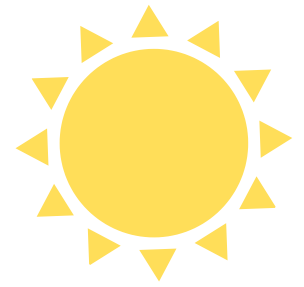
---

**WELCOME PACKET**

---



# WELCOME LETTER



Dear Parents and Campers,

Welcome to Camp COMO! Warmer weather is almost here, and we are ready for an unforgettable summer!

Camp COMO was founded on the belief that children need a place where they can explore, play, and discover together. The COMO campus provides the perfect setting to grow and learn all while having fun, making lasting memories, and building life-long friendships.

Our daily camp schedules encourage each camper to experience everything our campus has to offer. Campers will express themselves creatively in the COMO Makerspace; explore our natural surroundings in our outdoor classrooms; use fresh ingredients, harvested from the COMO Children's Learning Garden, to cook delicious recipes in our kitchen; play games and learn new sports on our fields and in our gymnasium; splash at duBois Beach; and practice on our paddle and tennis courts!

Our dedicated, qualified team is ready to make this summer the best one yet with a planned curriculum and activities guaranteed to boost summer fun. Their hands-on engagement and experience will help your child transition from school to summer mode, while still strengthening their learning and social/emotional growth.

This welcome packet includes a campus map with convenient drop-off and pick-up locations, weekly schedules, a packing checklist, and more. If your child enjoys a specific aspect of camp, I encourage you to inquire about COMO specialty enrichment camp opportunities with our front office—they can complete your camper's experience! I hope you find this information helpful and that it eases any pre-camp jitters.

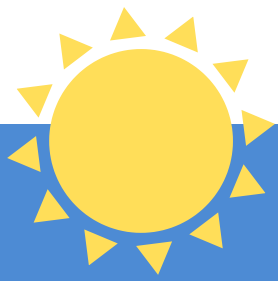
Finally, thank you for choosing Camp COMO.  
We are thrilled to be able to share in your child's growth this summer.

Warmest Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Priscilla Rouquayrol".

Priscilla Rouquayrol  
Education Director

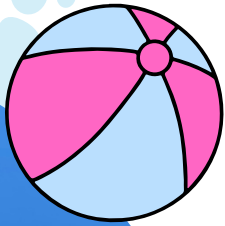




**READY, SET, SUMMER!**

# CAMP CHECKLIST

**Campers should bring the following items to camp each day:**

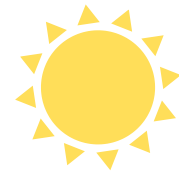


- Lunch\*
- Snacks\*
- Water Bottle
- Beach Shoes or Flip-Flops
- Sneakers
- Sunscreen
- Bug Spray
- Bathing Suit
- Extra Change of Clothes
- A Smile!



\*The COMO is a peanut-free facility. Please bring an ice pack if you need your meal kept cold. If it needs to be kept warm, please pack food in a thermos. There will be no heat-ups.

# OUR 16-ACRE CAMPUS



1. COMO Main Building: Welcome to the COMO at 28 Cutler Street! **Campers will be welcomed to camp and be picked up from our front lobby each day.**

2. Gymnasium, Playground, Pottery Studio: The gym and playground are perfect for games, working as a team, and learning new skills, while our pottery studio provides instruction for all ages and skill levels in techniques from hand building and wheel throwing to creative, new applications!

3. Auditorium and Kitchen: The COMO auditorium features a full-size stage for performing, while our kitchen invites campers to explore cooking and nutrition!

4. Outdoor Classroom: Explore the habitat of the marshlands, conduct experiments, and more.

5. Owen's Field: Learn a new sport, be active and make new friends on one of two fields!

6. Children's Garden: Growing flowers, vegetables, and herbs make for tasty learning in the garden!

7. Paddle Tennis Courts: Get in on the fun at our paddle tennis courts! This quickly growing sport is an exciting way to think strategically and work on coordination.

