

CampCo

Recreation

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NORTH BEACH SUMMER DAY CAMPS 2019 **General Info for North Beach Full-Day & Afternoon Camps** **Lake Mission Viejo Association Camps**

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CampCo Day Camps is excited to have the opportunity to provide day camps for members of the Lake Mission Viejo Association! Our staff is busy training and planning for this summer. With all the new and exciting activities beginning this summer, it is certain that you and your Camper have some questions.

Daily Activities:

On the last page of this Information Letter is a calendar of this summer's exciting themes for our Day Camp. Activities will be held rain or shine, although adjustments to location or the nature of the planned activity may be changed. Please keep in mind that with such a long list of fun activities available and only a limited number of camp hours each day, not all activities can be offered every single day. Campers are divided into groups by age. Please visit the CampCo website for daily activity schedule. Activities are always subject to change.

Full-Day (9am-4pm or 8am-6pm)

It's a Summer of fun-fun-fun at Lake Mission Viejo! Campers will have an outrageous time participating in team-building activities, conducting weekly science experiments, going on scavenger hunts, connecting with nature, playing crazy games, making awesome crafts and doing wild sports. Additional activities for ages 5-7 include cruising on party boats, going on nature hikes and playing large-group games, while campers ages 8 & up will also have opportunities for pedal boats and campers 10 & up may do some kayaking each week. Daily themes provide fresh activities for each day. Themed activities may include wild parachute games, CampCo Olympics, Prisoner ball, ultimate Giant Jenga and more! Of course, North Beach Camp wouldn't be complete without daily swimming, plus campers staying until 6pm will have the opportunity to do some catch and release fishing on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Half Day Afternoon Camp (12-6pm)

The perfect option for campers who want to keep the momentum going from their morning Lake Jr. Lifeguards program or other specialty camps or for campers who want a lazy morning at home and jam-packed afternoons of swimming, crafts, games, songs, sports and more! Campers staying until 6pm will have the opportunity to do some catch and release fishing on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please note: if your child is interested in boating, please register for the Full-day Camp.

What to Bring/Wear:

- ✓ **Full Day Camp:** Lunch or money for Snack Bar lunch, 2 Healthy Snacks (3 snacks if you are staying past 4pm) and drink (non-perishable only; no refrigeration is available), 2 Filled Water bottles.
- ✓ **Afternoon Camp:** Lunch, 2 Healthy Snacks (no refrigeration is available), 1 Filled Water bottle.
- ✓ Send your child **wearing** his/her swimsuit under their clothing, with a change of clothes for after swim time. Please put the change of clothes in PLASTIC grocery bag, so we may put their wet suit in the bag after water time (do not combine siblings clothing into one bag). To make it easier for female campers at restroom time, ideally they should wear 2-piece suits. Bring a Towel & (ideally) flip flop sandals (for pool time only).
- ✓ Due to the high number of campers with severe "nut allergies", we are a "nut-free" camp. Please do not send campers with peanut butter sandwiches, Nutella, candies or cookies with nuts, trail mix, etc...

- ✓ Children should wear weather-appropriate “play clothing” that can get paint, glue or slimy stuff on it.
- ✓ Bring Towel, Hat & Sunglasses.
- ✓ Please send children wearing closed-toed, sturdy tennis shoes (no flip flops or sandals, except for Lake time).
- ✓ Apply sunscreen (SPF 30 or higher) to your child everyday & send a Bottle of Sunscreen with your Child.
- ✓ Children may not bring the following: cell phones, iPods, hand held video games, toys, alcohol, drugs, animals, weapons of any kind. Other items may be restricted as staff feels necessary.
- ✓ Put your child’s name on everything and place in a Backpack (a separate backpack for each sibling).
- ✓ Campers are encouraged to wear their CampCo Tie Dye T-shirt to camp each day (available for \$12 each).

