

March 10, 2022

Dear Camp Bird Parent or Guardian,

This letter contains information to help guide you in decision-making prior to sending your child to Camp Bird in July 2022. Marinette County will assist in providing a safe camp experience, but it is the responsibility of the group's organizers to educate and train volunteers to ensure that proper safety procedures are followed to reduce the spread of infectious diseases.

We follow the advice of expert resources from the ***American Camp Association*** to guide our decisions that maintain the health and safety of our dedicated volunteers and campers.

Volunteer staff agree to:

- Wash and/or sanitize our hands frequently,
- Clean and disinfect surfaces your child may touch, such as the dining hall tables and bathrooms frequently, and,
- Designate staff responsible for responding to any camper's complaint of symptoms of illness, including isolating them as needed for suspected highly infectious diseases,
- ***Stay home*** if we have symptoms of illness, such as cough, fever, vomiting, diarrhea or abdominal pain.

Campers agree to:

- Wash and/or sanitize their hands frequently,
- Bring and use their own reusable water bottle,
- Report any sign or symptoms of infectious disease to their counselor or a volunteer as soon as possible, and,
- ***Stay home*** if the camper has symptoms of illness, such as cough, fever, vomiting, diarrhea or abdominal pain.

Parents/Guardians agree to:

- Educate and reinforce the rules above, with your child, prior to camp,
- Pick up your child from Camp Bird within 4-6 hours as requested by the Camp Nurse or Director in the event that your child has signs or symptoms of illness, and,
- ***Stay home*** if you or anyone in your family has symptoms of illness, such as cough, fever, vomiting, diarrhea or abdominal pain.

Our number one focus is our common love for Christ our Savior. Thank you for your cooperation to work in unity to ensure an enjoyable camp experience for all.

Sincerely,

Camp Bird for Lutherans Board of Directors