SUMMER CAMPS AND RESPITES

Camp Fish Tales
Pinconning, MI
989-879-5199
http://www.campfishtales.org
  • Camps for physically impaired children and adults

Camp Geneva
Holland, MI
616-399-3150
http://www.campgeneva.org
  • Special needs campers are integrated with other campers
  • Day camp is offered for children in grades 1-4 and overnight camp for grades 5+

Camp Manitou-Lin
Middleville, MI
888.909.2267
http://www.gymca.org/camp/
  • Offers day camps and overnight camps
  • Financial aid available

Camp Roger
Rockford, MI
616.874.7286
http://camproger.org
  • Three day, Five day and Eight day Camps
  • Program for campers with special needs

Cran-Hill Ranch
Rodney, MI
231-796-7669
http://www.cranhillranch.org
  • Friendship Camp for older campers (15+) who are mentally or cognitively impaired
  • Must be independently mobile

Indian Trails Camp
Grand Rapids, MI
616.677.5251
http://indiantrailscamp.org/
  • Offers Summer Sessions, Scholarships Available
  • Accepts campers with a wide range of disabilities
  • Respite weekends in the spring and fall

Mary Free Bed Sports Camp
Allendale, MI
616-840-8356
sports@maryfreebed.com
  • July 25-29, 2016
  • For children who require the use of a wheelchair ages 7-18 year olds

Spring Hill Camps
Evart, MI
231.734.2616
http://www.springhillcamps.com
  • Weekly camps & area day camps
  • Inclusion program (one camper to one counselor – must call for availability)
  • Financial aid available

The Fowler Center
Mayville, MI
989-673-2050
http://www.thefowlercenter.org
  • Respite weekends September-April
  • Camps for children with various needs
  • Camp Barefoot for adults with TBI
  • Life TREX for ages 14-27 diagnosed with ASD
RECREATIONAL & THERAPEUTIC ACTIVITIES

ACT (formerly VSA)
http://artistscreatingtogether.org
• Art and creative expression programming

Aerials Gymnastics Center
http://www.aerialsgymgr.com
• Gymnastics class for children with special needs on Monday evenings

Bright Beginnings
http://www.kentisd.org/instructional-services/early-childhood/bright-beginnings/
• Drop-in playgroups for children pre-kindergarten

Celebration Cinema North
https://celebrationcinema.com/sensoryshowtimes
• Sensory Showtimes make movies extra welcoming to guests with special needs

Comprehensive Therapy Center
http://therapycenter.org
• Therapy and Fun Clinics
• Family Workshops

Dreams and Wings
http://dreamsandwings.us
• Offers motivational and life-changing experiences to special needs children and youth through aviation

Equestrian Therapy
• Equest Center
  http://www.equestcenter.org/
• Kent Special Riding Program
  http://www.kentspecialridingprogram.com
• Karin’s Horse Connection
  http://www.karinshorses.com

Experience Grand Rapids
• Official website For Grand Rapids Family Fun

Family Hope Foundation
http://familyhopefoundation.org
• Support for families with a special needs child
• Sponsors sensory shows at Celebration Cinema

Gymco Sports
http://www.gymco.com
• Gymnastics to increase coordination, auditory processing, cognition and social skills

Hearts for the Arts
www.hearts4thearts.com
• Art Therapy classes for all ages and abilities

Kentwood Parks & Recreation
http://www.ci.kentwood.mi.us/recreation/inclusiveprograms.asp
• Archery, Bowling, Bocce League, Wheelchair Tennis, Swimming Lessons...and more
• Not limited to Kentwood residents

Living Life Dance
http://www.artsinmotionstudio.org/
• Dance Classes

Mary Free Bed Adaptive Sports
http://www.maryfreebed.com/sports
• Spring and summer programs for those with little/no cognitive delay
• Wheelchair sports
• Bikes for the Rest of Us – Explore adaptive bikes on April 23, 2016. Appointment is required.

VIP (Very Important Player) Soccer (AYSO)
http://www.ayso.org/For_Families/AYSO_Soccer_Programs/VIP.htm
• For children with physical or mental disabilities
• Click on “Find Your Local Program” to send an email for programs near you

(This list is not meant to be exhaustive.)