How to apply?

Enrollment for Sea Camp is open to teens ages 13 to 18 (as of January 1, 2018) Preference is given to first-time campers (2018) in the Sea Camp program. Enrollment is based on first-come, first-served. The earlier your registration, is received the better your chances of being accepted. Space is limited!

To apply, fill out the registration forms found at: http://go.osu.edu/seacamp.

The $385 camp registration fee must accompany your application, health form, and waivers to reserve your spot. The registration fee covers all lodging, meals, supplies, charter boat trip and ferry boat fare. Applications accepted first-come, first-served and should be received by June 1st. Those applicants selected to attend Sea Camp will receive additional information by June 15, 2018.

Please send your check and application to:
Nationwide/Ohio Farm Bureau 4-H Center
Attn: Kayla Oberstadt
2201 Fred Taylor Drive
Columbus, OH 43210

Please make checks payable to: OSU Extension

For additional details, contact your 4-H Extension Educator or call Kayla Oberstadt 614-292-3758

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Kelleys 4-H Camp
Kelleys Island
July 7-11, 2018
Where and When?

The 2018 Ohio 4-H Sea Camp will be held July 7-11, 2018 at Kelleys Island 4-H Camp on Lake Erie.

**Put a Great Lake in your life this summer! Join us for the 35th annual Ohio 4-H Sea Camp!**

Ohio 4-H Sea Camp invites teens age 13-18 (as of January 1, 2018) from across Ohio to “get your feet wet” as you learn about one of Ohio’s most important resources: Lake Erie! You’ll be in, on and around the water as you explore the science of the lake, learn marine-related skills, and discover the history and recreational uses of our great lake.

Sea Campers will learn about safe boating in Ohio and have the opportunity to earn their Ohio Boater Education Certificate from the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (NASBLA approved).

At camp, you can...

Sea camp offers a variety of fun learning experiences including:

- Your choice of an all-day adventure on Lake Erie:
  - Fish on a full-day charter boat trip
  - Snorkel several Lake Erie ship wrecks
  - Conduct aquatic science activities at OSU Stone Lab and tour South Bass Island Aquatic Visitors Center
  - Paddle sea kayaks in Lake Erie
  - Sail and crew around the islands on a 35-foot sloop

- Learn fishing techniques
- Make your own fishing lures
- Shoreline fish for bass, perch and catfish
- Develop snorkeling skills
- Feast on the fish you catch
- Learn to sail
- Practice fish cleaning techniques
- Learn to navigate with GPS
- Study island geology and hunt for fossils
- Explore aquatic life in Lake Erie
- Learn water safety and rescue techniques
- Learn to operate power boats
- Design, build and paddle a cardboard boat
- Study astronomy and weather
- Swim in Lake Erie
- Have fun, hang out, dance, listen to music, and chill with other teens while learning more about one of Ohio’s greatest resources --- Lake Erie!