Swim Trips

Field Trips

Ratio of camper- to-staff on all non-swim field trips: PK/K – 5:1 1st – 8th Grade 9:1

Campers that attend field trips (except for Medieval Times and Laurel Lanes) must provide their own lunch. Packed lunches are available for \$4.00 to be purchased on field/swim trip days. Lunch consists of ham/cheese, turkey/cheese or peanut butter/jelly with chips or cookies and a juice box. You can purchase this on the morning of the field trip.

GRADE	DATES	SWIM TRIP DAYS \$8	Swim Lesson Days \$125
PK-1	6/22- 8/26	M&W	Mon. (K &1 st ONLY) 6/22-8/10
2-4	6/23- 8/27	T&TH	Tues. 6/23/ 8/11
5-8	6/23- 8/26	T&W	Wed. 6/24- 8/12

Transportation We use T&L Transportation Company to transport the campers to all swim trips and field trips We have used this company the past 12 years. They are reliable and safe. All buses are equipped with seatbelts.

Swim Test – K – 8th grade campers only

Campers that have passed the test in prior years do not need to retake the test. All campers must pass a swim test if they would like to go in the deeper water or use the diving board. The test consists of swimming across the pool (approx. 30 ft.) and being able to comfortably tread water. The children do not have to know specific swim strokes, but they do need to show that they are able to swim safely. The test is conducted by the Ramblewood Lifeguard Supervisor and overseen by our Swim Director. All campers that attend the swim trips in Grades $1st - 8^{th}$ grades will be offered the swim test the first day they go swimming.

Once a camper passes the test, they will be given a colored band each time they attend the swim trip that allows them to go into the deeper water and use the diving boards. If they do not pass the test, you will receive a notice and they must wait 30 days to retake the test. Occasionally, campers have off days due to being nervous about the test even though they can swim. If you feel that your child should have

passed the swim test but may have been nervous; please contact us and we will retest them again the next time they go. Campers that do not pass the test can swim in a roped off area that is 3 feet deep.

Swim Trip Policies and Procedures

- We cannot, under any circumstances, add campers to swim trips on the day of the trip.
- Campers attending field/swim trips must arrive at camp by 9:00 am. No Exceptions!!!

- Campers who arrive after 9:00 am will not be permitted to attend the fee and will not be refunded.
- Campers must arrive with a towel, dressed in their bathing suit and a camp shirt.
- Campers must bring a change of clothes in their camp bag to change into upon returning to XL.
- Please make sure you put your child's name on everything!
- All campers must have sunscreen applied before they come to camp.
- Campers should bring their own sunscreen in their bag. They will be reminded after lunch to reapply their sunscreen. Our staff will assist the PK/K campers and oversee the older campers in applying their sunscreen.
- If your child does not have their bathing suit, they will not be permitted to attend the trip and a refund will not be issued.
- There are no refunds, credits or substitutions on swimming trips for any reason.
- All campers must bring their lunch or purchase a lunch from our facility at check in for \$4.00.
- Campers can also purchase a lunch at Ramblewood Swim Club.
- PK/K campers must hand in any lunch/snack money they are bringing on the trip to the front desk so that we can assist them. Please write on the envelope "Swim Trip \$" above their name and grade and list any instructions about what they are permitted to purchase.
- Campers in 1st 8th grade should keep any snack/lunch money in their camp bag when on a swim trip. When campers return to XL, they will be instructed to take any money left over to the camp desk.

Packed lunches are available for \$4.00 to be purchased during check in for field/swim trip days. Lunch consists of ham/cheese, turkey/cheese or peanut butter/jelly with chips or cookies and a juice box. You can purchase this the morning of the field trip. If a camper/parent tells our staff at check in that they have money for lunch in their bag and at the swim club we discover that they do not, our staff will purchase a lunch at the snack bar and your credit card on file will be charged.

Swimming Lessons – Cost \$125 for 6 lessons (2 makeup dates are included)

Dates: $K/1^{st}$: Mondays -6/22-8/10 $2^{nd}-4^{th}$: Tuesdays -6/23-8/11 $5^{th}-8^{th}$: Wednesdays -6/24-8/12 Swim lessons are available to all campers from $K-8^{th}$ grade only

If you would like your child to participate in the swimming lessons that are taught by Ramblewood Swim Instructors, you may enroll them by checking the box "Swim Lessons" on the Enrollment Contract. The cost is \$125 for six 45-minute lessons. (Please note that this does not include the \$8.00 trip cost). PK campers cannot participate in the swim lessons. Campers must also be signed up to attend the swimming trip on the day of their lessons. Swim lessons include two make up days (for a total of 8 lessons) in the price. Swimming lessons cannot be prorated.