

“The New” 2010 Visiting Weekend

FRIDAY, JULY 16th - 4:00 pm - 10:00 pm (pick up ONLY)

SATURDAY, JULY 17th - 8:30 am - 2:30 pm (Campers sleep out)

SUNDAY, JULY 18th – All campers return by 11 a.m.

FRIDAY JULY 16th – 4 p.m. pick up, 10 pm drop off – NO SLEEPING OUT

- All campers may go out for dinner with their parents on Friday night.
- You may pick up your son in the camp parking lot on Friday, ***no earlier than 4:00 pm.*** If you are **picking up your son by boat**, you may do so only on the wharf, which is the dock with the canoe rack, again no earlier than 4:00 p.m.
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- **PLEASE DO NOT ENTER CAMP UNTIL SATURDAY at 8:30 a.m., you will be turned away before that time. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS.**

PROCEDURE FOR NIGHTS OUT

1. There will be staff in the Diamond 2 parking lot for the night out. All campers are required to sign out before departing camp. All departures are from Diamond 2.
2. All campers MUST sign in upon their return on Friday evening at the Stadium Court parking lot.
3. ***All campers must check in no later than 10:00 pm on Friday.***
4. No pets are allowed in camp at any time. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

SATURDAY JULY 17th AT KAWAGA beginning at 8:30 a.m.

We look forward to joining you this summer during Visiting Weekend!

We altered the schedule on Saturday to make it more accommodating and camper/parent friendly.

- **8:30 am – 9:15 am – MEET THE COUNSELORS** – Parents are permitted to enter Kawaga at 8:30 am., and will have the opportunity to meet your son’s counselors, check out cabins and walk around Kawaga.
- **9:15 – 10:30 am – BREAKFAST** – Enjoy a buffet style Camp Kawaga breakfast prepared especially for you.
- **10:30 – 11:30 – CAMP KAWAGA WELCOME SERVICE** – Welcome to Kawaga... enjoy our Service and hear from the Directors and some Kawaga staffers.
- **11:30 – 2:30 – OPEN AREAS, TENNIS TOURNEY, SOFTBALL** – Enjoy all that Kawaga has to offer... watch your son ski, play ball and don’t forget to join in!!!
- **2:30 pm – HEAD OUT FOR DINNER AND SLEEP OUT** – Campers are permitted to sleep out on Saturday night. If you are leaving Saturday night, or a sleep out is not feasible or desired, your son can of course return to camp Saturday night (but will need to check in by 11 p.m.).
- You must let us know if your son IS NOT sleeping out on Saturday night so we know to expect him and can check him in.

VISITING WEEKEND OFFICIALLY ENDS AT 11:00 AM ON SUNDAY.

- All campers MUST be back in camp by 11 a.m. Campers can begin returning at 8:30 am. There will be breakfast for campers at 9 am. Please do not be late...

**** No parents are allowed in camp on Sunday.**

MISCELLANEOUS POLICIES FOR PARENTS' WEEKEND

FOOD AND CANDY

- We feed your son three hearty meals a day and 2 snacks a day. These items attract animals into camp. We ask that you do not bring gifts of food and candy nor take your son shopping during the weekend so he can *sneak back* food or candy.
- The boys are NOT permitted to keep the food and candy. When they check in upon returning, all food and candy will be confiscated. **Please respect our policy.**

CELL PHONE

- Your son does NOT need his cell phone and it is against camp rules to have one at camp unless your son is flying to/from camp. Please keep the cell phones at home or take them from your son before departing from the weekend. They will be confiscated at camp and not returned until the end of summer.

TIPS

- Kawaga's policy has always prohibited counselors from receiving tips. The counselors are apprised of this policy. The field of camping must maintain high professional standards as well as high ethical standards.
- While tips may be intended as a reward for good performance, quite often they are perceived as a way to insure that a particular camper receives special treatment. If you wish to express your gratitude, a small gift other than money, as a token of appreciation, is reasonable.

RESPECT CAMP POLICIES

- We appreciate your respect and following of these policies. In particular, our policies with regard to entering, leaving and returning to camp. We have activities planned for the campers on Sunday upon their return, so a late return will made it difficult for us to get programming started.
- Thank you for your cooperation and we hope you like the updated version of Parents Weekend.