

## 2017 4-H Summer Camp Additional Information

**Cabin Assignments:** **Although we try hard to accommodate bunking requests, sometimes it just is not possible.** The cabin assignments will be given to the campers and counselors upon arrival at camp. It is a great time to make new friends and assignments should be viewed with this idea in mind.

**Food:** All meals during the week are provided by Camp Cloverleaf and its' wonderful kitchen staff. Unless already noted on the camp registration form, if there are any dietary restrictions or allergies please let me know in a separate, private email. If the youth does not like the meal being served there is always the standby of peanut butter and jelly sandwiches or a salad. Snacks are provided with no extra charge at designated times twice a day at the Cloverleaf Canteen.

**Labeling/Lost Items:** Please label items, clothing and articles with your youth's name. **If an item is lost or left behind at camp it is your responsibility to contact the camp to see if the item has been found and arrange for its return.** Each child is responsible for their own items and any articles of clothing they bring with them to camp. 4-H Agents, Camp Staff or Adult Volunteers are not responsible for ANY items.

**Lice Check:** Per the State 4-H Camping Office, a visual lice check must be done by designated persons on each child prior to their getting on the bus for camp. If there are any lice issues, the child will not be able to board the bus and cannot go to camp unless they are taken to a professional salon for an approved lice removal treatment. Parents will need to contact the Camp at 863-465-4884 (allow phone to ring as staff is usually outside) for further instructions, such as what is accepted as proof of treatment.

**Luggage:** All luggage will be carried by the youth (smaller children will be assisted) to their cabins so please pack accordingly. The luggage will stay with the child and parents during the check-in, then brought to the luggage loading area. All luggage will be loaded into the back of the bus for the ride to and from Camp Cloverleaf. Very important – the bus transporting the youth has a limited amount of room - please have campers pack as sparingly as possible. **A check list of items is available in " Things to Bring"**

**Medication:** If your child takes ANY type of medication, whether over the counter or prescription, it must be put (along with a copy of the medication form) in a sealed, clear plastic Ziploc baggie labeled with the child's name. Give directly to an Extension Office Representative designated as a check-in person on Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup> prior to boarding the bus. **Children cannot drop off their own medication; it must be given to the designated representative before the child gets on the bus by the parent or legal guardian.** The form is also attached to this email for your convenience.

**Pictures of Your Happy Campers:** I will be posting pictures of all the youth at camp activities throughout the week on the Indian River County 4-H Program's Facebook page. Please visit it frequently to see the campers!

**Behavior & Conduct:** As always, Indian River County Campers are well-behaved youth. Parents or Legal Guardians will be called if deemed necessary for any youth's behavior, conduct or actions. Each youth signed the Florida 4-H Code of Conduct and I will have that copy with me at camp.

**Sick of Forms?:** All Forms, FAQ sheets & information are also available on the Indian River County 4-H Camp website – <http://indian.ifas.ufl.edu/4H/Camp/index.html>

If you have any questions please email me at [dc32@ufl.edu](mailto:dc32@ufl.edu)

Thank you,

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