

CAMP PANTHER 2022

"LEARNING TODAY FOR SUCCESS TOMORROW"



Help support a three-week fun & learning summer camp with an emphasis on reading, writing, and enrichment activities.

June 5th through 24th, 2022



At the Chamber of Commerce, our goal is to connect our business owners with the community in an effective way where we ALL benefit.

The Litchfield CUSD #12 is offering 5 levels of sponsorships for their upcoming "Camp Panther 2022." The camp is free for registered students to attend. Litchfield CUSD #12 will provide both breakfast and lunch, as well as transportation.

As a reward to students, Camp Panther 2022 would like to offer incentives that celebrate their hard work! Students will have the opportunity to earn "Panther Bucks" that they can use to "cash in" on awards!

In return, the sponsors can expect several marketing and promotional opportunities! Most of all, we get the opportunity to invest in the children of Litchfield.

Sponsors can choose to donate items or choose a monetary amount for the District to purchase such items as iPads, bicycles and local family night outings! You can select your donation at one of the amounts shown below or an amount of your choosing. \$50 \$100 \$150











Please Mail Checks by April 8, 2022

Litchfield Pre K
Attention: Adam Favre
Camp Panther
601 S. State Street
Litchfield, IL 62056

The Litchfield School District will once again be offering Camp Panther for summer of 2022 . This year's theme will be Around the World and we will offer 3 intense weeks of literacy and enrichment for students Pre Kindergarten through 4° grade.

We appreciated your support last year and hope our Chamber of Commerce members would be willing to support us again. We also know that some of you may not have been able to participate last year or wanted to know more about our program and to see how it went so we have provided some information from last years camp below.

Last year our camp served 106 students. We also received \$2,300 in sponsorship from the following Chamber members:

These funds were used to purchase a total 10 bikes and helmets (girl and boy bike for each grade level) 2 Apple ipads with/gift cards, cases, and screen covers. We were also able to purchase several gift cards to a wide variety of local restaurants, as well as family passes to Milnot Beach. Our goal with these prizes was to encourage student attendance and participation as well as provide prizes that were either useful, kept students active, or brought our families into our local restaurants and recreation facilities.

Goals for This Year and Chamber Member Participation.

Our goal this year is to raise \$3000 and to target the funds to purchase some similar prizes.

Beth Cherry will share with you the "sponsorship levels" as we did last year and we will continue to provide the social media "thank you's" as donations are received and the social media mentions when the prizes are provided at the end of camp.

In addition to monetary sponsorships, we would also welcome gift card "sponsorships" from our local restaurants. We are taking monetary donations and purchasing "family meals" at our local establishments. If this makes better fiscal sense for your establishments, we would welcome these as well. Please keep in mind we are targeting amounts that allow for "family dining."

Community Partnerships

In addition to partnering with you as Chamber members, we have also partnered with YMCA out of Edwardsville and with U of I Extension out of Hillsboro. We are paying YMCA to come in and provide enrichment activities and also to build that relationship for potential future community endeavors. This work is separate from their initiatives with Litchfield Unlimited and the proposed local YMCA facility. That said, we saw this as an opportunity to build awareness and to give a preview of some of the good things YMCA can offer our community.

Our partnership with the Extension continues from the school year. U of I Extension offers Ag in the Classroom throughout the school year and also offers 4-H programming out of Hillsboro.

Please feel free to contact us directly regarding this summer program in one of the following ways: Email:

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Adam Favre @ Litchfield Pre K – (217)324-3514

