Past, Present, & Future Fun!

Camp Colosseum

(June 11-15, 8:30am-2:30pm, grades 1-7, \$435)

Explore the culture, people, history, and ideas of the powerful empires of ancient Egypt, Greece, and Rome. Write in hieroglyphs, mummify a chicken using a mysterious mummification recipe, and learn about the "Weighing of the Heart Ceremony". Find out how cats were treated in the Egypt of the pharaohs, especially the orange ones. Learn about the mythical gods, and create your own diety with special powers.

Replay the Olympic Games and clean a 2,000-year-old Roman coin. Hear stories of the Roman Emperors, and learn who was benevolent and who was a tyrant. Then be a "20 Minute Emperor" to decide what kind of ruler you will be. Learn about the fiery destruction of Pompeii and touch a real lava rock. Understand the battle of Troy, why Roman soldiers marched in a Phalanx formation, and why you would not want to be a Gladiator. Walk like an Egyptian, eat like a Greek, and more!



Toy Maker's Workshop

(June 18-22, 8:30am-2:30pm, grades 1-7, \$435)

Immerse yourself in our toy maker's workshop as you design and engineer your own toys and games. Launch Gyroscopic Whirligigs from your fingertips and see how long they can spin. Get creative and write your own rules as you invent and play an original board game. Use your knowledge of science and motion to create propeller cars, sculptures that walk, and robots that jump rope. See physics in action as your Gravity Gizmo rolls away all by itself. Find out what Newton's Cradle is and how it works like magic. Think you are good at following directions? We will find out when you attempt the Mystery Toy Challenge. Sculpt an Oogey Boogey machine that can't believe its eyes. Make a wind-up toy butterfly, hide it inside a card and see what happens when someone special opens it. Can you develop a Jumping Bug that leaps higher than all the rest? Challenge someone to a match on your mini foosball table and try for a high score on your shoebox pinball machine. Don't forget to put everything into your handmade toy box when you're done. Your DIY Extending Toy Grabber should help you do the job.

