

Dear Families,

It is that time of year for Minekill to start again. We will start Monday July 5th through Thursday July 28th. We are only going four days a week, Monday through Thursday. **There will be no Minekill on Fridays.** If the days change I will let you know. Hours will be from 11:00-3:00, children that leave before 3:00 will have to be picked up by a parent/guardian or a note to leave with someone else. If we have bad weather while at Minekill, and have to leave early we will come back to Prattsville and drop off at the regular bus stops. If you are not at home during the day please have other arrangements for your child. The bus will pick up at 10:30 and be back around 3:20. Bus pick-ups are at the Agway store and the trailer park entrance.

Your child will need to bring a bag lunch, until we know what will be offered at the snack bar. We will eat lunch as a group everyday. We do not recommend use of the lockers. We put all our things together in one central location. We cannot be responsible for any lost or stolen property at the pool.

Behavior issues:

1. Your child is expected to participate in swimming lessons, refusal to do so will result in them being told that they are no longer able to attend.
2. Foul language, fighting and bad behavior and refusal to follow pool and counselor rules will not be tolerated. Your child will receive a warning for the first offense, a phone call home on the second offense and will be removed from the program on the third offense.

Responsibilities of your child:

Each child needs to have a towel, swimsuit and sunscreen clearly labeled with their name. Please apply sunscreen before your child leaves each day. We will have them reapply sunscreen after we eat lunch.

Please encourage your child to reapply throughout the day. If your child is prone to sunburn, **please** purchase a swim shirt for them to wear in the pool. If your child has swim shoes, they may want to bring them because the bottom of the pool is very rough.

Children will not be permitted to stay after lessons or ride home with someone else, unless they have

written parental permission. **If you are picking up your child you must come and see me before taking them.**

If your child has passed all swimming levels we will be asking them to help with the children who may need help during lessons or helping to take younger children in and out of the locker rooms.

It is not the responsibility of the counselors to keep track goggles and money. If you send money in that you would like us to hold on to for your child, please put in a clearly marked ziplock bag. PLEASE NO TOYS!

The Prattsville Summer Recreation Program will begin on **Monday July 5th and end on Thursday July 29th.**

You may fill out the form and send it back to school with your child by **Monday June 8th.** (Please have them bring it to Mrs. Haight)

Your child must meet the following requirements to be able to participate in the program.

1. Child must have a parent or grandparent who is a resident of Prattsville.
2. Non residents will be eligible, providing there is room. There is a fee of \$300.00.
3. Children must have completed Kindergarten.

4. Children registered must start by the beginning of the second week (unless otherwise approved by the director).

If you have any questions or concerns you may contact me a work 607-588-7541 or at 607-434-3283.

Thank you,

Robin Haight