

**Welcome to Bethany Birches' online registration!**

We're glad you're here. While we don't want to spend too much time on policy and procedure, we do want you to have a chance to understand our expectations. Most of our expectations related to payment, refund, cancellation and the permission to participate are below. Happy reading! (the good news is that once you accept this, we'll keep it on file so you don't have to again, at least not till the policies change).

**Deposit and Refund Policy:**

To hold a spot in any program, we need a deposit. We cannot refund your deposit (\$50 for summer and \$20 for winter). We cannot make a refund for a camper leaving camp during any camp session for any reason. Sorry. If you cancel your session 3 weeks prior to the session start date, we can refund all but deposit. After that point, we can only refund for reasons that limit participation out of your control (broken bone, sickness etc.). Submit cancellations in writing (email is fine).

**Waitlist**

Sometimes sessions fill up. If you're camper is waitlisted, we will refund all but the deposit in the event that they do not end up getting in.

**Permission to Participate and Assumption of Risk:**

Camp is a wonderful experience for boys and girls and teaches them a great deal about themselves and the world around them. Part of the magic of camp is that the activities take place in the out of doors and campers are invited to explore new challenges. Obviously with these challenges comes risk. Our purpose in this disclosure is not to worry you, but to point out that there are risks connected with the fun, excitement and adventure of a camp experience.

I as the legal guardian of the campers attached to this login account give permission for my child to fully participate in the program of Bethany Birches Camp Inc. and all of the activities associated, for which my child is registered. I give permission for my child to be transported by approved camp staff and vehicles for camp activities and/or medical treatment. I give Bethany Birches Camp Inc. permission to use photographs, video and the like that include my child for publicity. I recognize that Bethany Birches Camp Inc. will not sell my address, phone number, email address or personal information to anyone or organization. My permission is given with the understanding that Bethany Birches Camp Inc. staff will make reasonable efforts to ensure the safety and wellbeing of my child including adequate staff training, CPR training, general health and safety training, regular maintenance on equipment and maintaining reasonable camper/staff ratios. However, there are inherent risks associated with participating in any camp programs which, however slight the chances of occurrence, cannot be reasonably eliminated. These risks include but are not limited to falls, collisions, burns, getting lost, equipment failure or being struck by objects. There are general risks associated with behaviors of other participants, employees and agents of Bethany Birches Camp Inc.

In consideration of the permission granted the campers attached to this login account to participate in Bethany Birches Camp Inc. activities, I/we hereby release, and covenant with, Bethany Birches Camp Inc. that we will never, individually or as legal guardian(s) of said child, institute any action at law or in equity for any personal injuries, or injuries to property, real or personal, caused by, or arising out of camping and other related activities sponsored by Bethany Birches Camp Inc., its successors and legal representatives.

By accepting this agreement I indicate that I have read the above Permission to Participate and Assumption of Risk. I understand it and agree to be bound by its terms.

Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_