

Lincoln Caverns Kid's Cave Kamp 2017

Your Ticket to Hands on Fun & Adventure

GEOLOGY ROCKS	TROGLO WHO?	WATER WISDOMS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fossil Fanatics Learn the secrets of the ages with fossils, games & activities plus a fossil craft to take home! • Not Just Jurassic Where have all the dinosaurs gone? Dig into the past to find out with great games & activities. • Rocks Rocks All about the fascinating world of rocks & minerals with games & experiments! • Snack Break (Provided) • Fossil Hunt – Search Lincoln Caverns' own Fossil Pile for a fossil to take home. • Create a Rock, Fossil or Dinosaur craft to take home.(ALL AGES) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Batty About Bats – Why are bats so important? How can we protect them? Games & activities answer these questions and more! • Where Am I? Kampers learn about the cave habitat and find out which animals live in the different zones of a cave. Working with range maps & a habitat game round out the fun! • Troglo Who? Find out what it takes for creatures to survive underground, their amazing adaptations and dependency on each other. • Snack Break (Provided) • Make a Bat or Cave Craft to take home. (ALL AGES) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Out of Sight, Out of Mind: When water disappears underground most of us forget where it has gone. Investigate where water travels as it moves underground! • What Goes Down Must Come UP: Discuss groundwater, erosion, runoff, and pollution with a fun soil experiment. Create a poster about water. • Snack Break (Provided) • Take Recycling and Reusing to a new level with a craft project using either a recycled water bottle or soda can. (ALL AGES)
'CAVING' DAY		CLOSING DAY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sinking Into Karst Hands on experiments and group activities enable students to 'see' how caves formed, and how karst landscape developed. (Explorers) • Junior Cave Explorer Workshop Learn 'caving basics,' then suit up with helmet and knee pads like a real spelunker and practice real caving moves using a caverns' squeezebox! (Explorers) • Design a Cave Craft for home. (Explorers) • ADVENTURE CAVING for Adventurers & Trailblazers. Travel to an unimproved cave in the area – ideal for first time 'cavers.' (Some special clothing and signed liability release will be required.) SPECIAL ALL DAY SESSION FOR GRADES 6,7,8,9 • Snack Break (Provided) 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPECIAL 90 Minute Interpretive Tour of LINCOLN CAVERNS & WHISPER ROCKS – two beautiful crystal caverns. • TREASURE HUNT TOUR for Explorers, SCAVENGER HUNT TOUR for Adventurers, and NEW BLACKLIGHT ADVENTURE for Trailblazers! • Domino's Pizza Lunch (included) • Pan for Real Gems Each participant receives a bag of rough mineral mix to pan for gems in Lincoln Caverns' sluice. • Gift Shop Visit – Raystown Country's largest gift shop features books, rocks & minerals, logo merchandise, bat merchandise and many more kid friendly items. • CLOSING CEREMONIES

****Please Note:** Each year we make every attempt to vary activities so children gain a well-rounded knowledge of the different sciences involved in speleology. Many of our kampers return each year to experience new and different activities from the year before.

Above is an Example Schedule of the activities we may have planned.

INCLUDES ALL THIS: All Sessions Listed Craft Materials Educational Materials
 Interpretive Tour of Lincoln Caverns & Whisper Rocks
 Panning for Gems Games & Activities Special KIDS CAVE KAMP T-SHIRT
 Nutritious Snacks first three days Pizza Lunch on Closing Day
 Individual & Group Photos
ALL ACTIVITIES ARE TENTATIVE and will vary for each age level.
All sessions are conducted by experienced adult staff.