

2025 Essential Family Camp Information

CHECK-IN

Family Camp (Thursday July 3)
Check-in with CC Staff in Parking Lot
Check-in 4pm - 7pm
First meal Saturday Breakfast

Family Explorers (Friday June 13 or July July 25)

Check-in with CC Staff in Parking Lot Check-in 6pm - 7pm First meal Saturday Breakfast

Upon arrival: Health check, share any new or worsening symptoms/conditions. Special diet foods to lodge refrigerator.

CHECK-OUT

Family Camp (Sunday July 7) 8:30am Breakfast (last meal)

Families clean-up, pack-up

10am Family Worship Service

Depart prior to noon

Family Explorers (Sunday June 15 or July 27)

8am Breakfast

Families clean-up, pack-up Family Worship Service

11:30am Lunch

Depart

PACKING GUIDELINES

Please use these guidelines to help make your family's camp experience great.

- We ask that luggage fits under the bed in a cabin. The opening under the bunks is 11" high. This is especially helpful for those sharing cabins during *Family Explorers*.
- Staff anticipate being available to help you get your items to your cabins so it helps to have things closed, zipped, and stowed. A rolled sleeping bag often comes unraveled.
- Please pack clean luggage, and recently washed bedding. We want the cabins to be a clean environment for all campers and families
- Place toiletries in a type of plastic bag or kit to make it easy to travel to and fro the showers.
- Packing as a family allows everyone to know where everything is and allows the kids to develop a sense of responsibility in keeping track of their belongings.
- Please remember that this is a Family Camp and adults will be in charge of safely storing and distributing any regular family medications. Do NOT leave medications lying out in cabins. In the event that a first aid need arises during your stay, CC Staff will be able to assist you.

WHAT NOT TO PACK

These are items that we ask you to leave at home, or keep stowed in your car during your Family Camp time.

- Valuables
- Alcoholic beverages
- Gaming devices, iPods, or other MP3 players, radios, etc.
- Cell phones (prefer cell phones out for photos only)
- Food/Snacks to lodge or in car; not in cabins
- Camp Concordia is smoke-free and cannot accommodate pets

WHAT TO PACK

You know your family's needs best. We have made this guide as a suggestion to assist you in your packing.

- Bible
 - Cash or check for Blue Canoe (Camp Store) purchases
- Water Bottle (may purchase Nalgene bottle at camp store \$15)
- Sleeping Bag & Pillow (cabin mattresses are Twin XL)
 - Pajamas, underwear and extra socks
- Clothes that can get dirty
- Shorts, T-shirts, Long pants & Long Sleeved shirts
- Sweatshirt or Jacket (warm layers for rainy days or cool weather)
- Rain Gear
- Insect repellent with DEET (Camp does spray for mosquitos)
- Sunscreen
- Shoes (close toed for games, beach shoes & a pair that can get dirty and stay on even in mud)
- Modest one-piece Swimsuit (2 piece ok if covers middle)
 - Toiletries
 - Towels (beach & shower)
- Flashlight
- Bag for dirty clothes
- A desire to have FUN and engage with your child(ren) in a natural camp atmosphere!

Other Ideas:

- Bike and helmets for bike trails
- Fishing gear (need fishing license from DNR)
- Ideas for Family Skit night "The Wave"

The Family Camp Ethos: Family Camps at Camp Concordia are times for quality time and connection. Unless specifically stated otherwise, parents/guardians understand that they are fully responsible for the supervision and safety of their children.