Little Artshram's Third Annual

Summer Art-Farm Camp

at the Community Gardens in Traverse City!

Area children and youth have the opportunity to experience the magic of gardening, nature, and art this summer right in the heart of Traverse City. This is the third year that our Summer programs will take place at the Community Gardens near the historic barns of the old state hospital! And, this year we partner with the Artcenter Traverse City as a satellite program.

The Summer Art-Farm programs follow the Permaculture practice of carefully studying natural patterns, cycles, and diversities. The focus areas in our Art-Farm Camp programs are: food, water, shelter and community. The curriculum is a blend of art-making, organic gardening, natural building projects, nature awareness, and hikes on the Grand Traverse Commons grounds.

Children will grow cucumbers, popcorn, pumpkins, tomatoes, beans, cut flowers, and other crops in five garden plots. Other projects include: nature sketching and watercolor painting with guest artists from the Artcenter Traverse City, music-making and creating a "Sound-Garden", puppet and mask-making, storytelling, singing and performing weekly puppet-teach-ins, AND, end with a garden-picnic feast with our families!

Each weekly camp accommodates 25 children and young people with a staff of two-three adult artist facilitators and two assistants.

The Art-Farm Day Camps are offered, Monday through Friday, 10-3PM,

Art-Farm Teen Apprentices-training: June 18-22

Beehive Program (1st through 6th grade):
June 25-29
July 16-20
July 23-27
Aug. 6-10

Girls OUTLOUD! Week at the Art-Farm(ages 7 and older): **August 13-17**
(Series of Harvest and Putting the Garden to Bed Sat Workshops: tba in Sept/Oct)

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Little Artshram's SUMMER ART-FARM CAMP REGISTRATION:

The cost is $125.00 per week,

Early Birds Registration ---by May 15th: $99.00

Early Bees Registration---by June 1st: $115.00

Little Artshram also accepts 10% Bay Bucks, local currency towards camp cost.
We are a registered 501.c3 organization, and you are invited to "sponsor" a camper!

Please, circle your choice of Art-Farm Camp:

June 18-22 **June 25-29** **July 16-20** **July 23-27** **Aug. 6-10** **Aug. 13-17**

Name: _____ Age: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Parents/Guardians: _____

Fee enclosed (circle one): Early Bird-$99 Early Bee- $115 On-time Bug-$125

Companion Art-Gardener (Regular Bucks and Bay Bucks combo): $100.00/25 BB

We accept, checks, cash or Visa/Mastercard

Please make checks payable to: artcenter TRAVERSE CITY

Please include both your Credit Card Number & Expiration date:

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And, thank you for mailing this completed, registration form and camp fee to:

artcenter TRAVERSE CITY

Little Artshram's Summer Art-Farm Camp,
720 S. Elmwood,Traverse City, MI 49684

For more information about the Apprentice Program for teens, or,
the Summer Art-Farm Camps, contact:
the Artcenter at 231-941-9488 or, Penny at : 231-510-3491
visit us at: www.littleartshram.org

Little Artshram is an arts and environmental education organization that's served hundreds of children ages 5 through young adults, and their families, with classes, workshops, residency programs, and community-wide celebrations since 2000. *Our Mission: "Our work and play fosters alternative education through a unique combination of permaculture principles, visual, musical and puppet artistry, service to the natural world and inclusive social activism. We provide programs which inspire and educate people of all ages to live creatively and in harmony with nature."*