



## **Summer 2021 Precautions for Day Camp**

<u>Staff Training & Awareness</u>: The safety and well-being of our campers and staff are paramount. Our team is trained in good hygiene, proper safeguards, and practices to mitigate viruses, as well as personal responsibility to our campers to help stop the spread.

<u>Screenings:</u> There will be a "car line" for pick up and drop off. Daily health screenings will include temperature checks and health questions. Only registered campers should exit the car each day. Anyone showing signs or symptoms of a virus will be isolated, cared for, and removed from the program until picked up.

**Space:** Groups will be encouraged to spread out. Games and activities will be adjusted as needed to minimize contact. The daily guideline will be a no touching policy. Group sizes will be smaller and consistent. Large group times will be minimal with plenty of space to spread out.

- **a. Be Outside**. The air is fresh, and we have hundreds of acres of God's creation to explore. Fresh air, sunshine, humidity, and heat are all things that we have plenty of here in the Poconos. We believe that kids in the outdoors can stay healthier and happier.
- **b.** Scheduled Activity Times Activities will be more strictly scheduled to limit interaction between groups.

<u>Sanitation</u> – We have implemented a rigorous cleaning and sanitation protocol to all facilities.

- **a. Hand Sanitation** There are many hand sanitizing stations all over camp for campers and staff to frequently sanitize hands between activities. Also, there will be programmed into our day times for campers to wash hands thoroughly with soap and water.
- **b.** Meeting Rooms Meeting rooms will be cleaned and sanitized regularly.
- **c. Bathrooms** Bathrooms will be cleaned and sanitized regularly.

<u>Security</u> – Day Camp policy is always to be a secure place from outsiders for obvious reasons, but our security and monitoring of guests will be heightened to limit outside visitors.

**This is a TEAM EFFORT**—Day Camp staff, campers, parents & families are all a valuable part of this effort to run a fun program for our campers. Your cooperation, honesty and collective efforts toward safety are very much appreciated. Our campers need to continue to grow and develop during these extremely formative years in their young lives.

## **Full Disclosure:**

Although we are taking steps to minimize risk, we cannot eliminate it. Just because we are open, does not mean it is right for everyone. Please evaluate your current situation and all its complexities. We are here, willing and able to serve your family; however, if you do not feel comfortable with this, we totally understand. Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns. We would love to hear from you and serve you in any way that we can.