



PARENT HANDBOOK 2021



**FOR A HEALTHY AND
SAFE SUMMER**

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Dear RHCC Day Camp Families,

Thank you for choosing Richmond Hill Country Club Day Camp this summer and we look forward to welcoming you and your camper on Opening Day! This summer we are committed as ever to creating a safe, fun, inclusive, and memorable camp experience for your child and every camper.

Whether this is your first summer with us, or your child has attended RHCC Day Camp before, please take the time to carefully review the following pages. This handbook contains useful information we want you and your camper to know so their time with us is as enjoyable as possible.

At camp, your child will have the opportunity to experience a variety of activities and experiences that will remain with them for the rest of their lives.

At Richmond Hill Country Club Day Camp, our goals are:

- **BUILDING SKILLS**: Campers should be exposed to a wide variety of activities, become more proficient in skills that they are passionate about, try new things and cultivate skills.
- **PROVIDING A SAFE ENVIRONMENT**: Campers should have a physically and emotionally safe and fun environment that allows each camper's unique interests and abilities, and differences to be respected and nurtured
- **DEVELOPING SELF CONFIDENCE & SELF AWARENESS**: Campers should be given the opportunity to grow as individuals and develop confidence in their abilities
- **BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS WITH OTHERS**: Campers are encouraged to nurture their creative spirit and develop a sense of self-understanding that allow campers to make friends and foster lifelong friendships.

Work to prepare for Summer 2021 began in the fall of last year and has been evolving to meet the current realities. We have jam-packed our days with creative, exciting, and well-organized programs. Our goal is to keep your children safe, energized, stimulated, and most of all, happy each and every day. Camp is about connection: to each other and to the outdoors. We strongly believe that children need camp more than ever after weeks of isolation and indoor screen time.

As you read through this handbook you will get a glimpse into what our camp is all about. We have attempted to anticipate questions and concerns that are important to parents and campers, and hope to provide all the information that you may need. However, our phone lines are always open and one of our friendly senior staff members will be more than happy to assist you anytime, all the time!



Jay and the Staff at the Richmond Hill Country Club Day Camp

Communicating with Parents

Communication between parents and the camp is a crucial part of building a strong and long lasting relationship and ensuring each child receives the best camp experience possible. We want to hear from you anytime you have a compliment, concern or constructive criticism.

We pride ourselves with our open lines of communication. In past years, we have enjoyed chatting in the morning at drop off or getting updates on the day during pick up. Furthermore, parents were always welcome to come and visit us in the office.

However, in order to keep everyone safe and healthy this year, we ask that all communication be done through email or phone. Emails can be sent to **rhccdaycamp@gmail.com** or you can call the camp office at 905-731-2800 ext. 258 or 240.

Keeping open lines of communication with each camp family has always been and continues to be a #1 priority.

How to contact us:



Jay Wolkoff



Wendy Rom



Dante Young

By Telephone:

Main line (905) 731-2800

Camp Office – ext. 258 (late arrivals, early pick-ups questions)

Wendy, Camp Administrator – ext. 240 (late arrivals, early pick-ups, questions)

Jay, Camp Director – ext. 280

Dante, Registration Director – ext. 248

By email:

Camp Office – rhccdaycamp@gmail.com

Camp Director – j.wolkoff@richmondhillcountryclub.com

Camp Registration – danteyoung@richmondhillcountryclub.com

Camp Administrator – wrom@richmondhillcountryclub.com

Email Blasts:

We will send communication through email blast.

Newsletters, announcements and health care visits will come via email.

Follow us on Social Media:

Instagram - [@rhccdaycamp](https://www.instagram.com/rhccdaycamp)

Attendance

If your child is absent from camp, it is important that you contact the camp to let us know why your child is away. You may also email the camp to notify us.

Daily Pre-Screening Form

Each day you will be asked to complete the screening survey through Google Forms by 7:45 am each day.

Morning Parent Drop Off:

Camp hours are 9 am to 4 pm daily. Our extended hours program begins at 8:30 am and ends at 5 pm. In order to allow for everyone to enter our facility in a safe and orderly manner, we will be staggering the arrival time of our campers. This is a suggested time, but should you have multiple children, in various arrival times, our staff are here to welcome your child.

