

## ~ Region of Waterloo Subsidy Program ~

### Region of Waterloo – Child Care Subsidy for Silver Lake (SLMC) Day Camps!

#### Kitchener, Waterloo & Breslau Locations

The Region of Waterloo's Child Care Subsidy Program can help eligible families pay for camp. The **SLMC day camps in Kitchener, Waterloo and Breslau** are eligible for the Region of Waterloo Child Care Subsidy Program.

Families can review child care subsidy eligibility criteria and submit an application [online](#) or by calling **519-575-4400**. Once an application is submitted and all additional documents are received, Region of Waterloo staff will book an appointment with you to determine eligibility for subsidy. Individuals are encouraged to apply for child care subsidy as soon as they register for camp, as proof of requesting subsidy may be required. More information about the Child Care Subsidy program can be found here:

<https://www.regionofwaterloo.ca/en/living-here/help-paying-for-child-care.aspx>

#### Instructions to Register for a Silver Lake (SLMC) Adventure Day Camp!

1. Go to: <https://slmc.ca/summer-camp/day-camp/> Learn about day camp dates, locations and programs.
2. Click on “Register or Sign in to Your Account”
3. Create a new account under “New User Sign-Up” (\*Unless your family/children have already attended a Silver Lake day camp, then **Sign-In** on the left side of the page. Do not create a duplicate account.)
4. Choose the “**2025 Day Camp**” season.
5. Be sure to choose a **Kitchener, Waterloo or Breslau** day camp session(s).
6. Complete the registration up to the payment page, including inputting credit card information if you have it. **All mandatory forms must be completed!**
7. **Stop at the payment page.** Do not go further and do not make a payment.
8. **Email [fun@slmc.ca](mailto:fun@slmc.ca)** (with your camper name in subject line) and say that you are in the Waterloo Region subsidy program. Indicate what week(s) you looking to register for and at what location (Kitchener/Waterloo/Breslau). Take a screenshot of your registration in progress if your caseworker requires proof. You can then close the registration page at this point without making payment. A staff member from Silver Lake will email you back (within a few days) to confirm that your spot(s) will be saved while waiting for Region approval.
9. **Contact your Child Care Subsidy Case Worker right away** to arrange Subsidy for day camp.
10. Once Silver Lake receives the approval letter from the Region, you will be sent a registration confirmation along with any amounts owing if there is parental contribution required. **Any parent balance must be paid within 3 days to secure your day camp spot.**

For SLMC registration or account questions, please email [fun@slmc.ca](mailto:fun@slmc.ca). For inquiries about SLMC Day Camp Programs, please email [daycamp@slmc.ca](mailto:daycamp@slmc.ca).