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GLOW YMCA SUMMER CAMP FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: Hours of Operation?

A: Drop off begins at 7:00 am. All campers MUST be picked up by 6:00 pm. If you are a half day camper, pick up is at 12:00 noon (½ day will not receive lunch). Late pickups will result in a late pickup fee.

Q: Drop off procedure?

A: Campers will have their temperature taken & screening questions will be asked upon entering the building. Please see "Illness" for further guidance. In order to maintain the highest level of safety, guardians are not permitted past the sign-in station.

Q: Pick up procedure?

A: You will notify the sign-out attendant who you are picking up. Please be ready to present a valid photo ID daily (the sign-out attendant may change from time to time and identification will be necessary). Only those authorized on the camp packet are allowed to pick the camper up. If someone different needs to pick the camper up, please provide written consent at drop off.

Q: Illness?

A: If your camper is demonstrating signs of illness (fever, vomiting, diarrhea, etc.) they should remain out of camp for 24 hours symptom free. If your camper has been possibly exposed to, or tested positive for COVID-19, please follow the County Health Department's recommendations.

Q: Meals?

A: Meals are provided, FREE OF CHARGE, through Batavia City School District. Breakfast is served upon arrival until 8:30am. Campers arriving at 8:30am or later should eat breakfast prior to drop-off. Lunch is served at 12:00pm. Campers are allowed to pack their own meals if they choose.

Q: Snacks?

A: A snack period will be offered in the afternoon between 3pm and 4pm. To prevent cross-contamination, parents are asked to pack an afternoon snack for their child each day.

Q: Payment?

A: Each week of camp must be pre-paid by the Friday before each week. (Week 1 of camp, starting on 6/28, should be paid in full by 6/25.). All families will be placed on auto-draft unless extenuating circumstances arise. Please contact the YMCA to determine if you would like a bank draft or a card to be debited

Q: Swim?

A: A swim schedule will be provided. All campers are ENCOURAGED to swim! Swim ability tests will be conducted initially (and weekly) to determine if your camper needs to use a floatation device, should stay in the shallow end, or is proficient in the deep end. Campers can test out of an area as their swim level improves throughout the summer. Campers should pack their swim suit and a towel, goggles are allowed.

Q: Supplies from home?

A: This year we are asking if each camper can bring in a small bin with coloring utensils, pencil/pen, glue, scissors, and fidgets. This will limit the possibility of cross contamination of supplies. *As always, each camper should bring a labeled water bottle from home (this may be left at camp). It is also encouraged that campers dress appropriately for outside weather each and every day, but they may want to leave a labeled sweatshirt at camp if in the air conditioning.



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Q: Toys from home?

A: Campers may bring a few small toys of minimal value from home to keep in their bin (recommended playdoh, slime, dolls/action figure, bag of legos). The YMCA is not responsible for lost, stolen or broken items. Please remind your child not to trade items at camp.

Q: Electronics or cell-phones?

A: The camp program is designed to create an immersive experience for campers to connect in with one another, Therefore electronics and phones are not permitted at camp. If a child has a cell-phone, they may not use it during program hours. If you need to contact your child, please call the front desk (585)344-1664

Q: Sunscreen?

A: Campers may bring their own sunscreen to camp, but must be able to put the sunscreen on independently. It is recommended that you apply sunscreen to your camper before arriving to camp.

Q: Masks?

A: Based on Department of Health, CDC guidelines and YMCA recommendation, Staff (indoors and outdoors) and students (indoors) are required to wear masks at all times (with exception of meal and water breaks). This will be reevaluated often as we closely track and adjust to new public health information

Q: Best way to stay up to date?

A: Join the BAND app - GLOW Summer Camp. This private group is where the most up to date information, pictures and special events will be posted for our camp families, and gives you access to communicate with the Director, and Assistant Camp Director.

Q: COVID-19 Procedures?

A: There will be approximately 15 students per classroom as per DOH recommendations (this could grow based on changes in regulations throughout the summer). Students will have stations approximately 6 feet apart and will be encouraged to socially distance from one another. When students cannot socially distance or activities do not allow for distancing, students will thoroughly wash hands before and after said activity. If a suspected outbreak occurs, the room with the suspected outbreak will be closed temporarily based on DOH & contact trace guidelines. Those suspected of infection will stay home (as per CDC recommendations and illness policy above). All other students will be permitted to return symptom free based on DOH recommendation. Participants will be reimbursed for time missed due to COVID-19 cleaning Shutdown.

Q: Cleaning Procedures?

A: All staff take a workshop and training on increased cleaning procedures in an effort to minimize exposure risk of COVID-19. This includes increased cleaning of high-touch areas/shared spaces, disinfecting of supplies, various surface cleaning and more. Staff have a checklist of cleaning that is completed throughout the day in an effort to support these practices.