

## CAMP LEWALLEN - ECLIPSE 2024 WEEKEND – April 6-8, 2024

### CHECK-IN

- Please bring your reservation printed out or available to view on your device. Follow the directions of the camp staff to find your labeled campsite for either Saturday or Sunday arrival.

### PETS & PESTS

- **NO PETS** are allowed on Camp property. Those who bring pets will not be permitted to enter the event. This also includes horses.
- Venomous copperhead snakes are common at Camp Lewallen. Do not pick up any snakes! If a snake is encountered, back off, choose another route, and inform a Camp staff member. Do not kill any snakes. If bitten, seek medical care immediately.
- Ticks are common at Camp. Always conduct thorough tick-checks after spending time in the outdoors.
- Poison Ivy is also common at Camp. Please learn to identify it in order to avoid contact. If you believe you have been exposed, wash the area with soap and water immediately.

### CAMPING AREAS

- Please stay in your designated area assigned to your reservation.
- Campfires are allowed in designated area in either pre-established fire pits or if you need to create one. Campfires must be supervised at all times. Campfires must be completely extinguished before departing. Please bring a bucket for water and keep full for emergencies.
- DO NOT bring outside firewood. You are welcome to pick up any branches or dead wood that is already on the ground around your campsite or in the tree line. Please use handsaws and not chainsaws.
- No candles or open flames are allowed in outhouses or shower houses. Please bring battery-operated lights.
- You may cook in your campsite but secure your food or trash – bags can be dropped off in dumpsters. *You may bring a grill for cooking and coolers with ice.*
- To maintain a peaceful and rustic setting, the use of gasoline powered generators is prohibited unless provided in RV. ***There are no electric or water hook ups.***
- Campsites must be left in the condition found upon arrival (i.e., pick up trash, take used / unused firewood back in tree line, etc.). Please bring trash bags.
- Please avoid unnecessary discharge of fire extinguishers.

### VEHICLES

- The speed limit on the Camp road is **20 MPH**.
- Personal vehicles are not allowed inside the main campground area and will remain in the main parking lot for the duration of the event.
- If you have mobility concerns, please contact us prior to your arrival.

## ACTIVITIES

- All activity areas or equipment, including the maintenance area, field sport ranges, waterfront areas, and challenge course is off-limits and permitted ONLY under the supervision of Camp Lewallen staff during scheduled activity times.
- Anyone 16+ years old must have a fishing license to fish at Camp. No fishing is allowed in Camp Lewallen swimming area.
- Bicyclists must wear a helmet at all times and avoid hikers on trails.
- No personal watercraft allowed (canoes, kayaks, paddleboards, etc.)
- Lifejackets must be worn by all guests when boating.
- No climbing or repelling is allowed on Camp property unless it is part of a facilitated program.

## SMOKING, ALCOHOL & DRUG POLICY

- Smoking is not permitted inside any Camp Lewallen building or in the presence of children that are not your own. Please be considerate of our non-smoking guests.
- Alcoholic beverages are prohibited in activity areas and in common areas. *Alcohol may only be consumed in your reserved campsite.*
- Consumption of alcohol by persons under the age of 21, as well as possession or use of illegal drugs, is strictly prohibited and will result in eviction from Camp and possible legal action.
- **Please consider bringing beverages in aluminum cans rather than glass.**

## QUIET TIME

- Please be considerate of other guests. Though late-night campfire get-togethers are encouraged and expected, loud and disturbing noise is not permitted between 10:00 pm and 7:00 am.

## FIRST AID/EMERGENCIES

- Call 911 in the case of a medical emergency while onsite.
- **There are no dedicated medical staff on site.** All Camp staff are certified in CPR and first aid, and some full-time staff have advanced medical certifications, so first responders will be onsite.
- Our Health Center is not open for use.
- Program staff carry a first aid kit with commonly needed supplies, but there is no medication in these kits. We encourage guests to have first aid kits with them.
- Guests need to carry and dispense their own medications, both prescription and over-the-counter.
- Staff monitors severe weather alerts 24 hours a day. If severe weather is imminent, a runner will be sent to your campsite to notify you of the incoming threat. If you have time, the safest place to be is in the nearest shower house or camp building.
- A Camp Lewallen staff member can be reached at any time of the day or night by calling **(573) 224-3420**.

## **SUGGESTED PACKING LIST**

- Clothing appropriate for being outside all day and into the night
- Swimsuit – because it is so early in the season, the swimming lake will not yet be open; however you may want to wear one if you go canoeing
- Bedding/blankets, including pillow. Cot or inflatable mattress.
- Towels
- Toiletries and shower shoes
- A small backpack for carrying items throughout the day
- Refillable water bottles
- Flashlight or headlamp (don't forget extra batteries)!
- Binoculars
- Glow sticks or necklaces for nighttime – especially for children
- Matches and fire starters if you plan to have a fire at your site
- Personal first aid kit
- Bug spray and sunscreen
- Camping chairs
- Fishing pole/instruments/field guides – things to fill downtime (must have a fishing license for ages 16+)
- Closed-toe shoes – you will walk a lot at camp. Bring appropriate footwear to wear at all times. Closed-toe shoes are required for the climbing tower.

## **What NOT to bring ...**

- PETS – absolutely no pets are allowed on Camp property. If you bring a pet, unfortunately you will not be allowed to enter. This includes horses.
- Firewood – please do NOT bring your own. You can find some around camp and bring a hand saw.
- Personal firearms/weapons
- Explosives of any kind
- Generator (unless with RV)

