

# SPACE RACERS®



# About

## **About Space Racers®**

Space Racers follows Eagle, Robyn, Hawk, Starling, Raven and their fellow cadets as they explore the solar system and the universe. Headmaster Crane, Professor Coot and other faculty members of the Stardust Bay Space Academy guide the cadets on missions that cover heliophysics, earth science, planetary science and astrophysics among many science disciplines explained at a preschool level. The stunning CGI animation plus authentic sounds and images from outer space provided by NASA bring the richness of space and diversity of planetary landscapes, as well as the characters, vividly to life for young minds. Season Two, debuting on NBC Universal's Sprout November 2016, focuses on some important emotional issues including bullying and growing up with physical challenges, by introducing new Stardust Space Academy cadets like brash transfer student Kite, and young Merlin, a rocket born with one short wing. Space Racers Season One is currently available on Netflix and the characters are available via the Space Racers App for iTunes or Google Play (Android).

Space Racers is collaborating in a partnership with the U.S. Space & Rocket Center's Space Camp, to which NASA serves as technical and educational consultant pursuant to a cooperative agreement. The groundbreaking animated series introduces girls and boys to exciting, humorous tales of action & adventure in space, on Earth, and on other planets in our solar system, and inspires a new generation of future astronauts and scientists. Season two presents 40 new space adventures, bringing the total library to 90 across both seasons. Space Racers' first season is currently airing internationally in over 130 countries and 25 languages.

## **About Space Race, LLC**

Space Race, LLC, based in New York, is the global production company behind Space Racers and specializes in children's programming and educational entertainment. Space Racers honors include numerous awards including the American Public Television Programming Excellence Award, Parents Choice Awards and a Synopsis Imagination Award.

To learn more about Space Racers, visit <http://spaceracers.org>.

Space Racers! App on iTunes: [Space Racers!](#)

Space Racers songs on iTunes: [Sing with Us!](#)

# Quotes

## **Space Racers**

“We are proud to be working closely with the U.S. Space and Rocket Center’s Space Camp on this stellar launch campaign as we countdown to the premiere of Space Racers season two on Sprout,” says Space Racers’ Executive Producer Michael Matays.

## **Sprout**

“We’re excited to introduce Sprout viewers to Space Racers,” says Amy Friedman, SVP Programming & Development at Sprout. “The show taps into preschoolers’ endless curiosity about space. We think it will capture the imaginations of our audience and make a great addition to the Sprout family.”

## **Space Camp**

“Space Camp® and the U.S. Space & Rocket Center are thrilled to support Space Racers as it reaches a wider audience on Sprout,” Dr. Deborah Barnhart, Chief Executive Officer of the U.S. Space & Rocket Center said. “Space science is the perfect launch pad for inspiring curiosity and a love of learning in the next generation of explorers. We can’t wait to share the newest adventures of the Space Racers crew!”

To learn more about Space Racers, visit <http://spaceracers.org>.

To learn more about Sprout, visit <http://sproutonline.com>

To learn more about the U.S. Space & Rocket Center and Space Camp, visit: <http://rocketcenter.com>