



Summer 2019

Dear Camper,

I'm really excited that you will be joining us *Down on the Farm*, June 17-20, at Indian Hills 4-H Camp in Miami County. This letter contains important information about camp that you need to share with your parents or guardian.

Registration begins at 6:30pm, Monday, June 17th. **Please do not come earlier than 6:30pm.** You will need to eat before you come to camp. **There will be no evening meal served on the 17th.** Camp will be dismissed at 4:00pm on Thursday, June 20th. (Parents, please be prompt in picking up your child.)

Please refer to the checklist of items to bring to camp. This list is only a suggestion. Please feel free to adjust it according to your needs. **However, we do ask that campers do not bring cell phones or other electronic devices to camp.** If your child needs to call home, they may ask adult staff. We will not be responsible for lost or damaged cell phones or other electronic devices. Please refer to the Cell Phone Policy sheet for further information.

There are four forms that you need to complete and submit prior to camp. If you do not have these four forms completed and signed, you will not be permitted to stay at camp.

- ⌘ Camp Registration Form – Please submit your completed registration form, along with payment, to the Extension Office by June 1, 2019.
- ⌘ Health Form – Please submit your completed Health Form to the Extension Office along with your registration form. This will allow our camp nurse to review medical information and help us to be more efficient during check in at camp. Your health form must be signed by your parent or guardian. **You must attach a picture to the health form.**
- ⌘ Parental Consent Form – The management of Indian Hills 4-H Camp requires us to have this form on file for each of our campers.
- ⌘ Cell Phone/Electronic Device Policy

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I understand that someone other than a parent or guardian sometimes needs to pick a child up at the end of camp. If someone other than your parent or guardian will be picking you up on Thursday, you need to have a completed Restricted Release Form on file at camp. Call our office to request one in advance, download one from our web site, or they will be available for completion during registration. **In order for a child to go home with someone other than a parent or guardian, we must have one of these forms completed in advance.** We do not want to inadvertently release a child to the wrong person.

If someone other than a parent/guardian will be bringing you to camp, have your parents complete the bottom half of the restricted release form and send it with you when you come to camp.

Parents, please note: Our teen counselors complete 24 hours of training prior to serving at camp. The counselors sleep, eat, and live with the campers. A retired sheriff deputy provides overnight security. A camp nurse is on duty for medical assistance throughout camp.

I hope you are ready for a fun-filled adventure! The counselors have worked hard to plan many exciting activities and are looking forward to meeting you! While you are at camp, I hope you will have lots of fun and make new friendships that will last a lifetime.

Please call (937) 548-5215 if you have any questions or need more information about camp.

See you on the 17th of June!

Best Wishes,



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