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HISTORIC DANIEL BOONE HOME DAY CAMP: A UNIQUE CHILDREN'S CAMP



ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MO – Children discover life on the frontier at St. Charles County Parks' Historic Daniel Boone Home Day Camp! Campers ages 10–17 journey back in time while participating in exciting activities from 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m., July 23–27, at The Historic Daniel Boone Home in Defiance.

This historical hands-on experience challenges participants to develop skills relevant to both the past and present. During this week-long adventure, campers get a real sense of what life was like on the frontier by participating in blacksmithing, fire-starting, journaling, soap making and much more! Campers also test their aim with tomahawk throwing, assist the carpenter with woodworking projects, explore the natural surrounds of the park,

and enjoy water games in the Femme Osage Creek.

Registration is \$150 per child, which covers all program material costs and a camp T-shirt. Lunch is not included; participants need to bring a sack lunch and snack. Call The Historic Daniel Boone Home at 636-798-2005 for questions or visit the St. Charles County Parks' website at stccparks.org to pre-register.

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About St. Charles County Parks & Recreation

The St. Charles County Parks & Recreation Department offers unique parks, diverse facilities and a broad range of programs and special events for all ages. The County currently operates 12 parks, including a Youth Activity Park and The Historic Daniel Boone Home. Veterans Tribute Park, our newest park development between Pitman Hill and Kisker roads is expected to open in 2018.

For more information and specifics about each park, visit www.stccparks.org.

About St. Charles County

Founded in 1812, St. Charles County is one of the fastest growing counties in Missouri, and the state's third largest county in both population and economic share. St. Charles County consistently ranks one of the healthiest places to live in Missouri in the County.

Health Rankings report published by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute. It is home to 12 scenic county parks encompassing more than 2,800 acres with additional land under development and more in reserve for future development.



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With a population of 385,840, St Charles County is home to large employers including Citi, MasterCard Worldwide, Boeing and General Motors. It is ranked among the top 25 counties in the nation in high-tech job growth by the Progressive Policy Institute and consistently has the lowest unemployment rate in the Metropolitan St. Louis area.

St. Charles County employs nearly 1,100 in more than 30 departments and offices, who work to make the county an excellent place to live, work and shop.

For more information, please visit www.sccmo.org.