Dear Parent/Guardian,

Thank you for choosing Weaverville Summer Day Camp. We have a fun and exciting program planned for 2016! Please complete and return pages 2-5 with payment.

Please read this packet thoroughly, as there have been changes since last year.

1) Camp is designed for children aged 5 - 12. Children who are 5 must have <u>passed</u> Kindergarten and be advancing to first grade. Children who are 12, can be entering 7th grade. Campers are assigned to group programs by their age. Each age group will stay together during camp and participate in age-appropriate activities.

2) Lunches will NOT be provided. Please send your child with a lunch and <u>RE-USABLE</u> water bottle every day of camp. We'd like to keep disposable water bottles to a minimum. Healthy snacks are provided at mid-morning.

3) Field trips will be organized for campers aged 8 - 12 years old. We try to include every child who is eligible, but occasionally our transportation options limit the number who can participate on any given day. Every effort will be made to include every eligible camper in an equitable manner. See page 6 for more information on field trips and this year's themes.

4) The **child behavioral agreement** is to be read with your child. Please take the time to review this with your child and <u>have your child sign it.</u>

5) All **emergency information** must be provided - this form also includes a **photo release**. If your child is taking regular <u>medications or has conditions the counselors need to be aware of</u>, please indicate this on the emergency information sheet. This information will be kept confidential, but it is extremely important in case of an emergency. Our counselors are typically High School students and <u>are NOT</u> <u>trained to deal with extreme cases of behavioral conditions</u>. Please consider this before enrolling your child. If you have questions or concerns please call the District to discuss your individual situation.

6) We MAY be swimming once per week. The hours for the pool have not yet been confirmed for 2016, due to budgetary concerns. A completed **swim permission form is required in case the pool is opened**. Your child will need a swimsuit, towel and sunscreen on these days. Many children bring goggles, but no other toys are allowed.

Sincerely,

Donna Rupp Camp Coordinator, Weaverville Summer Day Camp Trinity County Resource Conservation District





2016 Weaverville Summer Day Camp: APPLICATION

(Complete one form per child, please)

Day Camp starts at 9:00 a.m. and ends promptly at 2:00 p.m. weekdays at the Young Family Ranch, 260 Oregon Street, Weaverville. No before/after care is available.

Each child is required to bring his/her own lunch and RE-USABLE water bottle daily!

Session Options

Children may be enrolled for multiple sessions. Check all sessions children will attend and the age group.

- □ <u>Minnows: Ages 5-7</u> (limit 15/ weekly session) Focus on exploring nature at the Ranch.
- □ <u>Trout: Ages 8-9 (limit 15/weekly session)</u> Focus on nature with some field trips.
- □ <u>King Salmon: Ages 10-12</u> (limit 10/weekly session) In-depth focus on nature with hands-on programs and multiple field trips.
 - Session 1: July 11 through July 15 <u>Theme:</u> Westward Ho!
 - □ Session 2: July 18 through July 22 <u>Theme</u>: Forest Explorer
 - Session 3: July 25 through July 29 <u>Theme:</u> Wet n' Wacky!

Full descriptions of camp themes are on page 6.

Registration Fees: \$45 /child per session for first two children from the same family; third child (or more) from the same family enrolled in same session: \$40/ child per session.

Child Information

| I wish to enroll my child, | in the 2016 Weaverville |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Summer Day Camp Program. | |

Age:_____

Mail or email address (for receiving other camp information):

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: TRINITY COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT (or TCRCD) COMPLETED APPLICATIONS AND REGISTRATION FEES CAN BE SENT TO:

| TRINITY COUNTY RCD Attn: Summer Day Camp PO Box 1450 Weaverville, CA 96093 | | Or drop off at: 30 Horseshoe Lane, Weaverville (1/4 mile north of Weaverville Elementary on Hwy. 3) | |
|---|----|--|---|
| For Office Use: Name of child/children: Date Received Amount Paid () Cash | | () Check # | |
| | Li | TCRCD 2016 www.tcrcd.net ke us on Facebook 530-623-6004 | 2 |

Weaverville Summer Day Camp 2016: EMERGENCY INFORMATION

(Complete one form per child, please)

| Please Print | | | | | |
|--|--------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Child's name | _ | | | | |
| Mother's name | _Phone (C) | | | | |
| Father's name | | | | | |
| Primary Caregiver/Guardian: | | | | | |
| → Names of persons authorized to take child from Day Camp (The child will only be allowed to leave with the persons listed below.) | | | | | |
| → Additional individuals who may be called in an emerge | • | | | | |
| Name | Phone | | | | |
| Name | Phone | | | | |
| → Physician to be called in the event of an emerge | ency: | | | | |
| Name | Phone | | | | |
| ightarrow If this physician cannot be reached, what action | n should be taken? | | | | |
| → Allergies/medical/medication/dietary/other co | nditions: | | | | |

→ PERMISSION FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT: Administrative procedures vary among medical personnel and medical facilities with regard to provision of medical care for a child in the absence of a parent or legal guardian. The exact procedure required by the physician or hospital to be used in emergencies should be verified in advance.

