



CAMP AMERICA DAY CAMP

February 2010

...Where Children Learn,
Laugh, & Play

• Enclosures

- * Health Forms
- * Medicine Forms
- * Camper Confidential Forms
- * Pre-Addressed Envelope

* Requests/Reminders

- * **We need to know the weeks your child is attending camp.** If you haven't already done so, please call the camp office with the weeks your child will be attending camp. We need this info in order to properly place him/her in a camp bunk and bus.
- * **Send us your newest email address** (if it has changed this year) so we can include you in all electronic communications.
- * **It's tax time already...**The Camp America Day Camp **Federal ID # is 23-228-5623.**
- * Please feel free to call the camp office to request an end of year tax statement. We will gladly provide you with whatever you need.
- * Download and print important camp forms if you need to at www.camp-america.com.

Dear Camp America Day Camp Families:
Happy New Year! We hope this mailing finds all of you happy and healthy. The weather outside may be frightful but around camp we are already busy preparing for a wonderful summer season. Enclosed, please find the required forms needed to insure a safe & happy summer for your children.

We do not have the official start date of camp for the summer of 2010 yet. Since the weather has caused additional snow days, the last day of school for many of you may change, thus pushing the start of camp to a later date. We know that a change in the school year calendar will greatly impact so many of our campers and

summer staff. As soon as the start date is finalized we will contact you. Feel free to call our camp office any time if you have any questions.

CAMP AMERICA DAY CAMP OFFICE INFO

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TO HELP KEEP OUR PLANET CLEAN... CAMP AMERICA IS GOING GREEN!

As the summer approaches we will be making an effort to cut back on mailings and utilizing the internet and email as our source of communication

Camp updates & forms will be posted to www.camp-america.com periodically. We'll keep you informed of breaking news electronically. If you haven't been receiving any of our recent emails, we may not have your correct or updated email address.

Please write to us at:
campamerica@verizon.net with your newest email address.



CAMPER CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION FORMS

We, at Camp America, understand that communication is a key element to a successful summer at camp. We greatly appreciate your taking the time to complete the enclosed **Camper Confidential Form**. We want you to know that the info you provide will be shared with only one staff person; your camper's division leader, as he/she is responsible for the supervision of your child. We also want to reassure you that anything you share with us will be held in the strictest of confidence and will only be used to make certain that your child's camp experience is the best we can offer. Our Division II, III, and IV Leaders do not contact families before camp begins unless you indicate on the camper form that you want a pre-camp phone call.

Age	Name of Division Leaders	
	Division	Name
2 ¹ / ₂ -5	I	Audrey Carminati
6-8	II	Jill Shapiro Marc Mednick
9-14	III/IV	Lissa Friedland Devin Gorman

MAKING CONNECTIONS BEFORE THE CAMP SEASON BEGINS

DIVISION I MINIS/MIDGIES

Families with campers ages 2¹/₂ to 5¹/₂ automatically receive a phone call from their counselor prior to the start of camp. In addition all Mini and Midgie campers will be invited to attend a "Meet the Counselor Night" prior to the start of camp. Look for more information to follow as we get closer to the summer months.

DIVISION II, III, & IV JUNIORS, SENIORS, STARS, AND CITS

If you need to speak with your camper's division leader prior to the first day of camp:

1. Complete the pre-camp communication portion of the Camper Confidential Form and forward it the office at Camp America.
2. Your child's division leader will call you to discuss your questions and whatever information you would like to share.
3. Division leaders are responsible for seeing that this information is shared with your child's counselor (if necessary) and for follow-up throughout the camp season.
4. Or, feel free to leave a message for the division leader with us at camp anytime and we'll be sure to have them return your call.

IT'S NOT TOO EARLY TO SEND IN HEALTH & MEDICATION PERMISSION FORMS

Health Forms Require Your Attention and Completion

Health forms must be completed by you and your family doctor. Camp regulations require that we obtain this info. It is important that you understand that we need these signed and completed forms, in the event of an emergency. While it is our policy to always contact the parent and/or emergency contact first, if we are unable to reach you or your designee, and your child needs immediate medical attention, the hospital will not treat him/her without a signed form. For everyone's peace of mind, please have the health forms completed & returned to us.

Medicine Permission Forms

Another traditional health form that requires your attention before the start of the summer is the **Medicine Permission Form**. The nurse depends on this information when treating your child at camp. With these on file for your child we will not have to call you for minor occurrences which the nurse can attend to with your permission. If you have any questions, regarding any of these forms, please feel free to [call us](#).