Camp Location

The North Beach Camps are held at Lake Mission Viejo’s North Beach, 22255 Olympiad Road, Mission Viejo. The entrance is on Olympiad Road, between Marguerite Parkway and Alicia Parkway. North Beach Camp’s campsite is at the North Beach Picnic Shelter #2 (see map). Drop-off and pick-up times are as follows:

Camp Time	Drive up Drop-off At Boat Launch	Drive up Pick-up At Boat Launch
9am-4pm	9am-9:10am	3:50pm-4pm
8am-6pm	8am-8:10am	5:50pm-6pm
12pm-6pm	Sign-in at Camp Only	5:50pm-6pm

Of course, you may drop off late or pick up early, but to keep the flow of our activities and to avoid camp disruptions, we ask that you drop off and pick up on time.

Drive-Up Drop off and Pick up:

The following information is for drive-up drop off/pick up only. Parents who prefer to park in the parking lot and walk their child to sign in, will be able to sign their child in once drive-up sign in/out is complete. Vehicles with pets inside will NOT be permitted through the LMVA gates.

1. Staff will approach the vehicle’s driver to sign in for camp.
2. Then, Staff will direct the driver to the drop off/pick up area as space becomes available. **To help with the flow of traffic, Parent must stay in their vehicle.**
3. Vehicles should be moved promptly to avoid a back-up of vehicles. Be sure to watch for staff and campers.
4. At pick-up, please be prepared to show Photo I.D. at pick-up as we may have staff closing that day who may not know/recognize you.

Arriving Late? Want to Pick-up Early?

If you are dropping off or picking up during “off hours”, call the CampCo office to ask for the current location of campers; (949) 643-9008. **DO NOT ask the LMVA office where we are at any given time; they do not know where we are!** Parents who want to pick up early should ideally avoid pick-up from 3:30pm-3:50pm and 5:30pm-5:50pm as the campers and staff are very busy getting belongings together and preparing to walk to Drive-thru sign-out on time. For the safety and proper supervision of our campers, we will not do any sign-ins or sign-outs during our walk to and from the Drive-thru. Do NOT drop your child off and have them walk over unescorted!

Sign-in & Sign-out:

All campers must be signed in and out by a parent or authorized adult over 18 years old. You must present your Lake Card in order to be granted access into the Lake Gate. You must present a photo I.D. in order to pick up your child each day. If anyone other than the parent or guardian will be picking up the child, a note from the parent or guardian must be presented when your child is dropped off for camp; the person picking up the child must present a photo I.D. at the time of pick up.

Late Pick-up Fees

Any parent who does not pick up their child before the end time of their child's camp will be charged a late fee of \$1 per child for every minute late. The time will be determined by the Site Director's watch.

Afternoon Campers who are Enrolled in LMVA Jr. Lifeguards Camp

For children enrolled at Jr. Lifeguards ending at 12pm, campers can easily walk from the sand to our adjacent campsite for our 12pm-6pm camp. Parents of Jr. Lifeguards are required to notify CampCo if their Jr. Lifeguard child is out sick and won't be attending CampCo after Jr. Lifeguards, if the child is on a field trip or at East Beach for the day (parents must arrange with Jr. Lifeguard staff to transport their child to CampCo on those days). Be sure to provide detailed information during registration and contact us with any changes; (949) 643-9008.

Lunch/Snack Bar

Campers usually eat lunch at 12pm. Campers may bring a lunch or purchase lunch from the on-site Snack Bar. The Snack Bar offers Meals; menu prices to be determined later in the spring. We place our lunch orders at 9:30am. Afternoon campers and late arrivals must either bring their lunch or their parents must order snack bar lunch and deliver the lunch to the child's camp.

Campers must bring a healthy morning snack, but are permitted to purchase mid-afternoon snack from the Snack Bar. CampCo reserves the right to limit campers' consumption of certain items from the Snack Bar (no nut items & limited candy/sugar treats). We ask that siblings have separate lunch bags/boxes for each child.

