



## Camp Tuku's Opening Plan for the summer of 2020

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Dear Parents and Campers,

We hope this message finds you and your family continuing to stay safe and healthy. As you know, the situation with COVID-19 remains fluid. As such we continue to consider the impact this will have on camp. While we can't control the crisis at hand, we can control our response. There is much to consider, and we appreciate your patience as we carefully work through this process.

In response to the pandemic, we have outlined below Camp Tuku's protocol to maximize a positive camp experience in the safest environment possible for our camp season. This protocol is established based on the American Camp Association (ACA) and CDC Guidelines. We will also stay in touch with the local and state Health Department and monitor the situation for changes in procedures and policies.

- Parents are asked to record camper's daily temperatures for 14 days prior to camp. Parents should inquire about illness symptoms, including fever, cough, shortness of breath, diarrhea, headache, fatigue, muscle aches, nausea, loss of taste or smell, sore throat, and vomiting. If any positive finding is uncovered, it's imperative for parents to inform Camp Tuku's administration prior to camp. Also, any travel history and potential ill contacts should be reported.
- At the start of camp we will have an orientation to cover policies related to Covid-19, such as social distancing in cabins, cafeteria, and activity rooms; we will also train staff and campers on handwashing, cough etiquette, equipment handling safeties, self-reporting of illness symptoms, group sizing, etc.
- Instructions will be posted in multiple locations relating to best practices to stop the spread of germs.
- Social distancing will be practiced at all times. If 6 feet distancing indoors or outdoors is not feasible then masks will be worn. Sleeping arrangements will be a minimum of 6 feet apart and alternating head to toe to maximize distance. Cabins will be at half capacity or less to accommodate social distancing.
- Cabins and Common areas will be disinfected daily, high touch surfaces multiple times a day. Equipment will be assigned to be used by only one camper, as much as possible. Any shared equipment will be disinfected prior to use by the next camper.
- Hand sanitizer stations will be made available at the entrances of indoor spaces.
- Ongoing screening of campers and staff will be performed, including daily temperature checks with a no touch thermometer. Campers will be checked daily for any symptoms of illness. Any indication of illness will trigger seeking advice from the local health department, contact tracing and contacting parents.
- We will try to do as many activities outdoors as possible, including outdoor meals in shaded areas, weather permitting.
- We are limiting the total number of campers to 50. In addition, we will limit the size of our cabin to 5 people, including the counselor. For each activity, we will limit our "cohorts" to two cabins.
- Our health department will consist of a board certified physician and a pediatric nurse. The Infirmary is an air-condition cabin with a bathroom and washing station. In addition, we have 4 staff certified in CPR and First Aid to care for our campers and staff.

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