

Overnight Camp Frequently Asked Questions

When are Check-in and Pick-up?

Check-in occurs on Sunday afternoon between **3:30pm-5:00pm**. Pick-up is on Friday from **5:00-6:00pm**.

How do I get back into my Camp In Touch account?

Visit our website www.campscully.camp, click on the blue button for returning campers to access your Camp In Touch account. You can add sessions to your camper's registration form, complete the online Health History and Release forms, upload your camper's Physician's Exam form and pay your balance.

How can I pay?

The simplest way to pay is by credit or debit card using our online system. When you registered your child for camp, you chose one of three options: Pay in Full or Installment Plan – Credit Card or Installment Plan – Check. We **email** Invoices in early March, April, May and June, at least 10 days before we charge all credit cards on file for the invoiced amount. If you want to change your payment method, contact the registrar at 518-283-1617. All accounts must be paid in full by June 15th.

I'm paying by check/money order. Where do I send it?

Our business office address is: **Camp Scully Registrar, PO Box 28, Rensselaer, NY 12144.**

Why must I make an appointment with my child's doctor?

A doctor's examination within a year of attending overnight camp is needed to confirm a camper's physical ability to participate in camp activities and to authorization of any prescription medications and/or dietary requirements. Our Physician's Exam Form must be signed or stamped by a doctor.

Can I bring my child's medical form to Sunday's check-in?

No. The form MUST be uploaded into our system or mailed to our Camp Registrar by June 9th. The Health Director needs time to review all health forms before you arrive at camp.

What happens if my child becomes ill?

If the Health Director determines that your child must leave camp due to illness, we will contact you or your emergency contact and ask you to pick them up. They may return to camp if their condition improves and their doctor and the Health Director give approval. If your child requires emergency medical attention, we will contact the emergency services and then contact you.

My child wants to bunk with friends. What do I do?

If you did not enter friend requests while registering, email campscully@ccalbany.org and the registrar will enter your requests. Cabin assignments are made primarily by school grade grouping and we honor such requests as much as is possible.

Why is everything online now?

As a camp that exists in nature, we have taken steps to decrease the amount of paper we generate in order to lessen our impact on the environment. We switched from paper towels to air dryers in our bathrooms, we recycle or reuse old forms and we email all billing invoices. Indeed, most of our communication is via email, which is why it is especially important to **use your primary email address in your Camp In Touch Account.**

Packing for Camp

Camp Scully feels strongly that a true camp experience need not include many of the electronic devices which have become so much a part of young people's lives today (i.e. hand-held video games, cell phones, MP3 players and computers). Not only are they expensive and run the risk of being damaged, lost or stolen, but they tend to isolate participants from one another rather than foster the community group experience we hope each participant has while at Camp Scully. There are also items that are **NOT** allowed (see below) at camp; if they are brought, they will be confiscated and held in the camp office until the camper's parent picks them up.

All belongings should be labeled with the camper's name.

Please label everything your child brings to camp. Campers should only bring necessary items to camp.

The following is a guide of what to bring for **OVERNIGHT CAMP**.

- Shirts or T-Shirts (6)
- Shorts (4)
- Long Pants (1)
- Pajamas
- Underwear (6)
- Socks (6)
- Rain Jacket
- Swim Suit (2)
- Towel (2)
- Shoes (2)
- Sandals – must have heel strap and closed toe (flip-flops can only be worn in the shower)
- Warm sweater or jacket
- Toilet accessories (toothpaste, toothbrush, shampoo, deodorant, etc.)
- Pillow
- Sleeping Bag or Blanket
- Hat suitable for sun protection

The following is a guide of what to bring for **DAY CAMP each day**.

- Spare T-Shirts and shorts
- Spare underwear
- Rain Jacket
- Swim Suit
- Towel
- Shoes/sandals – must have heel strap and closed toe (flip-flops cannot be worn)
- Warm sweater or jacket
- Hat suitable for sun protection

The following items are **NOT** allowed at camp and will be held in the camp office until the camper's parent picks them up.

- Cell phones
- Radios, TV's, CD's or MP3 players
- Pets or animals
- Digital Cameras
- Video game players
- Food or drinks – including candy
- Money
- Pocket Knives

Possession of the following items could result in the camper being dismissed from camp.

- Illegal Drugs
- Alcohol
- Tobacco Products
- Vaping Products
- Weapons – including knives