

## Camp Stow 2021 Covid-19 Information and FAQ

We will be adhering to the guidelines from the State of Massachusetts and the Nashoba Board of Health who grants us our camp license: such as social distancing/masks, hand sanitizer/disinfecting surfaces, etc.

Camp will look a little different than normal. We can't promise we will do all of our regular activities and games; however, we hope to provide a place where kids can be outside and play and socialize with their friends with some sense of normalcy, and also give parents a break.

We will have to cancel if there is severe weather/heavy rain (which we normally do not do) or other weather as we are an outdoor camp and do not have enough room in the tent to gather for long periods of time with a large group with the current safety concerns.

Screening- We will record temperature for staff and campers each day.

No Field trips this summer

No special guest or events- no non-essential visitor including parents and volunteers.

Smaller groups sizes. Total group size 12 including two staff members

Campers will stay in their individual groups all week and with the same counselors. We will not be combined for any activities unless we can be 6 feet apart from one and other.

Mask will be always worn except for when swimming or eating lunch or snack. This would be for all staff and campers.

We will create designated areas where a child can go if they need a mask break

We will have a designated area for sick campers and staff. Parents will be notified immediately if a child becomes ill.

Water will be supplied but campers will need to bring their own water bottle to fill up through out the day. We will add more water stations, so campers do not bunch up at the water locations.

We will have hand sanitizer available in a number of locations and will require campers to use frequently as well as hand washing.

## FAQ

1. Will you have any sort of screening in place?

Yes, we will be doing temperature checks daily.

2. Will the children and staff be required to wear masks?

Yes

3. In what circumstances would they be allowed to remove their mask?

Swimming, eating and activities where they can be at least 6 feet apart from each other. We will also have an area where a child can go if the need a mask break.

4. Will the kids be put into small groups that will be kept separate from other groups, or will the kids mix as they would in a "normal" year?

They will be put in small groups, no more than 12 including staff. They will stay in their group throughout the day and with that same group all week.

5. How much time will the kids spend indoors? What is being done to make the indoor areas as safe as possible? (Ex. improved ventilation system, open windows, air filters, stringent social distancing, etc.)

We are an outdoor camp. We will hold camp even in the rain. However, this year we will have to cancel camp for the day if we are expecting severe weather.

6. How will you handle kids / staff that become symptomatic? What will happen if someone tests positive for Covid?

We will immediately separate the person who seems to have symptoms and ask that they be picked up as soon as possible. We will make all parents aware of the situation and keep them up to date with any information we can provide. We will not close camp unless the BOH requires up to.