

Santa Barbara County Animal Care Foundation's Camp

HOPE



Humane Outreach through Progressive Education

Two sessions for kids 9-12 years old

JUNE 15-19 and JULY 6-10, 2020

Week-long summer camp. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Santa Maria Animal Center. **Cost \$210 per youth**



Hands-on Learning



**Empowering youth
to make an
Active
Difference**



**How to secure an
application-**

Camp Applications and Financial Aid forms are available at the Santa Maria Animal Center and online at www.sbcanimalcare.org. Mail Camp applications & Financial Aid forms to:

SBCACF, P.O. Box 307, Santa Maria, CA. 93456.

Once applications and fees have been received. An e-mail or postal confirmation is provided.

**Human bonding
& enrichment**



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How we treat our companion animals reflects what we know and feel. Unintentional ignorance often leads to heartbreaking realities. Through public outreach the **SBC Animal Care Foundation** shares information with the community to help make more informed decisions for better tomorrows. Respect and responsibility are enhanced through increasing education, exposure and awareness. We help empower our County's youth by providing tools and education promoting the ethical treatment of all animals. **CAMP HOPE** is a week-long summer session held Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Santa Maria Animal Center. Kids ages 9-12 are eligible to participate. These fun and exciting camps introduce attendees to various hands-on learning modules that explore career and volunteer opportunities, basic pet responsibility, important life skills and a wide array of local animal issues.

The cost of Camp HOPE is \$210 per youth and includes all supplies. Space is limited to 36 campers per session. Advance registration is required and admission is on a first-come, first serve basis once registration and payment is received. All refunds must be requested no less than 30 days prior to the first day of camp for your session.

El CAMPO ESPERANZA es una sesión del verano que dura una semana de Lunes a Viernes de 9 a.m. hasta las 3 p.m. en el Centro de Animales de Santa María. Los niños de 9 a 12 años de edad pueden participar. El costo de CAMPO ESPERANZA es \$210 por niño y incluye todas las provisiones; Asistencia Financiera esta disponible. Se requiere la registración de antemano y el espacio esta limitado para solo 36 camperos por sesión. Las dos aplicaciones del Campamento y la Asistencia Financiera están disponibles en el Refugio de Animales, 548 West Foster Road.

Camp Activities

Laugh, Create and Learn as we explore a new perception about pets.

Campers will learn why shelters exist, how our pets communicate with us, what jobs pets can have, common challenges animals face, the basics of responsible pet care, safety, how pets enrich our lives, and how to make an active difference.

Campers will take action to improve the quality of life for shelter animals by making dog cookies, providing basic socialization and training techniques for shelter dogs, human bonding and enrichment as they read to shelter cats, and bunny socialization and handling techniques.

Creative ideas are encouraged as campers share important messages through expressive art: using a variety of art forms.

Camp HOPE is all about caring, teamwork and compassion. Camp HOPE offers a well-rounded opportunity for youth to learn, experience and share using a synergetic approach. Each child is valued as an individual and encouraged to be the best student and pet lover they can be.