IN CASE OF AN ACCIDENT OR EMERGENCY, I AUTHORIZE A STAFF MEMBER OF THE WEAVERVILLE SUMMER DAY CAMP TO TAKE MY CHILD TO THE ABOVE NAMED PHYSICIAN OR TO THE NEAREST EMERGENCY HOSPITAL FOR SUCH EMERGENCY TREATMENT AND MEASURES AS ARE DEEMED NECESSARY FOR THE SAFETY AND PROTECTION OF THE CHILD, AT MY EXPENSE.

→ IN AN EFFORT TO OBTAIN CONTINUED FUNDING FOR THIS PROGRAM, PHOTOGRAPHS MAY BE TAKEN OF CHILDREN AS THEY PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAM.

YES___ My child's picture may appear in the Trinity Journal and other media informing others about the program.

NO___ Please do not use my child's picture.

I understand NO medical insurance is provided.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE____

Weaverville Summer Day Camp 2016: CHILD BEHAVIORAL AGREEMENT (Complete one form per child, please)

Our goal is to provide a fun and safe environment for all of our campers this summer. To that end, we want to make you aware of the following:

While at Weaverville Summer Day Camp the children are expected to behave in an appropriate manner, no hitting, kicking, spitting, biting, or harmful behavior, neither physical or emotional will be allowed. Unacceptable language and bullying will not be tolerated.

All avenues will be explored to resolve the situation prior to contacting the parent. We reserve the right to remove the child from the camp, if unacceptable behavior continues and we are unable to resolve the issue.

| Childs's Name (print) | |
|------------------------------|------|
| Child's Signature | Date |
| Parent/Guardian Name (print) | |
| Parent/Guardian Signature | Date |

Weaverville Summer Day Camp 2016: SWIM PERMISSION

(Complete one form per child, please)

Campers will swim at Lowden Park Pool one day during sessions one and two. Being a special activity, EVERY camper must have a signed permission slip in order to participate in this activity.

Parents/guardians have the option of picking up their child(ren) at Lowden Park Pool at 2:00 pm, or children may stay at the pool for the open swim session which ends at 4:00 pm. After 2:00 pm the children will no longer be supervised by the Weaverville Summer Day Camp staff, and will be solely supervised by the Weaverville Parks and Recreation District's lifeguards.

There is no charge for campers to swim, whether you pick them up at 2:00 pm or let them stay at open swim until 4:00 pm. <u>But we must know what time you plan to pick up your child, so please check the appropriate box below.</u>

On swim day your child should bring a swimsuit, towel, sunscreen, and a lifejacket if needed. Goggles are allowed, but no toys. Our time at the pool should be great fun, but please remember:

My child, ______, has my permission to participate in the swimming trip to the Lowden Park Pool. I understand that, though the camp counselors will attend with the campers until 2:00 pm, my child will be under the supervision of the Weaverville Parks and Recreation District's lifeguards.

If there are any restrictions on my child's participation at the pool, I will communicate with the Camp Coordinator, Donna Rupp, about them and <u>write the restrictions on the reverse side of this form.</u>

Child's swimming level: Beginner:_____ Intermediate:_____ Advanced:_____

My Child is on the Swim Team: Yes ____ No ____

___ I will pick up my child at Lowden Park Swimming Pool PROMPTLY at 2:00 pm.

_____I wish for my child to stay at Lowden Park Pool after 2:00 pm without the supervision of the Weaverville Summer Day Camp counselors and entirely under the supervision of the Weaverville Parks and Recreation District's lifeguards, where I will pick him/her up before 4 pm, when the open swim session ends.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Weaverville Summer Day Camp 2016: FIELD TRIP INFORMATION

All sessions of Weaverville Summer Day Camp include some type of field trip.

All counselors are certified with First Aid and CPR training. Your child's safety is our top concern.

Field trips can include walking to an offsite location (such as the pool or creek), riding in an eight passenger van, or riding on a Trinity Transit bus. Campers are never transported in private vehicles.

When you bring your child to the first day of each session, you will be given a schedule for the week, including field trips. Each Monday, we will ask you to sign a permission slip for that week's field trips.

Session Themes

Session 1, July 11 - July 15, 2016: Westward Ho!

Campers will experience fun adventures related to the Old West, including animal tracks, the power of plants, learning to read compasses and maps, songs, games and a taste of the wagon train with "cookie" and the wagon train master. We'll end the week with our own "hoe-down" created by and for the campers.

Session 2, July 18- July 22, 2016: Forest Explorer

Campers explore our own Weaverville Community Forest with hikes, creek wading, crafts and bird watching. They'll even get a chance to build their own forest and see how it responds to natural disturbances. They'll learn about native and invasive plants and how they affect the health of the forest as well as how forests affect the health of the entire planet.

Session 3, July 25 - July 29, 2016: Wet n' Wacky!

The end of July is the best time of the year for water fun! Campers will get wet and wacky, quack like a duck and build like a beaver. Crafts, games, and the mysteries of water will be explored during this fun week. They may even learn a thing or two about the earth's oceans, lakes and rivers without ever setting foot in a classroom.

Please feel free to call Donna Rupp with any questions or input at: 623-6004