

Special Olympics Maryland ELKS Camp this summer: - Sunday, August 1-Thursday, August 5



Special Olympics "sleep-over" Summer Camp run by Special Olympics Maryland

1/ There is \$25.00 activity fee to attend camp this year. This covers some of the material we need to supply for the camp and the activities.

2/ Camp will run until Thursday August 05th, 2010 at 1:00pm this year. We have added a day back from last year.

3/ There will be two groups at camp this year. We will be offering a Competitive Group where the level of fitness training and instruction will be increased and expectations for participation will be 100%. There will also be a Lifetime Sports Group that will highlight participation in less strenuous sports where the physical demands will be less but that participation will still be expected to be 100%. Campers may be moved between the groups depending on the interest and their participation level. Please also be aware that Campers who do not participate fully in either of these groups will not be accepted back next year.

4/ A Special Olympics Maryland Medical is NOT sufficient for this camp. The other form available online is the medical required by the American Camp Association for people wanting to attend camp. It is a requirement of the ELKS not SOMD so this must be filled out prior to the camper arriving in August.

The directions on this form instruct you to send the completed form to the camp. **DO NOT DO THAT. Send the forms to SOMD when completed.**

5/ We are requiring again that campers arrive with any medications pre-poured for Sunday and Monday in a clearly labeled med dispenser container. The rest of the medications must be in original bottles or blister packs accompanied with a Medication Administration Record that has every medication listed with Campers name, medication names that match the labels, dosages, times administered and any other pertinent information for the camp nurse.

6/ As in any year we are in need of parent support for the overnights in the bunks. Your help is really needed.

7/ Deadline for camp applications to be received at the office is July 09th, 2010. If we have 30 or less campers at that date we will cancel camp for this year.

8/ There may be an opportunity for campers to go on an overnight experience in tents. If you do not wish this for your camper please indicate on the last page of the application.

ELKS Camp application and medical forms are available online at www.somdmontgomery.org

Thanks and we look forward to seeing you at camp.- Jason Shcriml, SOMD V.P for Coach Development

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