

Spring 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians of Camp Northwoods,

I know that the snow is just beginning to melt, but at Camp Northwoods we have been thinking summer for quite some time. We have been busy planning new field trips and establishing new relationships that will assure an exceptional summer filled with safe fun.

I am excited to be returning to Camp Northwoods as the Director for 2020! Joining me this summer are some familiar faces and some new ones, too. The vast experience our staff, in conjunction with the beautiful backdrop and resources of Skidmore College, will make your child's summer one for the memory books.

Camping has always been a passion for me. From being a camper as a child, to running a camp as an adult, I have worked in every role imaginable. I believe that a summer camp should enrich a child's life and allow them to learn and have fun in a challenging yet rewarding environment.

We realize that your children are your number one priority and I want to assure you that at Camp Northwoods we are going to teach and inspire your children! Thank you for considering us, and feel free to reach out with any questions you may have. See you in the sun!

Health & Happiness,

Peter Carner, Director
Camp Northwoods
campnorthwoods@skidmore.edu



CAMP LOCATION

Camp Northwoods is based in Falstaff's Pavilion on the Skidmore College campus. Falstaff's Parking Lot is available to parents with a path leading through the woods to Falstaff's. Directions can be found on the Skidmore College website: www.skidmore.edu. Click on "About Skidmore" and then follow link to Directions.

CAMP HOURS

8:30am-5pm

Campers should be dropped off between 8:30 and 9am (unless there is a field trip and the camp staff instructs you otherwise). Please pick up your camper between 4:30 – 5pm. Camp closes at 5pm and there will be a penalty fee assessed for picking up your camper after that time: \$5 for the first 15 minutes; \$5 for every 5 minutes after 5:15pm. These payments are due at time of pick-up.

What to do if your child is absent:

In the event your child will be absent from camp or late to arrive, please notify Camp Northwoods by 8:45am. (On field trip days, the staff would appreciate you notifying them as early as possible.)

CAMP CONTACT INFORMATION

Prior to June 29 for inquires:

Office of Special Programs
Christine Merrill
Senior Program Coordinator
518-580-5593—phone
518.580.5548— fax
campnorthwoods@skidmore.edu







After June 29, if your child is currently enrolled in camp:

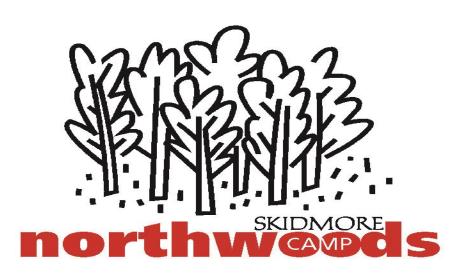
Camp Northwoods at Falstaff's Pavilion From off-campus 518-580-8116 From on-campus x8116 campnorthwoods@skidmore.edu www.skidmore.edu/camp_northwoods





2020

CAMP INFORMATION AND FORMS



MAKE SUMMER COUNT!

SESSION I June 29 - July 10

> SESSION II July 13 - 24

SESSION III July 27 - August 7

> SESSION IV August 10 - 14

Thank you again for registering your child for Camp Northwoods. We are looking forward to welcoming your camper to Skidmore in just a few weeks. This packet of information will help you and your child prepare for the first day of camp. If you have any questions, please let us know.

REQUIRED FORMS - DUE JUNE 1, 2020

Please complete the enclosed forms and return to our office on or before June 1st. Campers with incomplete forms will not be permitted to attend camp.

- Authorization for Medical Treatment Form and Camp Permission Form (blue card, both sides)
- Health History Form (gold form; include up-to-date immunization records)

MAIL COMPLETED FORMS (Due BY JUNE 1st) to:

Christine Merrill, Camp Northwoods, Skidmore College, Office of Special Programs, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

TUITION- PAID IN FULL BY MAY 8, 2020

Tuition must be **paid in full by May 8, 2020** (an invoice with your balance due and link to make your payment was emailed to you. Please contact our office if you did not receive your emailed invoice.)

DAILY SCHEDULE AND ACTIVITIES (subject to change)

8:30—9:00am	Opening Ceremonies and Orientation
9:00am—Noon	Art, Music, Nature, Recreation including Swim Lessons and Free Swim, Special Events and Snack
Noon—1:00pm	Lunch, Songs and Stories
1:00—4:30pm	Art, Music, Nature, Recreation, Special Events and Snack
4:30—5:00pm	Clean Up and Closing Ceremonies

- Swim Lessons are taught by a certified Water Safety Instructor in the Skidmore College Pool at the Williamson Sports Center.
- Nature Activities are designed to encourage an appreciation of the environment and ecology.
- Field Trips to area destinations will occur every week.

<u>UNITS</u>

Evergreens: Entering Grades 1 & 2
Redwoods: Entering Grades 3 & 4
Blue Spruces: Entering Grades 5 & 6



WHAT TO BRING

Please review this list to be sure you are ready for camp. To foster independence and responsibility, you may want to delegate this task to your camper. Drawings or pictures of lunch boxes, swim suits, etc., can aid the younger campers in reading the list.