Swim Time & Boating

Campers will be swimming in the Lake on a daily basis (weather-permitting). Each Monday (or whatever is the child's first day of camp for the week), the campers will be tested for swimming ability. Campers who "pass" the swim test will receive a blue wristband which shows that they have permission to swim out to the boundary markers/deep water (as a group and supervised by a counselor). The swim test is stringent and campers who pass must have strong swimming abilities and tend to be older campers. Your child's safety is our highest priority. Therefore, we ask that parents stand by our staff if their child does not pass the swim test and that they do not request an exception or for the child to be tested again that week. Campers are permitted to re-test each week of summer camp.

Campers who do not pass the test will only be permitted into chest-deep water and will be given an orange wristband. A good portion of our campers will be in the "orange group." During the majority of swim time, both "blue" and "orange groups" will play together in the shallow area. Parents may request that their child be automatically placed into the "orange group."

CampCo uses a "buddy-system" when in the water to ensure safety. Supervision during swim time includes CampCo staff at a 1:10 ratio, each of whom is trained in Water Safety, CPR and First Aid. Lake Mission Viejo lifeguards are present during CampCo swim time.

Campers have the opportunity to use boats each morning. Kayaks, Pedal Boats and Party Boats may be used. Campers ages 10 and over, who pass the swim test, may use kayaks, Campers ages 8 and over, who pass the swim test, may use pedal boats. Campers using boats will be accompanied by a Counselor either in their boat or in a nearby boat. The Boating Schedule is included on a chart later in this Information Letter. On some days, campers may have the opportunity to choose between boating or another activity, so all campers may not participate in boat activities as listed on the Boating Schedule. During swimming & boating times, the ratio of counselors to campers will be 1:10.

Emergencies

Should there be a local emergency (earthquake, fire, etc...), do not call the CampCo office or your child's camp site for at least 30 minutes after the emergency has occurred. It is vital that CampCo and camp site phone lines remain open so that we can make calls back and forth to our camp staff to check on campers, to call parents and to call emergency services, if necessary.

After an emergency, CampCo will only telephone parents of campers who are injured or in need of parent pick-up. If everyone and everything is fine, parents will not be telephoned. Parents may want to check Facebook as CampCo may post a notice in our "status" regarding the emergency.

Participant Cancellation/Transfer Policy

For the purposes of this Cancellation Policy, CampCo defines "activity" as any one-day or multi-day class, session, camp or other program that CampCo offers, and that each "activity" has its own individual activity number. I understand and agree to the following Cancellation Policy.

Number of Days that notice is given to CampCo, prior to Start-time of Activity	CampCo's Policy
Seven or more (7+) calendar days	100% Refund or Transfer, less a \$5 fee per activity
Seventy-two (72) hours to six (6) calendar days	100% Credit or Transfer, less a \$5 fee per activity
Anytime prior to the start of the activity, with a Doctor's Note	100% Credit or Transfer, less a \$5 fee per activity

