

RENSSELAER COUNTY DYKEN POND ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER

Steven F. McLaughlin County Executive

Josh Pulito Director

Dear Parent and/or Guardian,

Your child is registered for Dyken Pond Center's OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CAMP. We are celebrating our 30th year of connecting kids to nature! You will need to return three forms to us to complete registration: the Health form, the Parent /Guardian Authorization form and your child's immunization history. Please include any special concerns, health problems or behaviors that we should be aware of. Please return these three forms as soon as possible, but no later than June 30, so we have time to review before camp starts.

Here are a few things about the program you need to know:

- 1. The program is from 9 AM until 3 PM each day. Please be on time.
- 2. After care hours are available until 4 pm with advance notice. \$10 per hour.
- 3. Bring a lunch, snack and water bottle each day with camper's name on the bag/box. Campers will be responsible for bringing their trash home.
- 4. Wear comfortable clothes that can get dirty.
- 5. NO SANDLES. Wear shoes and socks.
- 6. Bring a backpack. Useful items to keep in it include a raincoat, sweatshirt and a water bottle.
- 7. Dress for the weather. This is an outdoor camp. We stay outside in a light rain and will be inside during any thunder or lightning storm. It can get chilly if we are caught in a rain shower, so pack an extra layer of clothes. Umbrellas are not allowed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please give me a call. Staff is looking forward to seeing many familiar faces and meeting new campers. We hope your child is eagerly anticipating this unique experience. Please return forms directly to the Center at the address below or dykenpond@gmail.com.

PLEASE COMPLETE BOTH SIDES OF ALL FORMS AND RETURN THEM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE BUT NO LATER THAN JUNE 30th.

This allows for a smooth first day of camp!

Sincerely,

Josh Pulito

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