



SUMMERCAMP

April 2010

Dear Camp Parents/Guardians:

Summer camp is quickly approaching. Please read the following information in efforts to make the camp drop off and pick up procedures safe and efficient.

Identification

Enclosed you will find your authorized pick up cards. Please present your **photo ID and authorized pick up card** each day when you pick up your child. Please give a card to every person you authorized to pick-up your child/children from camp (including yourself). Children will be released only to those presenting this blue card *along with* photo ID. **Please reinforce with anyone on your pick-up list that they will need a photo ID for camp pick-ups. No exceptions will be made.** If you need more cards, please email elena.seeman@umly.org.

Drop off and Pick Up Location

- The first week of camp, June 21st – June 25th, drop off and pick up for Day Camp, Teen Adventure, and Extended AM & PM care will be at the childcare entrance at the YMCA.
- From Monday, June 28th – Thursday, August 12th (with the exceptions of Friday, July 2, Monday, July 5th, Friday, July 16th, Friday, July 23rd, Friday, July 30th, Friday, August 6th and Friday, August 13th), Day Camp, Teen Adventure, and Extended AM & PM care, drop-off and pick-up will be at Downingtown East High School. **The YMCA camp entrance will be at Door 2-2.** After August 12th, drop off and pick up will be back at the YMCA for the remainder of the summer.

Please follow the posted traffic patterns, park in the lined spaces and walk your child/children into Door 2-2. When you enter the high school parking lot, follow the one-way sign around the building until you get to door 2-2. There will be a YMCA banner indicating the correct entrance. Please be advised that multiple groups heavily use the high school in the summer and traffic jams around the building can occur. Please give yourself adequate time in the morning in the event this occurs. Camp staff will direct you to the correct location at the sign-in table.

Once again, in accordance with the policies and procedures of the Downingtown High School policies and procedures and the safety of the campers and staff, we must stress the importance of following the posted traffic patterns.

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- Drop off and pick up for Kindercamp will be at the Childcare entrance of the YMCA.
- Drop off and pick up for any sports camps and specialty camps (theatre, art, babysitting, and swimming) will be at the gymnasium in the Lionville Community YMCA building.

Parent Handbooks

Finally, for those of you who have not received a Parent Handbook, they are available online at www.lionvilleymca.org or can be picked up in person at either the Lionville or Eagleview Welcome Center desks. The Parent Handbook contains information about what your child needs to bring to camp and other important details.

Middle School Orientation at LMS

If you are registered for camp during the week of August 9th (Week 8) and you have a 5th grader who will be going into 6th grade next year at LMS, they will be having several orientation sessions during this week for the incoming 6th graders to participate in. If your child is in our Adventure Rangers Camp this week, there are field trips scheduled for Tuesday, August 10th and Thursday, August 12th. If you register your child for the **Wednesday, August 11th** session at **12:30pm**, we will transport your child to and from LMS on that day. Please email tamara.widdowson@umly.org to let us know if you will be needing transportation to and from the middle school on that day.

This is only for children attending Lionville Middle School in the fall.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

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