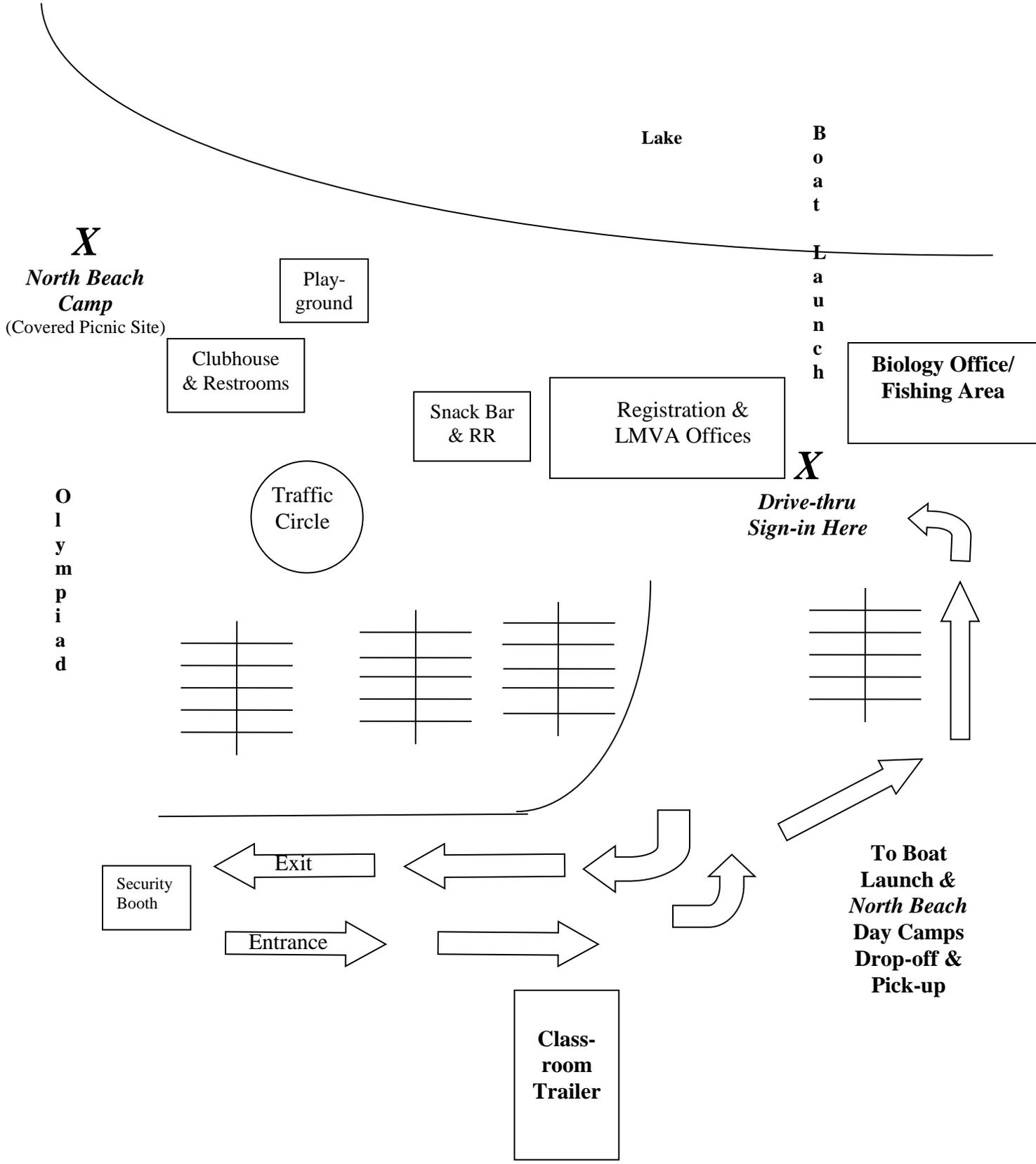
Credits are valid for future CampCo activities and are valid for at least one year from the date of the cancelled activities. No refunds or credits for no shows or after activity has begun nor for a portion of a multi-day activity. A 100% refund will be given for any activities cancelled by CampCo. There are minimum and maximum participants permitted in each activity; activities may be cancelled due to low registration and no more registrations will be accepted when maximum has been reached.

Other Policies:

CampCo is not responsible for any items that may be damaged while at camp. Our Staff to Child ratio for North Beach Camps is 1:10. Children who are ill, become ill or sustain injury that may require medical attention during camp will not be permitted to remain at camp; parents will be contacted to pick up their child. Children are expected to behave appropriately and must follow rules when at camp. Parents will receive written notification of negative behaviors, injuries or illnesses. Children who exhibit repeated problematic behaviors at camp, or who harm another person or property, or who are a danger to themselves or to others may be suspended from our camps, short-term or permanently, at CampCo's discretion.

Questions:

For any questions, concerns or compliments, call CampCo at (949) 643-9008. See you this Summer!



