This summer Rec Plus school age childcare will be running a SUMMER SAMPLER! Each location will be participating in a variety of fun summer themed weeks. Rec Plus aims to offer participants an array of themes so your child can get a taste of everything! Theme weeks will incorporate 1-2 activities per day, the rest of the day will be filled with site specific plans.

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### Locations Available

- **Armatage**: 2500 W 57th St.
- **McRae**: 906 E 47th St
- **Fuller**: 4802 Grand Ave. S
- **Northeast**: 1530 Johnson St NE
- **Harrison**: 503 N Irving Ave.
- **Sibley**: 1900 E 40th St
- **Hiawatha School Park**: 4305 E 42nd St
- **Waite**: 1810 34th Ave NE
- **Kenwood**: 2101 W Franklin Ave
- **Webber**: 4401 N Bryant Ave
- **Lake Nokomis**: 2401 E Minnehaha Pkwy
- **Windom NE**: 2251 Hayes St NE
- **Matthews**: 2318 29th Ave S

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Rec Plus 2021
Summer Sampler Theme Descriptions

Week 1: [We’ve Got Spirit, How ‘Bout You?] June 14th-18th
We have spirit, yes, we do, we have spirit, how about you?! Come join us for a fun, competitive week filled with cooperative group games, challenges, and art competitions among other parks. Who has the best park? During Summer of 2021, we will find out!

Getting kids to engage in the outdoors is healthy and fun! During this week we will have 5 days of outdoor activities that introduce kids to a variety of nature related topics. They will be biologists learning about the different habitats, animals and insects that live in their cities. Join us this week and learn, laugh, and most importantly have fun.

Week 3: [Around the World in 5 Days] June 28th-July 2nd
Have fun exploring with baking and cooking recipes from around the world. Listen and dance to music from other countries. Learn to say hello and goodbye in several languages. We will do crafts daily that represent many cultures.

Week 4: [Moovin’ and Groovin’] July 6th-9th
Does your child enjoy sports? Do they enjoy games? In this themed week we will be doing group games as well as individual challenges. These activities will work on athleticism as well as team building skills. Team based sports? Individualized themed athletics? Activities will range from world cup soccer to badminton, big ball volleyball to gaga ball, and kickball to capture the flag.

Week 5: [Color EXPLOSION!] July 12th-16th
A rainbow of messy, bright, gooey, and delicious activities, games and projects await you at Rec Plus this week! Come see what all the bursts are about! And remember...colors don’t always have to do with arts and crafts.

Week 6: (H20 Fun!) July 19th-23rd
Stay cool with a weeks’ worth of easy, fun water activities. Play games...drip drop drip, sponge relay race, sponge toss. Make your own giant bubbles, play on a Slip and Slide, swim in the wading pool, create water crafts, underwater creatures and much more.

Week 7: [Fun-o-lympics!] July 26th-30th
Do you enjoy watching the Olympics? There will be numerous Olympic challenges that are adapted to be kid-friendly no matter your age or athletic ability. This is a great themed week for the kids to have fun, receive medals, and participate in various events. Not only will the kids make memories, but it will also be loaded with fun for all kids while both participating and cheering on their fellow Olympians.

Week 8: [AweSTEM Week!] August 2nd-6th
Does your child like Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math? Do they like to experiment? Are they creators, problem solvers, innovators, and inventors? Then STEM week is the week for you. We will explore different ideas that will intrigue children of all ages. Children will be hands on as they problem solve their way through many fun activities.

Week 9: [Cardboard Creation] August 9th-13th
With so many at home deliveries lately, cardboard is in no short supply. How many remember being a kid and finding the cardboard box more interesting than the item that came in it? You may have blasted to space or were a knight guarding a castle. With just some scissors and tape, there was nothing stopping the imagination and creativity. Come join us this week as we reuse cardboard and teach the kids endless ways to let their creativity flow.

Week 10: (Brickz 4 Kidz) August 16th-20th
Get your creative minds flowing. We will focus on LEGO competitions, engineering, and building. Create mock images from around the world out of blocks, build castles, experiment safely with hammers & nails and much more!

Week 11: [Once Upon a Time] August 23rd-27th
Let’s use our imagination and have some fantasy fun. Let’s use our skills to mine some craft. Let’s have them navigate through dungeons. We can even learn a few spells from Hogwarts. During this themed week we will have craft projects, obstacle challenges, and team activities for everyone to work and play together. Let’s not let this moment of our imagination go to waste!!