



# Canyon Creek Sports Camp Parent Information Sheet Summer '10

*Thank you for choosing Canyon Creek Sports Camp!*

We pride ourselves in maintaining a high-quality camp in a safe setting and we are confident that your kid will have a great time while at 'The Creek'! This sheet includes some reminders about camp to help get you acquainted with some basic policies and procedures of our program...PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

Go ahead and stick it up on your fridge and use it as your "cheat sheet" while your kid is at camp!

## LETTERS & PACKAGES

Mail is delivered to campers each evening. Campers are given the opportunity to write home everyday and we encourage parents and friends to send letters as often as possible. *If you plan on sending any mail to camp, please keep the following in mind:*

☆PLEASE WRITE YOUR CHILD'S NAME AND CABIN NUMBER CLEARLY ON THE ENVELOPE.

☆ If sending a package, please send NO MORE THAN ONE PACKAGE PER WEEK

☆ Please LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF FOOD, DO NOT SEND CANDY and DO NOT SEND FOOD WITH PEANUT PRODUCTS!

☆ For packages, if UPS is convenient for you, please use their services as they deliver to camp every day!

☆Please note that any food sent will be shared with the entire cabin.

## E-MAILS

Although campers do not have computer access, our directors do! The Bunk 1 information sheet included in your Parent Kit takes you through the steps to register and send mail.

E-mails cost just \$1 each and are sent to us at midnight to be handed out the following day at mail call.

## Faxes

Although we highly recommend mailing or e-mailing letters to your kid at camp, sometimes you just need to send a quick message to your kid to let them know that you are thinking of them. Our fax line is open 24-hours per day for limited faxing purposes.

The fax number is (661)724-9187.

## Laundry

For campers staying with us for sessions 1, 2, 3 or 4, we will provide a laundry service in the middle of the session. Please be sure all clothing is securely LABELED!

## Camp Updates & Pictures

To help keep you connected to what's going on up at camp, we will be sending out weekly e-mails letting you know all the fun stuff your kid is up to!

In addition to **hearing** about what's going on at camp, you will also be able to **see** what's going on everyday by checking out pictures of your kid on our website! - The Bunk1 information sheet included in your Parent Kit takes you through the steps to register. Once you are registered, you can enjoy the pictures everyday through our website at [www.canyoncreeksportscamp.com](http://www.canyoncreeksportscamp.com)

# Transportation

Parents have the option of either driving their kid to and/or from camp or taking advantage of our chartered buses. We highly recommend that campers take the bus to and from camp as the camp experience begins as soon as they step on board! Our buses are all air-conditioned and have restrooms on board. The charge for the bus is \$40 each way. Plus, taking the bus is simple! All you need to do is:

1. Return the transportation notice that is included in the Parent Information Kit along with payment, then
2. Bring your kid to either **Cheviot Hills Recreation Center** OR **Balboa Sports Center**
3. Pick them back up at the bus stop when the session is over!

Now **TWO** bus stop locations! You can choose between:

- (1) **Cheviot Hills Recreation Center** - 2551 Motor Avenue, Los Angeles 90064 **MAIN PARKING LOT**  
**DROP-OFF:** First Sunday of session between **9:00 and 9:30am**. The bus leaves promptly at 10:00am!  
**PICK-UP:** Last Saturday of session at **1:00pm**. Buses leave camp by 11:00am.
- (2) **Balboa Sports Center** - 17015 Burbank Blvd., Encino 91316 **ON BALBOA BLVD. SIDE OF PARK**  
**DROP-OFF:** First Sunday of session at **10:30am**  
**PICK-UP:** Last Saturday of session at **12:00 noon**

**If you are NOT taking the bus,**

The **DROP-OFF** time for all sessions is on the first Sunday of the session **between 11:00am and 11:30am**

The **PICK-UP** time for all sessions is on the last Saturday of the session **between 10:30 and 11:00am**.

## AIRPORT SERVICE

Canyon Creek is pleased to offer a complimentary airport service for those campers travelling from out of town. ***Please be sure to forward your travel itinerary to camp prior to the start of the session.*** When making your flight plans, please consider the following recommendations:

1. If possible, please arrange flights to **Burbank Airport**. If not possible, please arrange for LAX.
2. Please schedule arrival time for as close to 10:00am as possible on the first day of the session.
3. Please schedule departure time between 12:00pm and 1:00pm on the last day of the session.

## Medications and Vitamins

For the safety of our campers, we ask that **all medications and vitamins be packed separately from the rest of camper's belongings.** All med's and vitamins will be collected at the bus stop or at camp on the first day of the session and will be kept and dispensed only by our camp nurse.

***Please be sure that all medications are in their original pharmacy-labeled containers!***

## Camp Shirts

Each camper will receive 5 camp shirts on the first day of their session. All campers are required to wear camp shirts during the day Mon-Fri. Evenings and weekends are free dress.

Additional shirts may be purchased in the camp store for \$10.00 if necessary.

## Special Event Days

**SESS. 1: Casino!!**

**SESS. 2: Mardi Gras!!**

**SESS. 3: Halloween in July!!**

**SESS. 4: Carnival!!**

*Bring something fun & festive to wear!*

## CELL PHONES

Canyon Creek Sports Camp has a strict **NO CELL PHONE** policy. Parents are more than welcome to call camp anytime to check up on their campers but any cell phones at camp will be confiscated until the end of the session.