



Lake Chautauqua Lutheran Center

Summer Camp 2021

FAQ

WHAT WILL WE NEED TO DO BEFORE CAMP?

Possible Self-isolation: If required by the NY State Department of Health, campers may need to self-isolate for a period prior to attending their week. This requires minimal contact with the public, maintaining six feet of distance from anyone not living in your household, stringent mask wearing and hand washing, and daily temperature checks. A completed daily symptom and temperature check form will be required at Sunday Check-In.

COVID testing: All campers will be required to come to Sunday Check-In with a negative COVID test result from within 3-5 days prior to arriving at LCLC.

HOW WILL SUNDAY CHECK-IN AND FRIDAY PICK-UP BE DIFFERENT THIS YEAR?

Assigned Times: Prior to your week of camp, we will send an email assigning your camper to a check-in and pick-up time slot. This will allow us to stagger these two events, ensuring minimal contact between families.

Drop off and Pick up: Parents will be able to escort their children up to but not beyond the front porch of the cabin for arrival and departure. Masks and social distancing will be required. The LCLC staff will assist your child in moving in and out of their cabin.

Health Check-in: We will ask each camper a series of health-related questions, as we do every year. We will also do a temperature check at that time and receive your symptom pre-check form and negative COVID test result. In order to keep the numbers as low as possible during the health check-in period, please only have one parent accompany your camper. Masks and social distancing will be required.

HOW WILL MY CAMPER STAY SAFE AND HEALTHY DURING CAMP?

Decreased capacity: We will lower our camper capacity to no more than 6 campers per cabin group with 1-2 staff members. We will never have more than 42 campers on site at one time. (Our normal capacity can reach 110 campers per week.)

Camper Bubbles: Campers will participate in all activities with their Cabin Group/Bubble (6 campers, 1-2 staff). Bubbles will not intermix closely with other Bubbles except for certain outdoor activities, during which we will maintain appropriate distancing. Cabin Bubbles will also eat every meal together, outside when possible. All-Camp games such as Capture-the-Flag may not be possible. Favorite activities such as Campfires, Worships, Crafts, Gaga Ball, Triple-H, and Sailing will be modified for your safety but still available.

Daily Health Checks: All campers and staff will visit the Camp Nurse each day to be screened for symptoms including having their temperature checked.

Hygiene and Cleaning: We will continue to follow American Camp Association and Center for Disease Control guidelines for hygiene and cleanliness. Frequently touched areas, including all bathrooms, will be sanitized daily. Handwashing and sanitizing stations will be available throughout camp to be used frequently. Face masks will be required indoors, except for eating and sleeping. Masks will also be required when Bubbles interact with other Bubbles inside or outside.

Closing Program: Unfortunately, gathering families and campers together in the Outdoor Chapel will most likely not be possible. A potential radio transmission while families remain in their vehicles is being explored. Something like an old drive-in movie.

WHAT HAPPENS IF SOMEONE DEVELOPS SYMPTOMS OF COVID-19?

Anyone who develops symptoms will immediately enter on-site quarantine and the camper's family will be contacted for pick-up. The camper's items will be packed up by staff, the cabin will be sanitized, and the camper's Bubble will sleep in sanitized spare cabin. We will remain in contact with the camper's family, and in the case of a positive test result, we will notify the families of every camper who may have had direct contact with the infected camper.

WHAT DO WE NEED TO DO AFTER CAMP?

Continue monitoring for any potential symptoms. We will send an email check-in 10 days after the last day of your camper's session, where we will inquire whether anyone has developed symptoms, become ill, or received a positive test result. If any of these occur, we will begin the process of contact tracing and will notify the pertinent people who could have been infected.

REFUND/CANCELATION POLICY?

Given the extenuating circumstances we are all still dealing with, cancellations due to COVID-19 will receive a 100% refund. Cancellations for any other reason will result in a refund of all but \$75 of fees paid.

The preceding information is subject to change based on the NY State Department of Health Code for Children's Camp Operation.