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CAMP NEBAGAMON CONDUCT POLICY

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM BY MAY 15!!

We believe it is in the best interest of everyone to clarify our expectations and definitions of appropriate camper behavior. Therefore, we ask that parents and campers **read, sign, and return one copy of this policy statement**. Please keep the other copy for your records. Should you have any questions regarding this document, please get in touch with us.

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Camp is a community where boys function in an atmosphere dedicated to individual growth, which is facilitated by a set of standards and behavior expectations. Our intention here is to delineate very clearly what these standards and expectations are and what action we will take in our role as “substitute parents” in the event these rules are broken.

The following are not allowed:

- A. Possession or use of weapons, firearms, or firecrackers.
- B. Illegal activity, including possession or use of any illegal drug or substance.
- C. Possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages.
- D. Possession or use of tobacco products.
- E. Possession, use, lending, or sale of pornographic materials including magazines such as *Maxim*, *Stuff*, and *FHM*, etc.
- F. Activity detrimental to the welfare or health of others, including, but not limited to, physical or verbal aggression, theft, and vandalism.

Should we have any reason to suspect a camper of violating one of the above rules, we shall respond as follows: For A through E, we reserve the right to search the camper’s possessions in his presence. If we determine that a violation of any regulation has occurred, we will notify his parents. Disciplinary action may be taken after full consideration of the situation.

In regard to F, group living requires respectful treatment of fellow cabin mates and counselors. Any camper who does not adhere to this philosophy will be counseled and, if necessary, disciplined by us. We reserve the right to send a child home who refuses, despite our efforts, to comply with a standard of behavior that includes consideration for the feelings and property of others at camp. **If a boy’s conduct or influence becomes so detrimental or disruptive that he must be sent home, no refund of tuition will be made.**

We also feel that a safe and successful camping experience requires adherence to a few rules and regulations regarding **safety procedures**. Persistent and willful disregard for these is considered sufficient reason for expulsion.

In situations of persistent negative behavior, we often communicate with parents for suggestions and to secure cooperation and help. However, in circumstances that we deem excessive and completely unacceptable, a camper could be sent home without consultation (other than making travel arrangements) with parents.

I have read and discussed the Camp Nebagamon Conduct Policy with my son.

Parent’s Signature Date

I have read and understand the Camp Nebagamon Conduct Policy.

Camper’s Signature Print Camper’s Name