Camp Northwoods

opens the door to

friendships and

memories that will

last a lifetime

The First Day:

- Healthy snack for unit (see information below)
- Sunscreen
- Mosquito repellant
- Rain gear
- Emergency change of clothes
- Prescribed medication must be kept in <u>original container</u> bearing the pharmacy label, which shows the date filled, the prescribing practitioner, the name of the medication, directions for use, any cautionary statements contained in such prescription (or as required by law), and the number of tablets or capsules in the container. Non-prescription medication must also be in <u>original container</u>

Daily:

- Backpack for walking with personal belongings
- Lunch packed in insulated bag/cooler with cold pack
- Swim suit and towel (extra swimsuit a plus, not required)
- Sneakers
- Water bottle or canteen (straps for carrying are great!)

Suggested Healthy Snacks

Campers are required to provide one healthy snack for their unit (approximately 24 campers) for each session. Foods that keep well are to be labeled clearly and delivered the first day of each session. Please make arrangements with the staff for snacks that require preparation just prior to serving. The following is a list of possible snack choices:

Trail mix Pretzels
Cheese and crackers Raisins
Milk Popcorn
Small muffins Granola Bars

Fresh fruits or vegetables Fruit Chews/Fruit Roll-ups

Fruit juice Snack Crackers

Fruit or yogurt popsicles

If your camper is on a restricted diet or has certain food allergies, you will need to provide acceptable snacks for him/her daily.

Please do not send money with your camper. Campers are not allowed to use the vending machines on campus. No money is necessary on trip days unless you receive written notice from the Camp Directors.



CAMPER HEALTH HISTORY FORM1

Developed and reviewed by: American Camp Association, American Academy of Pediatrics Council on School Health, & Association of Camp Nurses

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Deadline to submit this form to address below is <u>June 1, 2020</u>

Christine Merrill Camp Northwoods Skidmore College 815 N Broadway Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

Dates will attend cam	p: from	to	
	Month/Day/Year	Month/Day/Year	_
Camper Name:			
First	Middle		Last
□ Male □ Female		Age or	n arrival at camp:
To Parent(s)/Guardia	an(s): Please follow the instruc	tions below. Attach ad	ditional information if needed.
1) Complete pag	<u>ges 1, 2 and 3</u> of this form (FOR	M 1) and <u>make a copy</u> .	
2) Send the <u>origi</u>	<u>inal, signed FORM 1</u> to camp b	y the requested date.	
	e top of FORM 2 (CAMPER H <u>M 1</u> with <u>FORM 2</u> to your <u>child'</u> s		MENDATIONS) and provide the for review and completion.
4) After it has be by the reques		our child's health-care p	provider, return <u>FORM 2</u> to camp

Camper Name

(For Camp Use) Cabin or Group

(For Camp Use) Session Code(s):

First

Camper Home Address:					
Street Address	City		State	Zip Code	
Parent/guardian with legal custody to be contacted in case of illness or injury: Relationship					
Name: to Camper:		Preferred Phones: ()	()	
		Email:			
Home Address:		State		Zip Code	
Second parent/quardian or other emergency contact:					
Relationship					
Name:to Camper:		_ Preferred Phones: ()	()	
		Email:			
Additional contact in event parent(s)/guardian(s) can not be reached:					
Relationship					
Name: to Camper:		Preferred Phones: ()	()	
Diet, Nutrition: □ This camper eats a regular diet. □ This camper eats a r	d feel the camp	per can participate withou	ut restrictions.		
Medical Insurance Information: This camper is covered by family medical/hospital insurance □ Yes □ No Include a copy of your insurance card if appropriate; copy both sides of the call Insurance Company. Police	ard so inform	ation is readable.			
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Subscriber Insu	ıranceCompar	ny Phone Number ()		
Parent/Guardian Authorization for Health Care: This health history is correct and accurately reflects the health status of the in all camp activities except as noted by me and/or an examining physician tests, and treatment related to the health of my child for both routine health opermission to the physician to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and on this form will be shared on a "need to know" basis with camp staff. I give a copy of my child's health record from providers who treat my child and these	i. I give perm care and in ei order injecti permission t	ission to the physiciar mergency situations. If on, anesthesia, or surg o photocopy this form.	selected by the I cannot be reac gery for this child In addition, the	e camp to order x-rays, ro ched in an emergency, I gi d. I understand the inform camp has permission to d	outine ive my nation obtain
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Parent/Guardian	Date:		to Camper:	· :	_
If for religious or other reasons you cannot sign this, contact the camp for a le	əgal waiver w	hich must be signed fo	r attendance.	Page 1	1/4

CAMPER HEALTH HISTORY FORM 1

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Camper Name	e:		
·	First	Middle	Last
Birth Date:	Month/Day/Year		

Immunization History: Provide the month and year for each immunization. Starred (*) immunizations must include date to meet ACA Standard. Copies of immunization forms from health-care providers or state or local government are acceptable; please attach to this form

