



Beyond the Badge Summer Camp

What is the Beyond the Badge Summer Camp? Beyond the Badge Summer Camp is an opportunity for ages 9-15 to learn about the Columbia County Sheriff Office and First Responders. This will be an action packed summer camp! The week schedule will be available as Summer Camp approaches.

Who can attend? Ages 9 to 15 years old and be Columbia County resident. This camp will be limited to 30 campers.

Where & When is the Camp?

Richardson Sixth Grade Academy at 646 SE Pennsylvania St. Lake City, FL 32025
Dates of camp are Monday July 27th- Friday July 31st.
Camp times are 8:30 am until 3:30 pm

What does Summer Camp consist of? Summer Camp activities will be staffed by the Columbia County Sheriff's Office Deputies who will be interacting with your camper daily. Activities include law enforcement demos that may include working a crime scene and fingerprinting, K9, SWAT, DIVE, etc. along with learning about First Aid, having Guest Speakers and becoming familiar with the first responder field. Fieldtrip tours may include tours of the Courthouse and Jail, CCSO Operations Building, FGC Training Facility, etc.

How much does Summer Camp cost? Summer camp is free to Columbia County residents.

What does my camper need each day? Campers MUST wear closed toe shoes each day. No Flipflops/Crocs/Sandals will be allowed. Campers are encouraged to eat breakfast at home but a light breakfast will provided each day as well as lunch and snacks. Campers may pack their lunch each day if they choose as menu will be made available the first day of camp.

How to submit your application? You or your teen may turn in their attached application to your school's front desk, School Resource Deputy, or to the Columbia County Sheriff's Office.

When will I be notified? Due to the anticipated amount of applications that will be received, applications will be reviewed and you will be contacted by a camp representative the week before camp begins. You will be contacted to confirm your teen's spot in camp.

Please retain this copy for your information!

Beyond the Badge Summer Camp Application

MONDAY JULY 27th- FRIDAY JULY 31st

Camper Name: _____

Address: _____

Sex: Male/Female Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Adult T-shirt Size: _____

Current School: _____ Current Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Please list all health concerns, limitations, or restrictions and medications for your camper:

Emergency Contacts:

Name: _____ Phone number: _____

Name: _____ Phone number: _____

Please list any person other than the parent or guardian listed above to pick up the camper?

RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I (parent/guardian) _____ hereby acknowledge that I am the parent or guardian of (camper) _____. In consideration for my minor child participating in the Columbia County Sheriff's Office Beyond the Badge Summer Camp, I hereby agree that I will assume any and all risks resulting from the attendance and participation of my child at such functions and activities of the Summer Camp. I further release the Columbia County Sheriff's Office, its employees, volunteers, and participating agencies and their employees from any and all liability or claims, where for personal injury, death, or property damage resulting from the attendance and participation of my minor child at such functions and activities of the Summer Camp.

I further consent and authorize the Columbia County Sheriff's Office to transport my minor child to and from specified locations that the summer camp may be held at to include Operations building, FGC Olustee Training Center, Columbia County Courthouse and the Columbia County Jail and any other location within Columbia County that may be attributed to Beyond the Badge Summer Camp Program.

I further consent and authorize the Columbia County Sheriff's Office to make use of my minor's name or photographs and other likeness of the minor in newspapers, advertisements or on its website to promote its summer camp program.

Medical Clause: If I cannot be reached in the case of an emergency, I hereby give my permission to the physician/hospital selected by the Columbia County Sheriff's Office to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for my minor until I or my personal representative becomes available.

You minor will not be exposed to any dangers such as pepper spray, tasers, or live ammunitions but may be exposed to handcuffs, holding cells, interactive learning scenarios and training tools used in law enforcement.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Summer Camp Rules:

- Campers will adhere to the Rules and Regulations or will be dismissed from camp without review. Campers may not bring valuables to camp as the Columbia County Sheriff's Office will not be responsible for damaged, stolen or lost items. It is at the responsibility of the Camper as Staff will not hold or store these possessions.
- Campers will be required to wear closed toed shoes or tennis shoes each day. (No sandals/crocs.flip flops allowed)
- Campers MUST be signed in and out of Summer Camp by an adult. No drop offs allowed.

