



# SCHOOL LIAISON PROGRAM NEWS



## Summer Events and Opportunities within the National Capital Region

1. **Charles County Public Schools** have **summer enrichment camps** for K to Grade 8, which will be held July 27 to 30, Mon - Thurs, 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. All sessions will be at North Point High School.
2. **King George County School** has Kindergarten screening on June 29, and July 20 –All day. Please contact the elementary school for information.
3. **Dahlgren** and **Indian Head Youth Centers** have daily and hourly summer camp openings. Contact the Youth Center at 540-653-8009 (DL) or 301-743-5456 (IH). Visit [militarychildcare.com](http://militarychildcare.com) to register.
4. **Dahlgren's Back to School Event** on Aug. 7, Parade Field. NSF Indian Head to be determined.
5. National **STEAM Festival** in DC on multiple dates. Free entry.
6. Visit the nearby parks for a family picnic, walk/hike and learn through exploration. Parks such as the **Rock Creek Park**, National Mall and Memorial Parks, Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park, Great Falls park, Prince William Forest Park, George Washington Memorial Parkway, and **the National Capital Parks-East**. Some parks are free and others require a pass.
7. Enjoy the July 4 celebration in Washington D.C. for the 250th Independence Day feature a host of events, highlighted by the National Independence Day Parade on the National Mall and the annual fireworks show over the Potomac River.
8. **Experience America's 250th Birthday at Washington, DC** with special events, cultural experiences and monumental moments through out the National Capital Region until the end of 2026.

**ENJOY THE UNFORGETTABLE MOMENTS WITH FAMILY CELEBRATING THE AMERICA 250 !!!**

### School year 2026-27 start dates:

1. **King George County**—11 Aug. Transition day for PK, K, 6 and 9 grades. 12 Aug. all students start
2. **Dahlgren School** –17 Aug.-All, 31 Aug. PreK
3. **Charles County**—24 Aug. PreK, 31 Aug. All



**CONGRATULATIONS  
2025-26 GRADUATES!**

### DID YOU KNOW...

•CCPS has summer play group for 3-5 years old. Visit [ccboe.com](http://ccboe.com).

•Military Family Life Counselor (MFLC) is available this summer at the Dahlgren Youth Center camp. Military families can take advantage of this free non-clinical counseling this summer

•Boys and Girls Club's Mission: Youth Outreach program provides free or reduced annual membership opportunities to military-connected dependents (5 -18 years old) of active -duty members along with Reserve and National Guard families to participate in community-based youth development programs at local Boys & Girls Clubs. Contact BGCA at [myo@bgca.org](mailto:myo@bgca.org) or visit [bgca.org/military](http://bgca.org/military) for more information.

### **.2026 NSASP Library Summer Reading Program**

Join the Dahlgren & Indian Head MWR Library with the summer reading program, **Plant a Seed, Read** from May 1-Aug. 31. By logging minutes read, participants earn cool prizes. Sign-up at **DOD MWR Library**. Contact 540-653-7474 (DL) & 301-744-4850 (IH) for more info.

*"Summer is the perfect chance to reset and recharge."*

*Anonymous*

Application for Dahlgren School's Expanded Eligibility Enrollment Option for military families living off-post stationed at Dahlgren is open. Start the registration process [here](#).

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