-As you may have already guessed, this map is not to scale-

LAKE MISSION VIEJO NORTH BEACH CAMPS

ROTATIONS	MONDAYS	TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	THURSDAYS	FRIDAYS
10am-11am or 11am-12pm	Party Boats Only	Party Boats And Kayak/Pedal	Party Boats And Kayak/Pedal	Party Boats And Kayak/Pedal	Party Boats And Kayak/Pedal

Schedule subject to change. Boating schedule can be changed due to number of campers, campers' interest in boating for the day, availability of boats, etc...

THEMES FOR SUMMER 2019

A sample of our Daily Schedule is available on the CampCo website:

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
June 17 Wet & Wild	June 18 Hands on Fun	June 19 Sponge-o-matic	June 20 Ninja Star	June 21 Republic of CA
June 24 80's Rock	June 25 Stick it to ya	June 26 Sack Attack	June 27 Alma Mater	June 28 Imaginary Dragons
July 1 Orange Justice	July 2 Marshmello v. Marshmallow	July 3 Hooray for USA	July 4 NO CAMP	July 5 NO CAMP
July 8 Are you Cereal?	July 9 Hugs for Pugs	July 10 Card Shark	July 11 Down the Rabbit Hole	July 12 Extreme Team
July 15 Tic Tac Toe	July 16 Heads Up	July 17 Foiled Over	July 18 Save the Drama for your Llama	July 19 Scales and Tails
July 22 Unicorn Magic	July 23 Just Plane fun	July 24 #CampCoDayCamps	July 25 Splat!	July 26 Ole
July 29 Luck of the Irish	July 30 Greatest Showman	July 31 Superheroes	August 1 Build it Up	August 2 Yippee Hippee
August 5 Snowed in	August 6 Stringing you along	August 7 Donut Daze	August 8 Floss like a Boss!	August 9 Splish Splash
August 12 Paper Creations	August 13 Charlie Brown	August 14 Cupid's Arrow	August 15 Hoopy Loopy	August 16 Farewell Friends
August 19 <i>SEE</i>	August 20 <i>OUR</i>	August 21 <i>LAKE</i>	August 22 <i>FOREST</i>	August 23 <i>CAMP</i>

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A sample of our Daily Schedule is available on the CampCo website: www.CampCoDayCamps.com.

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CampCo Tie Dye Shirt

Purchase Request Form 2019

CampCo Tie Dye Shirts are now available for only \$12 each!

CampCo Tie Dye Shirts are:

- *100% Cotton
- *Pre-shrunk
- *Look Awesome!

Campers are encouraged to wear tie dyed shirts to camp each day! Buy two!

To Order, Please Complete the Information Below:

Today's Date: _____

Camp Location: LMVA NORTH BEACH CAMP

Family's Last Name: _____ Phone #: _____

"X" the Size(s) that you are ordering for each child.

Children's Names	Age	Youth Small (6/8)	Youth Medium (10/12)	Youth Large (14/16)	Adult Small (34/36)	Adult Medium (38/40)

TOTAL FEES FOR TIE DYE SHIRTS LISTED ABOVE: \$ _____

PAYMENT:

1. **Visa or Mastercard or AmEx!**

Name on Card: _____ Card #: _____ Exp. : _____

Birth Date of Adult listed on Card: _____

2. **Fax all pages to: (949) 666-9008**

-OR-

Or Scan/Email to: Registration@CampcoDayCamps.com

-OR-

3. **Cash will be accepted ONLY if paid directly to the Site Director, Recreation Manager or CampCo Owner, and ONLY if you are receiving your shirt at the time of payment. Other Day Camp Staff are not permitted to accept these forms. (Staff Only: Cash Paid: _____)**

	Signature	Printed Name	Date
Staff Only:	First Day/Week of Camp: _____	Shirt(s) Deliv'd By: _____	Rec'd By: _____ Date: _____