Immunizatio	n	Dose 1 Month/Year	Dose : Month/Y	- 1	Dose 3 onth/Year	Dose 4 Month/Year	Dose 5 Month/Year	Most Recent Dose Month/Year
Diptheria, tetanus, pertuss (DTaP) or (TdaP)	sis							
Tetanus booster★ (dT) or (TdaP)								
Mumps, measles, rubella (MMR)								
Polio (IPV)								
Haemophilus influenzae ty (HIB)	ре В						-	
Pneumococcal (PCV)							-	
Hepatitis B								
Hepatitis A								
Varicella ☐ Ha (chicken pox) Date	ad chicken pox :							
Meningococcal meningitis (MCV4)								
Tuberculosis (TB) test		Date:	☐ Negative	☐ Positive]		
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The following non-prescription medications may be stocked in the camp Health Center and are used on an <u>as needed basis</u> to manage illness and injury. Cross out those the camper should <u>not</u> be given.

Acetaminophen (Tylenol)

Phenylephrine decongestant (Sudafed PE)

Antihistamine/allergy medicine

Diphenhydramine antihistamine/allergy medicine (Benadryl)

Sore throat spray

Lice shampoo or cream (Nix or Elimite)

Calamine lotion

Laxatives for constipation (Ex-Lax)

Ibuprofen (Advil, Motrin)

Pseudoephedrine decongestant (Sudafed)

Guaifenesin cough syrup (Robitussin)

Dextromethorphan cough syrup (Robitussin DM)

Generic cough drops Antibiotic cream

Aloe

Bismuth subsalicylate for diarrhea (Kaopectate, Pepto-Bismol)

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Camper Nam	e:		
•	First	Middle	Last
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Individual Health Record (For Camp Use Only)

	Initial Screening	Date/Time:	Initials:	
	□ Screening has been conducted according to c	amp protocol and significant findir	ngs noted as follows:	
	A. Any signs/symptoms of illness or injury upo			
	B. History of exposure to communicable disea			
	C. Additions or corrections to information on the			
	D. Medication given to health-care staff?	•		
	E. Any signs/symptoms of head lice?			
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xit Note: Che	ck one of the following:			
☐ Left car	mp this day with no reported illness or injury sympto	ms.		
□ Left car	mp this day with the following problem/concern:			
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AUTHORIZATION FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT OF MINORS

If your child needs medical, dental, health or hospital services, under the law, you as a parent must give permission as the need arises. By law a hospital is always required to attempt to contact parents and/or legal guardians to gain consent for treatment. This form can provide valuable information to health care providers for contacting parents or quardians. The hospital still, however, has the obligation to always attempt to contact parents or quardians. Medical care often requires complex decisions that are best made when parents or guardians are involved. When a true emergency exists, a child may be treated

I (we), being the parent(s) of custody or legal guardian(s) of (print name of minor) do	Mother/Guardian (print)		
name of minor) do hereby appoint Camp Northwoods , Skidmore College to act on	Address		
my behalf in authorizing unexpected medical, dental or surgical care, or hospitalization for said minor in my absence and I authorize Camp	Signature Date		
Northwoods, Skidmore College to grant consent to medical	Phone # (work) (home)		
doctors and emergency staff at a hospital/emergency facility to	(cell)		
conduct the required tests and provide the necessary medical treat- ment/care to the above named child IF I OR MY SPOUSE CANNOT BE	Father/Guardian (print)		
REACHED. I understand that every reasonable effort will be made to	Address		
contact me. I understand that the consent and authorization herein	Signature Date		
granted are valid only during camp June 29 - August 14, 2020.	Phone # (work) (home)		
Child's birth date Date of last Tetanus immunization	(cell)		
Pertinent medical data (allergies, asthma, seizures, etc. Include any medication	Name of Family Physician		
the child is on, relative to this condition.)	Phone #		
	Address		
	MEDICAL INSURANCE INFORMATION		
Medical Restrictions	Guarantor (person responsible for payment of bill)		
	Name of Insurance		
	Policy #		
Please comple	te other side.		
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CAMP PERMISSION FORM

EvergreensRedwoodsBlue Spruces	I, the undersigned, individually as parent or guardian
Camper's NameSex	of named minor, request that the child be allowed to
Home Address	participate in the Camp Northwoods program sponsored by Skidmore College. I do hereby agree to waive and release, and hold harmless Skidmore College, its
City, State, Zip	officers, agents and employees from and against all
Home Phone	claims or causes of action or demands, liabilities, damages on account of any injury or accident
Work Phone	involving the child's participation in the camp or in activities held in connection with the camp. I
Cell Phone	understand the child participates in this activity at her/ his own risk and that any medical expenses
Age Entering Grade	associated with this program are my responsibility.
Emergency Contact	Signature Date
Day Phone # Cell	
I hereby give permission for to be taken on field trips and outings (including swimming) as authorized by camp staff. Signature	I authorize the following people to pick up my child from camp, and will notify Camp Northwoods of any additions or subtractions to this list:
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