

Updated 6/1/22

# Hiram House Camp

## 2022 Overnight Camp

Hiram House is continuing to take actions to lower the risk of COVID-19 spread at camp by following guidance from The American Camp Association as well as the CDC.

Hiram House **STRONGLY RECOMMENDS** Vaccinations for ALL campers and staff.

We will continue to use multiple prevention strategies to help protect our camp family at all times. We appreciate your patience and thank you in advance for following our guidance and helping to keep our campers and staff safe this summer.

### Testing Requirements & Camper Drop Off/Pick Up

- Regardless of vaccination status: we will require your child to have a **NEGATIVE COVID test within 48 hours** of coming to camp. Please bring documentation with you at drop off.
- Testing Information: The gold standard would be a PCR test at your local pharmacy. We will also accept Rapid Antigen testing. We will require documentation of the negative test.
- If doing an at home rapid test, we **highly recommend** testing Saturday and once again Sunday to ensure an accurate test and no false negatives or positives. Many at home tests have an option to scan test results to your phone. Please do not bring the actual test with you as proof.
- Only 1 member of the family at the check in table. Please wear a mask inside the office at check-in.
- Campers will be asked to go directly to the Camp Nurse and then their assigned cabin.
- Last day of camp, campers will be brought up to their parent(s) with their belongings. Family members will not be allowed down in camp at pick up.

### If your Camper is Sick or has Covid-19

- If your child has been diagnosed with Covid-19, we ask that they stay home and follow all CDC and your doctors guidelines about when to return to activities.
- If your child is vaccinated and has had **CLOSE CONTACT** with someone infected with Covid-19, they do not need to stay home unless they are showing symptoms of Covid-19.
- If unvaccinated and exposed: the camper will need to stay home and quarantine for least 5 full days. A negative test will be required before returning to camp.
- If vaccinated and symptomatic: get tested at least 5 days after you last had close contact with someone with COVID-19.
- If a camper becomes ill while at camp, Hiram House will inform all families that are within that camper group of the positive case. We will have the ability to rapid test campers if needed at camp.

### Office Visits

- Parents who need to go to the office, we ask that you drop off your camper(s) first and then park in the main lot and come to the office.
- As in the past please wear a mask in the office and allow for social distancing while waiting in the office. Hand sanitizer will be available inside.
- To alleviate office traffic you can call and place money on your campers Camp Store account at anytime.  
(216) 831-5045
- The office is also open Mon-Fri 8:30am-5pm to drop off any forms prior to the start of camp.

### Face Masks

- Per the CDC guidance we will continue to monitor the levels of Covid-19 in our community to determine any changes in our mask policy.
- At this time masks will be worn indoors. Please send your camper with multiple masks.

### Living Quarters

- Campers will be sleeping every other bunk so to keep a 6 foot distance at bedtime.
- Cabin access will be limited to only individuals who reside in that cabin.
- Avoid sharing common items (cups, bedding, etc.) as well as the sharing of individuals' items with cabin mates.
- Cabins will be cleaned routinely.
- Personal belongings should be limited to essential items plus a limited number of non-essential items.
- Campers should keep personal belongings organized and separate from other campers' belongings.
- Campers will be participating in campouts 1-2 times a week.

### Daily Camper Activities

- Camp groups will be no more than 8 campers to 1 counselor.
- Please send LONG PANTS and CLOSED TOE SHOES with your camper for Horseback Riding. We will NOT have clothing items available this year for sharing, If your child forgets these items they will NOT be able to ride.
- Campers will be allowed to bring their own horseback riding helmets from home. Our Ranch Manager will inspect for safety upon each use. Bike helmets are NOT allowed.

### Cleaning and Disinfecting (Our Commitment To You)

- Hiram House will be following all CDC and American Camp Association guidelines for cleaning and disinfection.
- Daily activities such as archery, horseback riding, etc. will be cleaned after each group.
- Bathrooms and facilities will be cleaned multiple times throughout the day.
- Hand washing will occur throughout the day as needed.
- High touch surfaces will be cleaned multiple times throughout the day.
- All Camp Staff will be trained on cleaning and disinfection as well as a general Covid-19 guidelines.

### Refund Policy

- Camp fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. In the event of a medical cancellation prior to the start of camp, \$10 of the deposit will be kept as a registration service fee. There is a \$20 charge for any non-sufficient funds checks. There are no pro-rated fees for campers arriving after the start of a session or leaving before its completion. There is a \$10 fee for any change after registration. Hiram House is not responsible for any lost or damaged camper property during the camping season.



### **A Personal Note from Camp:**

**Thank you again for entrusting  
us with your camper this  
summer. Hiram House is  
committed to doing everything  
we can to minimize the risk of  
Covid-19 at camp this summer.  
We look forward to seeing you  
all soon!**