



# Silver Lake Mennonite Camp

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## 2023 Day Camp Packing List and Other Important Info

### **WHAT TO BRING TO DAY CAMP**

- Make sure all your child's belongings are labelled!
- Backpack (all items for the day must fit in the backpack)
- Water bottle (filled with water!)
- Lunch and snacks (campers will be active and tend to eat more while at camp) \* **No food with nuts/peanuts**
- Clothing suitable for the weather and activities
- Raincoat
- Old clothes for VERY muddy days
- Shoes (running shoes and sandals)
- Sunscreen
- Hat (campers must have HATS for being outside in the sun!)
- Swimsuit (*fully functional*)
- Towel
- Mask (in case needed)

#### ***Optional***

- Boots
- Insect repellent (especially in July)
- Book for writing in or reading

#### ***Do NOT Bring***

- Junk food or food with nuts/peanuts
- Money or any valuable items
- Any electronics: phones, video games, tablets, etc.

***We encourage all campers to leave electronic devices (including cell phones) at home.***

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## Important Day Camp Information:

Drop-off and pick-up details, a schedule of activities and other information, will be emailed to you 2 weeks prior to camp.

**Arrival/Departure:** Drop-off is between 8:30 and 9am each morning. After checking in and a welcome, campers will be directed to their counsellors and the rest of their group. Typically, pick-up time is between 4-4:30pm.

**Cohort Assignments:** Groups are decided before each camp, using a variety of criteria. It may not be possible to accommodate special requests.

**Swimming:** It is unclear at this time whether swimming will be available at any given location. Two weeks prior to the camp, communication about swimming will be included in the final email. **IF** there is swimming, we want your camper(s) to have **lots of fun!** Please bring only **functional** swimsuits that allow your camper(s) to comfortably go down a water slide, play water volleyball, or jump in the water.

### Health and Medical:

- Contact Silver Lake with any **changes in your camper's health and medication** between now and arrival at camp. Any medication brought to camp must be in original packaging, and prescriptions must be in your child's name.
- Contact Silver Lake if your child has any **serious allergies** (i.e. bees). Campers with such allergies must bring 2 ANA Kits or Epipens to camp. There are campers and staff who have life threatening allergies to peanuts and other nut products. **Please note that facilities will not necessarily be nut-free but all staff and campers are expected to refrain from bringing nuts or products containing nuts.**
- Contact Silver Lake for any **inclusion information** that you want to share in addition to what is filled out on the registration forms.

Please don't hesitate to contact Silver Lake at **519-422-1401** or by email at [daycamp@slmc.ca](mailto:daycamp@slmc.ca).

Looking forward to Silver Lake Adventures this summer!