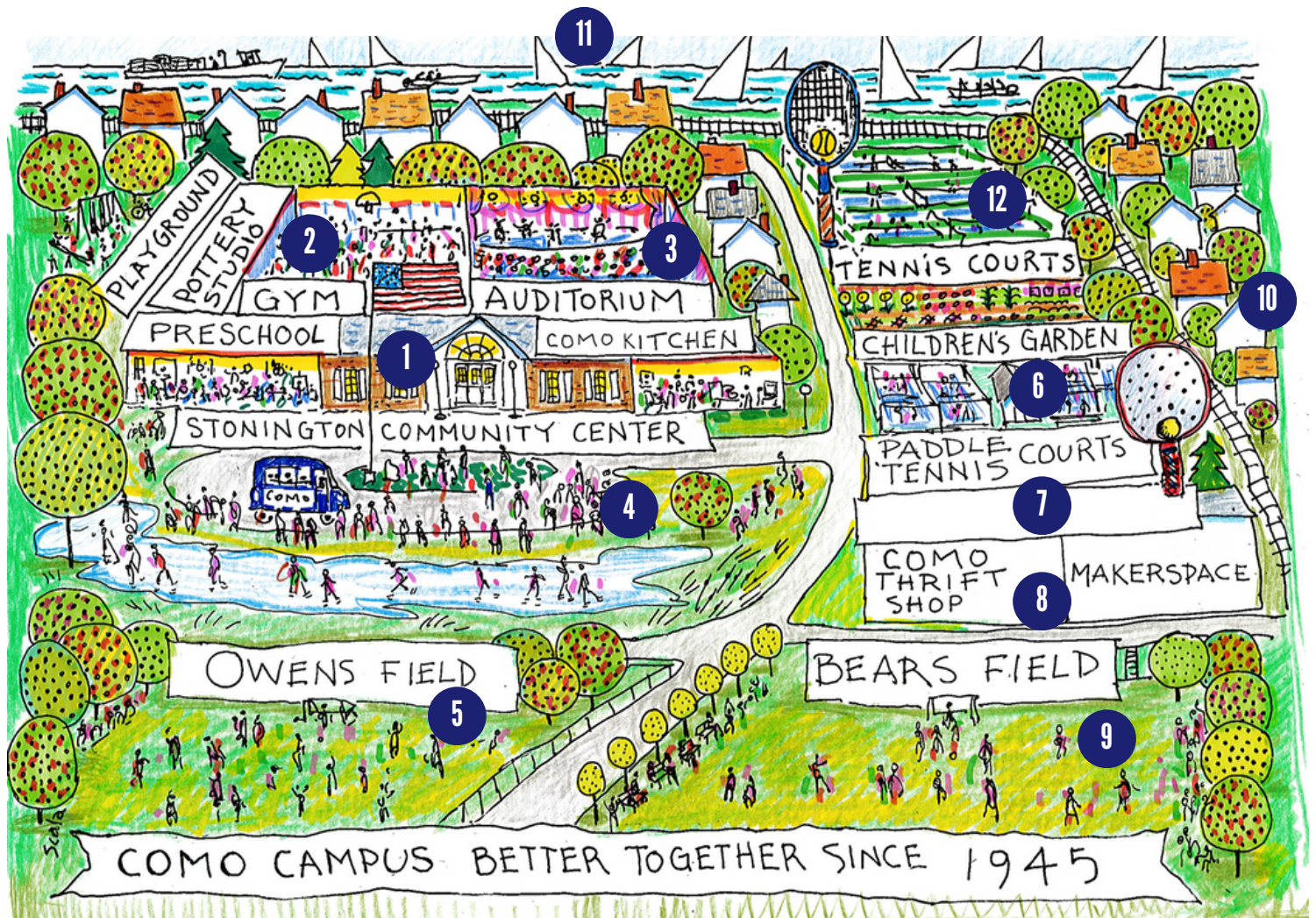
8. Thrift Store & Makerspace: Our makerspace offers innovative camps that encourage STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, and math) exploration.

9. Bear's Field: Learn a new sport, be active and make new friends on one of two fields!

10. Stonington Borough: Our idyllic community sets the scene as we explore the Borough in addition to local fields trips!

11. duBois Beach: Soak up the fun at the beach with friends!

