

Summer 2017

Hello, Everybody!

Please access your parent information sheet, map, packing list and medical form on the website. Please be sure to bring a small picture of yourself to attach to your passport (which you will receive at registration) and your medical form with you to camp on Sunday, August 6th between 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. It won't be long now until we see all of you at our wonderful campsite, The Family Retreat Center, conveniently located near Cranberry Township.

Many parents want to help us, and we appreciate that so much! Here's a checklist to give you some ideas of how you can help:

- _____ Bring a bag of nearly new stuffed animals or other prizes for our prize table on Carnival Night.
- _____ Contact a local bookstore and ask for book or prize donations.
- _____ Bring a carnival-type game and the necessary equipment (balls, hoops, balloons, bean bags, squirt guns, etc.)
- _____ Make a cake or cookies and bring them with you on Sunday for dessert one night.
- _____ Add an additional amount to your camp fee for our scholarship fund
- _____ Make a donation to our Kiosk (Candy/Snack Store)

Thank you in advance for all of your support. The items donated last year were fantastic!

Please remember, each camp will have a half-hour program on Saturday, August 12th, and then we need to leave the campsite by noon. In order that all three programs may be viewed, I am piggy-backing them again this year: French: 10:00, Spanish: 10:30, and German: 11:00. I hope this will work for you. I personally would love to see all three shows. You certainly may choose to see one or all three shows. If you choose all shows, arrive around 9:00, help your child load all of his/her belongings, and join us for the first show at 10:00.

Be sure to remember to visit our craft and cooking cabin to pick up the group photo that you ordered and to possibly buy 4 x 6 photos taken during the week for \$.50 each. The money left in your child's bank account has been returned to your child at breakfast on the 12th. Be sure to ask for it. Usually at least three or four bags of belongings are left on last day of camp. Count the bags you bring on first day and on the last.

Three cheers for our wonderful language camps! This year will be better than ever! We are so excited about the convenient location and the newness of the facilities. Be sure to think now whom you could encourage to come to camp for this wonderful experience. You will be our best ambassador! It is our 32nd year! It is time for everyone to know about us!

We have some very excellent language teachers on staff this summer. See you soon. If you have any questions, my number is (412) 916-0052.