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## Vaudreuil-Dorion Summer Camps: Something for everyone

**Vaudreuil-Dorion, March 28, 2023** – The City of Vaudreuil-Dorion is pleased to inform its citizens that online registration for summer camps will begin at 6:00 p.m. on April 17th for thematic camp, and April 18th for *Animation Jeunesse* Camp.

As in the past, parents will be able to choose from a variety of camps in order to plan the best possible summer camp experience tailored to their children's needs and preferences, thanks to the week-by-week registration option. Before signing up, please make sure your Citizen's Card is valid.

First off, *Animation Jeunesse* will again offer its Family Support Camp to help parents by offering supervision before and after the regular day camp period, from June 26th to 30th and from August 14th to 18th, at the municipal arena (9 rue Jeannotte) and at the *Opticentre St-Jean-Baptiste* (145 boulevard Harwood).

*Animation Jeunesse* will also continue to offer its regular day camp and sports camps. Sports planned for this summer include basketball, dek hockey, rock climbing, skateboarding, soccer, tennis, ultimate frisbee and beach volleyball. Two new sports will be added to the program this year: flag football and circus arts. All of these camps will be supervised by qualified coaches from various local sport partners.

New this year: youths transitioning to high school will be allowed access to the Teen Club, intended for 12 to 15 year olds. Outings, special projects, various thematic workshops, bike trips and water-related activities will all be among the options offered.

For a second consecutive summer, *Animation Jeunesse* will again offer its citizenship program, which includes the Environmental Camp and Theatre Camp. The Environmental Camp, offered in collaboration with the Engineering and Environment Department, will address various issues such as natural environments, water protection, insects and waste management.

As for Theatre Camp, children will have the opportunity to learn about two styles of art: giant puppets and choir. Led by the *Théâtre de la Pièce cassée*, our young acting students will take part in the creation of scenes for the production of *Léonise Valois: Une histoire vraie, réinventée*, which will be presented on the evening of Saturday, July 29th, 2023, in the outdoor courtyard of the *Musée régional de Vaudreuil-Soulanges*.

Finally, other specialized camps will provide interesting options for children: thematic camps led by *L'Air en Fête* (astronomy, visual arts, magic, science, etc.), a gymnastics camp offered by Gymini, and a soccer camp offered in partnership with *FC Trois-Lacs*.

Please note that the park Playground program will not be offered this year. This initiative was created in 2020 to support families during the pandemic.

The camp brochure is now available on the City's website at [ville.vaudreuil-dorion.qc.ca](http://ville.vaudreuil-dorion.qc.ca). Please remember that *Animation Jeunesse* camps and theme camps are reserved for children residing in Vaudreuil-Dorion who are currently attending school and who will have completed their kindergarten for 5-year-olds in June 2023.