



# 4-H Camp Newsletter

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## 4-H Camp, June 3-5, 2020

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4-H Camp at Epworth Forest in North Webster, Indiana will begin Wednesday, June 3 and will end Friday, June 5.

Any 4-H member in grades 3-6 (19-20 school year) is welcome and the cost is \$160.00. The Steuben County 4-H Fair Board pays half, so you only pay \$80.00!

The cost includes 7 meals, snacks, cabin lodging, temporary insurance, activities and instruction. The Beach House will have snacks and other items available to purchase.

Final Camp Registration will be done when campers first arrive. Campers are asked to arrive at Epworth Forest 9-10AM on Wednesday, June 3. Closing ceremonies will be at 2pM on Friday, June 5 with check-out at 3pm.

To assure that you have the most fun at 4-H Camp this year, please return your forms to the County Extension 4-H Office as soon as possible. Camp registrations are taken on a first-come, first serve basis, so don't wait or you might be too late!

**The following camp forms/items may be uploaded in 4HOnline or submitted to your county Extension Office by May 1.**

- \*Camp Registration Form
- \*Health Form
- \*Behavioral Expectations Form
- \*Camper Picture

**Payment is due at the time of registration.**

**Camp Space is limited this year, DO NOT Wait to sign up or you might have to go on the waiting list.**

### Camp Counselors/Staff

We are excited to announce that Camp Counselor selections have been made! Camp Counselors participate in training and camp planning throughout March, April, May, and June.

Our counselors have been busy planning and are excited to create an awesome environment for campers come June.

2020 Steuben County 4-H Camp Counselors include: Airoh Cassady, Garrett Farnham, Cheyenne Hantz, Meghyn McMullen, Adeline Noyes, Heidi Wilhelm, and Kaylee Wise

The 4-H Extension Educator from each county also attends 4-H Camp each year as an adult chaperone.

## Health Forms and Medical Information

A Registered Nurse will be on site during the entire stay at camp. The Nurse will be the sole person to administer your child's required medications, and said medications will be stored in a locked cabinet at all times.

Please complete the Health Form enclosed and turn in with your Camp Registration by May 1st.

Any medication the child may need should be brought in the container in which they are issued (with medical orders and physician's name intact.) Please place all medications in a zip-lock bag with camper's name.

**Medications must be turned into the camp nurse during registration, so it is best not to pack them inside a suitcase.**



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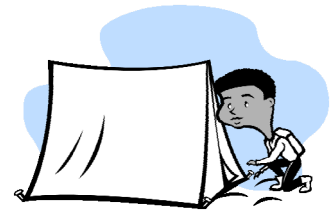
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# What to Bring to Camp

Please label items with child's name. We can not be responsible for any lost or stolen articles.

- Sleeping Bag or Blankets
- Pillow and Sheet
- Comfortable Old Clothes
- Sweatshirts for chilly nights
- Several pairs of Long Pants
- Shorts & T-shirts
- Sturdy Shoes/Tennis Shoes-  
must have a closed toe/heel
- Flip Flops for the Shower
- Extra socks
- Toiletries, Personal Items
- Wash Cloths/Towels
- Soap
- Toothbrush and Toothpaste

- Deodorant (non-aerosol)
- Flashlight
- Swimsuit and Towel
- Jacket/Rainwear
- Non-aerosol Insect Repellent
- Water Shoes/Old Shoes for Lake



## Items that should NOT be brought

- Cell Phones
- Radios, CD Players or Electronics
- Valuable Jewelry
- Alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs
- Fire crackers/other explosives
- Snacks containing Peanuts

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# Camp Rules

Any youth breaking 4-H Camp behavior rules or determined to be a risk by the Extension Educator will be dismissed at the families expense. No reimbursements will be given for cancellations after June 1st or dismissals.

1. Any rules broken by campers or counselors, if deemed severe enough, will result in the camper's parents being called and the camper involved being sent home.
2. Camper must report illness/injury to nurse immediately.
3. Solid toed shoes must be worn at all times except when traveling to and from the swimming pool or showers. (Sandals or flip flops may be worn at those times.)
4. All items should be marked so that the camper will recognize his or her own belongings. This is especially important on swimsuits, cameras, and other valuables.



5. Any medication taken regularly by a camper must be given to the camp nurse, who will dispense it to the camper at the designated time. Campers must contact the nurse at appropriate times when prescribed medication is to be taken.

6. No camper is allowed in the lake or in canoes except when a lifeguard is present.

7. No visitors are permitted during the camping period unless cleared with the Camp Director.

8. Campers are required to be present at all sessions. Full time participation is required! No youth will be allowed to leave and return for any reason.

9. Cell phones will not be permitted. Please leave these at home.

10. The camp management or Extension Staff cannot be responsible for articles or money left, lost, or stolen at camp. Do not bring large amounts of money, expensive cameras, or other valuable articles.

## Epworth Forest Conference Center

**Epworth Forest Conference Center:**

8580 E Epworth Forest Road, North Webster, IN

You are responsible for your transportation to and from camp!

If you have any questions about camp, please feel free to contact the Extension Office at 260-668-1000 Ext. 1400.

