

Northampton County Junior Conservation School, Inc.

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NCJCS is a weeklong residential environmental education experience which is provided in partnership with Department of Conservation and Natural Resources at Jacobsburg Environmental Education Center and with generous support by the Northampton County 4-H Center Board and many donors and supporters.

Tentative Schedule of Events July 16th through 22nd, 2023

SUNDAY, JULY 16, 2023

- 11:00- Registration and Check In
- 12:00- Welcome and Orientation
- 12:45 - Safety and First Aid
- 1:15- Action/Socialization Experiences
- 2:15- Program Intro. /Journaling
- 4:00- Class Photo
- 4:30- Dinner
- 5:45- Conservation Issue Sessions
 - Session 1 - Water Conservation
 - Session 2- Habitat in the Backyard
 - Session 3- ReUse it/RePurpose it
- 7:00- Climate Change Discussion
- 9:00- Processing

MONDAY, JULY 17, 2023

- 6:15- Wake Up; Breakfast @ 6:45
- 7:15- Depart for Little Gap
- 8:00- Ecology of the Kittatiny Ridge
- 9:00- A Lesson in Air Quality
- 12:00- Lunch at 4-H
- 1:00- Stream Ecology @ JACO
- 2:30- Forest Ecology
- 4:30- Return to 4-H Center
- 4:45- Dinner at 4-H
- 5:45- Trapping Perspectives
- 6:30- PA Game Commission
- 8:15- Processing

TUESDAY, JULY 18, 2023

- 6:30- Wake Up; Breakfast @ 7 AM
- 8:30- WM Grandcentral Grasslands
- 10:00- Wetlands @ Bear Swamp
- 11:00- Lunch at 4-H
- 12:00- Depart for Water Safety Site
- 1:00- Boater Water Safety Instruction
- 4:00- Return to 4-H
- 6:00- Dinner at 4-H Center
- 8:15- River Trip Preparation
- 9:00- Processing

WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 2023

- 6:00- Wake Up; Breakfast @ 6:30 AM
- 7:00- Canoe Launch Site
- 7:30- Reflections of the River
- 11:45- Lunch (on the River)
- 6:00- Dinner 4-H
- 7:00- Family Night Prep
- 8:15- Campfire/Night Hike

THURSDAY, JULY 20, 2023

- 7:00- Breakfast
- 8:00- Jacobsburg Service Project
- 12:00- Return to 4-H
- 12:30- Lunch at 4-H
- 5:00- Dinner at 4-H
- 6:00- PFBC
- 6:30- Trout Unlimited/DRSFA
- 7:30- Society, Politics, and Conservation
- 9:00- Processing

FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2023

- 6:30- Wake Up; Breakfast @ 6:45 AM
- 7:30- Depart for Chrin Landfill Tour
- 10:15- Sustainable Ag Tour
- 11:30- NCCD/Plainfield Twp. Bldg
- 1:15- Lunch at 4-H
- 2:30- ?????Steel Stacks/Bethlehem
- 3:30- Personal Action and Commitment
- 5:30- Dinner at 4-H
- 6:30- Family Night Preparations
- 9:30- Processing

SATURDAY, JULY 22, 2023

- 6:30- Wake up; Breakfast @ 6:45 AM
- 7:45- Shooting Sports Pentathlon
- 11:30- Lunch at Keystone
- 1:00- Sun Ceremony/Dear NCJCS
- 3:00- Family Night Preparations
- 6:00- FAMILY NIGHT DINNER/BBQ
- 7:30- Group Presentations/Recognition
- 9:30- Camp Dismissed

Individuals must be between the ages of 13 to 17 years of age to participate in this program. There is a fee for this program.

NCJCS, Inc. is a 501(c) 3 - Non-Profit Organization - Which relies on the support of volunteers and the financial contributions of individuals, businesses and organizations.

For more information about the Northampton County Junior Conservation School, or to request an application form, please Call Andrew Curtis, NCJCS Director at (215) 679-0259 or email acurtis@ncjcs.org.