

Wise Wolf Pups Camp Guidelines & Parent Info

Required Info (PLEASE REPLY TO THIS EMAIL WITH THE FOLLOWING INFO)

- Names and ages of children
- Parent cell phones and email
- Emergency phone number and email
- Allergies
- Special needs
- Nap times
- Relevant medical and medication info
- Interest in being a junior counselor (14 years and older)

Ages of Kids: 5-13 years old. 14 and older may apply to be junior counselors.

Items to Bring to Camp and Appropriate Dress

- Water bottle
- Sunscreen
- Layers of clothing for cold and hot weather
- Protective hat and sunglasses
- Athletic shoes
- Bag lunch
- Necessary medications

Use of Technology and Outside Toys

- Campers are not encouraged to bring technology items to camp. Outside toys are not permitted only for use by the whole group.

Parent Involvement

- Parents are required to drop-off and pick-up kids at the appointed times, check their cell phones frequently for camp messages (if you don't have reception, please provide an additional number that does), oversee and have lunch with their kids, **volunteer for at least one 2-hour Pups Camps time period** (to be scheduled and confirmed prior to camp).

Drop-off and Pick-up Times

- Saturday, May 25: Drop off at 9:45 a.m., lunch at 1:00, pick-up at 5:00.
- Sunday, May 26: Drop off at 9:15 a.m., lunch at 12:30, pick up at 6:00. 7:20 p.m., kids gather in main camp area to perform play, return to parent supervision directly after play performance.
- Monday, May 27: Drop off at 9:30 a.m., gather with kids during final ceremony.

Lunch and Other Meals

- Parents are required to have lunch with their kids, to provide their kids' lunches (either bagged or catered option), and to clean up lunch materials. Breakfast and dinner are not a part of camp.

Safety

- Adult volunteers and camp coordinators will be on hand at all times, basic first aid supplies and treatment will be provided as needed, parents will be called for more extensive issues. If your child has a medical condition, please include this info with your camp registration and verbally at the start of camp. Please provide labeled medications with instructions in a clear plastic bag with the child's name and parent emergency number.
- Parents are encouraged to apply sunscreen to their kids prior to the start of camp.

Preparing for Outdoor Play and Weather

- This camp will be held outdoors rain or shine for two full days. Temperatures in the Blue Ridge Mountains vary widely, from cool temperatures in the morning and evening to very hot afternoons. Please see Items/Appropriate Dress guidelines for more info.

Communication

- Camp announcements will be emailed to parents as needed, individual messages will be sent by phone or text. Announcements will also be organized and shared during pick-up and drop-off times.

Location of Pups Camp

- Children's Peace Park, near Pollinator Garden. Look for Pups Camp flag for the pick-up and drop-off site. Just prior to the main entrance to Isis Cove, on the left side of Bradley Branch Road there is a road and parking lot that leads directly to the Pups Camp site.

Disclaimer

- By submitting this registration I acknowledge that I am the Parent or Legal Guardian of the above named child/children ("Child"), and I hereby give consent for Child to participate in the Wise Wolf Pups Camp. I understand that this activity is provided by the Wise Wolf Councils as an opportunity for my child to participate in the Wise Wolf Councils, under the supervision of individuals who are volunteering their time, gifts and skills with no recompense by the Wise Wolf Councils or Venus Rising. I therefore expressly agree that Child's participation in this camp and presence on the property upon which the camp is being held is undertaken solely at Child's and my own risk. I hereby agree to hold harmless Venus Rising and all of its staff members, volunteers, agents, and other participants of the Wise Wolf Pups Camp for any harm, injury, property loss, or damage received by my Child as a result of or relating to her/his participation at the Wise Wolf Pups Camp, May 2013. I additionally agree to hold harmless the owners, operators, and staff of the property upon which the Wise Wolf Pups Camp will be held, in the event of any accident, injury or property loss sustained by my Child.