

SUMMER 2020 - COVID 19 - ADDENDUM

As we all know, our understanding of the current Pandemic is fluid, with new information, knowledge, and policies changing regularly. We are taking steps internally to help ensure that we are doing what we can to mitigate disease vectors while also continuing to serve the community with a needed program. We will follow PAC's infectious disease control policy as well as guidance from local, state, and federal officials. Changes/variances to our normal LWDC handbook policies are highlighted below:

Check-In/Check-Out: will happen outside of the specific rooms used by camp. Parents dropping off campers will be encouraged to stay 6' apart while waiting with their child(ren). Staff will take temperatures (no-touch) and ask parents to sign in only if they can validate that their child is asymptomatic and has not recently had exposure to someone who has tested positive for Covid-19. At check-out, staff will radio to camps to let staff know to send kids out for check-out. One check in station for the 1-2 grade camp and Tues/Thurs camp will be set up in the lobby. A second one for 3-5 grade camp will be set up in the south gym doors. On Fridays, all entry will be through the lobby. We ask that children and their households be symptom free before coming to camp and that any child or household that has had contact with someone known to have covid-19, please stay home.

Cleaning: PAC staff will clean and disinfect items regularly and according to schedules. This will include high touch areas, bathrooms, and any equipment/toys/games/furniture used by campers. PAC uses a variety of cleaners, all approved by the CDC. Staff will be trained in their use and cleaning will be documented.

Staff Screenings: PAC staff will self-screen daily with temperature checks as well as a series of questions. Staff who are exhibiting any symptoms will be required to stay home/be sent home.

Maximums: We've decided to keep our limit to ~15 campers per camp for the summer. This will allow us increased ability to supervise campers and help keep camp flowing smoothly with new hand washing and cleaning protocols. Group overlap will occur occasionally, especially on Fridays when we combine into a single group.

Field Trips: Unlike normal summers, we expect to have very few field trips this year. While we may increase the frequency of trips as restrictions ease, we are not currently planning on trips such as the dinosaur museum in Rock Springs or even County Fair. We'll stay closer to home with more frequent offsite trips to fun, outdoor activities.

Personal Protective Equipment: Campers will not be required to wear masks, but are welcome to if you or your child feels more comfortable doing so. Staff will not wear masks at all times, but will be required to when initiating close contact with campers or other adults.

Indoor/Outdoor: As much time as possible should be spent outdoors. Activities that could be played in the gym might be moved to the football field/or to a park. With smaller groups, keeping track of campers/only going with 2 counselors means we can get outside as much as possible.

Hand Sanitizer: While not as effective as hand washing, hand sanitizer is very helpful, especially when off-site and away from easy access to bathrooms/handwashing stations. Well stocked hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol will be carried with all off-site trips along with our first aid kits and used before and after any snacks/lunch/shared equipment use.

Handwashing: Stations exist in the Party Room and Child Care room with access to bathrooms near the Multi-Purpose Room. Frequent hand washing prior to and following activities that involve any sharing of games/toys/or close contact surfaces (so, basically all we do). Encourage scrubbing for at least 20 seconds (songs: ABC, Happy Birthday, etc...) and get in all spots.

- Required: Beginning of the day on arrival to camp, after any prolonged close contact with other campers/counselors, prior to and immediately following snacks (hand sanitizer okay if off-site) and/or lunch, on returning to PAC after any off-site activity (regardless of use of hand sanitizer), after using shared playground equipment/public areas that feature high-touch surfaces.

Sharing: Where possible, shared equipment should be minimized or used in a controlled environment. For example, when sharing a piece of equipment in the gym, washing hands before and after as well as reminders not to touch your face while using the equipment/waiting for your turn. For craft projects that require sharing, we'll only share items between tables of 4 campers, with close observation for non-sanitary behaviors (licking/coughing/sneezing/yelling). Campers will get individual colored pencils, scissors, glue sticks, for their own use only. All games/toys/items used by campers will not be put back on shelves until cleaned and will be set-aside in drop zones for sanitizing between uses. Cleaning can be done by camp staff/rec staff and done during lunches/breaks/off-site times. As always, no personal toys/games will be allowed while at camp.

Lunch Time: Campers will be asked not to share/trade items from their lunches and space out during lunch. Handwashing prior to and after lunch will be required by all and should be supervised when at all possible.

Quiet Time: Mats should be cleaned after every use. Consider spacing campers out and head-to-toe. Books will not be shared between campers week to week and allowed 72 hours between uses before shared (Friday-Sunday)

Bus/Vehicle Use: Any time the bus/PAC vehicle is used, it will be cleaned thoroughly, with all seats/seat-backs/seat belts wiped down and the floor swept. This will be noted on the vehicle inspection form. During bus trips, singing/loud talking behaviors should be discouraged. If using the PAC vehicle with youth who require them, seats and booster seats should be sprayed down after use with Hospital Spray disinfectant.

Cancelations: If for any reason we are required to cancel days of camp, PAC will issue household credits for the days that were canceled.

Questions: We welcome all questions/concerns you may have about camp and will keep you updated on changes/challenges as they arise. As with all things during this time, new information may alter policies to either more strict measures or easing of restrictions. PAC will respond to new orders from local, state, and federal officials.

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