

Parent Reminders

- Please leave messages at 508-325-4600. Messages are retrieved hourly when the office is not staffed. Administration is reachable by cellular phones at all times from the camp office. Cellular phone numbers are not published due to keeping the phone lines open.
 - Apply waterproof sunscreen on your child each morning, prior to his/her arrival at camp regardless of how the weather appears. Pack the labeled sunscreen in your child's backpack as he/she will be reminded at lunch time to reapply it. Some sort of hat is also strongly recommended.
 - Check that your child is wearing or has packed his/her sneakers everyday, as numerous activities require sneakers. Crocs are also recommended as they are easy to get on and off, to avoid shell injuries to feet.
 - Label "everything" you hope to see again and check the lost and found table weekly.
 - Always pack a sweatshirt.
 - Pack a raincoat when the forecast calls for rain. We often go to museums, etc.
 - Discuss lunches with your child and try to pack his/her favorite foods. Please try to send lunches not containing peanut products. Notify your child's counselor if your child is returning home with the majority of his/her lunch not eaten and we will assign him/her to lunch checks. Please do not pack any sort of glass containers. During certain weeks the camp will be peanut free due to camper allergies.
 - For families interested in carpooling, there will be a sign up sheet posted at camp
 - Camp T-shirts will be provided to all campers at no charge. Camp baseball caps are available for \$25. .
 - Vans depart at 9:30am. Please be prompt.
 - All of our staff are First Aid and CPR certified, with the majority holding lifeguard certification. In accordance with Massachusetts law, a criminal (including sexual offender check), has been performed on all staff prior to employment at the camp. Policies and resumes are available on request, for your review at the camp office.
 - Lyme disease can be prevented when detected early. It is necessary to read the literature on Lyme disease and inspect your child for ticks everyday. Literature is displayed at the camp base, which you are welcome to help yourself to.
 - Greg Hinson, M.D., at the Cottage Hospital is our camp's physician/consultant this summer. In order for any prescription medicine to be dispensed at camp, forms need to be completed and signed by parents and Dr. Hinson (See me for further details.)
 - If you are expecting summer guests; (cousins & friends), that you would like to have attend camp with your child/children, please reserve days as soon as possible as we have a daily maximum of five spaces, which fill up quickly! (Maximum; 3 days, per child). The camper guest rate is \$125. per day.
- Do not hesitate to bring any and all concerns to my attention, no matter how trivial they may seem. Please leave me an e-mail or a tel. message and I will follow up promptly.

Thank you for your cooperation!
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