12. Tennis Courts: Four DecoTurf courts to play on!



**Take a peek at the summer fun campers will have at Camp COMO! Full STEAM Ahead sessions are led by STEAM Director Victoria Witte and COMO Athletics Experiences are led by Athletic Director TJ Faeth and specialized coaches/instructors.**

**CAMP COMO DAY CAMP: GROUP 1 WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7-9 a.m.	Before Care				
9-10 a.m.	Arrival & Morning Meeting	Arrival & Morning Meeting	Arrival & Morning Meeting/Snack	duBois Beach: Splash, Investigate, & Play	Arrival & Morning Meeting
10-11 a.m.	Borough Excursion	COMO Racquet Experience	10:30 Full STEAM Ahead: Makerspace Masters		Hike & Seek: Exploring Local Preserves
11-12 p.m.		Outdoor Classroom: Pond Exploration	Summer in the Spotlight		
12-1 p.m.	Picnic Lunch				
1-2 p.m.	Playground Pursuits	duBois Beach: Splash, Investigate, & Play	Playground Pursuits	Outdoor Classroom: Pond Exploration	Green Thumbs: Garden Time
2-3 p.m.	Summer in the Spotlight		COMO Athletics Experience	Counselor's Corner	Culinary Creations: Cooking in the Kitchen
3-4 p.m.	Green Thumbs: Garden Time		Craft Club	Cym Games Galore	Play the Field: Field Games & More
4-6 p.m.	After Care				

**CAMP COMO DAY CAMP: GROUP 2 WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7-9 a.m.	Before Care				
9-10 a.m.	Arrival & Morning Meeting	duBois Beach: Splash, Investigate, & Play	Arrival & Morning Meeting	Arrival & Morning Meeting	Arrival & Morning Meeting
10-11 a.m.	Green Thumbs: Garden Time		Counselor's Corner	Outdoor Classroom: Pond Exploration	Hike & Seek: Exploring Local Preserves
11-12 p.m.			11:15 Full STEAM Ahead: Makerspace Masters	COMO Racquet Experience	
12-1 p.m.	Picnic Lunch				
1-2 p.m.	Playground Pursuits	Craft Club	COMO Athletics Experience	duBois Beach: Splash, Investigate, & Play	Playground Pursuits
2-3 p.m.	Green Thumbs: Garden Time	Play the Field: Field Games & More	Playground Pursuits		Green Thumbs: Garden Time
3-4 p.m.	Outdoor Classroom: Pond Exploration	Counselor's Corner	Summer in the Spotlight		Culinary Creations: Cooking in the Kitchen
4-6 p.m.	After Care				

**CAMP COMO DAY CAMP: GROUP 3 WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7-9 a.m.	Before Care				
9-10 a.m.	Arrival & Morning Meeting	duBois Beach: Splash, Investigate, & Play	Arrival & Morning Meeting	Arrival & Morning Meeting	Arrival & Morning Meeting
10-11 a.m.	COMO Racquet Experience		9:30 Full STEAM Ahead: Makerspace Masters	Green Thumbs: Garden Time	Hike & Seek: Exploring Local Preserves
11-12 p.m.	Green Thumbs: Garden Time		10:15 Play the Field: Field Games & More	Culinary Creations: Cooking in the Kitchen	
12-1 p.m.	Picnic Lunch				
1-2 p.m.	Borough Excursion	Outdoor Classroom: Pond Exploration	COMO Athletics Experience	duBois Beach: Splash, Investigate, & Play	Outdoor Classroom: Pond Exploration
2-3 p.m.		Playground Pursuits	Playground Pursuits		Counselor's Corner
3-4 p.m.		Craft Club	Cym Games Galore		Summer in the Spotlight
4-6 p.m.	After Care				

# MAKE THIS SUMMER TRULY UNFORGETTABLE!

**COMO enrichment camps allow you to build and customize a camp experience tailored to your child's interests!**

## CHOOSE FROM:



**MAKER CAMP**



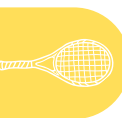
**POTTERY ART CAMP**



**AI3 BASKETBALL SKILLS ACADEMY**



**SPORTS CAMP**



**SUMMER YOUTH TENNIS**



Learn more and  
register online at:  
[thecomoo.org/summer](http://thecomoo.org/summer)

Stonington Community Center, Inc.  
28 Cutler Street  
Stonington, CT 06378  
860.535.2476  
[www.thecomoo.org](http://www.thecomoo.org)

[Facebook.com/StoningtonCOMO](https://www.facebook.com/StoningtonCOMO)  
[Instagram.com/Stonington\\_COMO](https://www.instagram.com/Stonington_COMO)

COMO  
**CamP:US**  
where summer happens.