Golf Camp – 8:15 am (please arrive at the Country Club by 8:15 am as program begins immediately)

AM Extended Hours – 8:30 am

Tiggers – 8:45 am

Coyotes – 8:45 am

CITs – 8:45 am

Jaguars – 8:55 am

Cheetahs -- 8:55 am

Sports – 9:05 am

Tennis – 9:10 am

Each morning, drop off will take place at the banquet entrance to the Club. In order to keep all of our campers and staff safe, we ask that **parents stay in their vehicle** during the drop off process. If you exit your vehicle, you must wear a mask.

1. Proceed to the overhang and drive to the furthest check in station where a member of our Health Care Team will prepare to check your child in. Please be patient as this process will take approximately 30 seconds per vehicle.
2. Complete your Pre-Screening Survey daily before 7:45 am daily. This will help with the check in process.
3. Campers should exit the vehicle on the passenger side, preferably on their own. If your child needs assistance, you are able to exit the vehicle to assist and then we kindly ask that you return to your vehicle.
4. A member of our Health Care Team will verify that they have completed the pre-screening survey and take your child's temperature via a thermal scanner.
5. Please ensure your child is wearing a mask as they exit the vehicle.

Once completed, your child will have their hands sanitized and then will proceed into the Club to meet their counsellors and group.

If you are arriving after our arrival time has ended, please call the camp office and a member of our Health Care Team will meet you outside. We kindly ask that you stay in your vehicle.

We know there may be delays in checking in your child in the morning. Please leave time so you are not late for work/ appointments. We thank you in advance for your patience. Please know that we are doing this for the safety and well-being of our campers and staff. Together, we can ensure a healthy camp community.

Parent Pick Up & Early Pick Ups

We will be staggering the dismissal of our program to ensure physical distancing. **We ask that you remain in your car until you see your child.**

The most eastern part of our parking lot will be barricaded. Please do not drive your vehicle into this area. The campers will be dismissed from this area.

Golf Camp – 3:30 pm (campers will be dismissed from the Country Club)

Tiggers –3:45 pm

Coyotes –3:45 pm

Jaguars –3:55 pm

Cheetahs - 3:55 pm

Sports –4:05 pm

Tennis –4:05 pm (from the tent closest to Bathurst Street)

CITs –4:10 pm

PM Extended Hours – ends at 5pm

Your child will be brought into the barricaded section at the time indicated above. We ask that parents park as close to the zones listed below so you can see when your child's group arrives. Please do not exit your vehicle before the group arrives. When your child's counsellor arrives, show your camper ID card (emailed to you before the start of your session). This card can be saved on your phone for ease of access.

In order to ensure the safety of our camp community, parents must wear a face mask when picking up their child and to respect the 2 meter distancing rule at all times.

If you are picking up your child early from camp, please be sure to provide us with as much advanced notice as possible. When you arrive at the camp, park in a spot in the east lot and remain in your vehicle. Please call the camp office when you arrive. A member of our team will bring your child to your vehicle for safe dismissal.

Important Dates

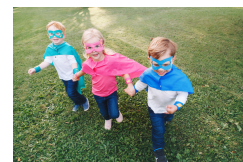


Virtual Town Hall
Meet the Counselor
Session 1
Session 2



Camp Closed – Civic Holiday
Session 3
Session 4

Sunday June 27 at 4:00pm
Wednesday, June 30, 2021
July 5 to July 16, 2021
July 19 to July 30, 2021
August 2, 2021
August 3 to August 13, 2021
August 16 to August 27, 2021



Wednesday Theme Day
July 7 – Comic/Marvel
July 14 – Fairytale Unit Program
July 21 – Where in the World
July 28 - Disney/Toy Story/Star wars
August 3-6 – Circus Week
August 11 – Winter Olympics
August 18 – Life-size Board Games
August 25 – Magic/Harry Potter

Wednesday Dress Up Day
July 7 – Comic Character
July 14 – Wild West
July 21 – Hippy
July 28 – Disney
August 4 - Mismatch Day
August 11 – Team Colour (TBA)
August 18 – Pajamas
August 25 – Wizards

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What to Bring to Camp:

Day Camp, Sports Camp, Tennis Camp:

- Extra bathing suit (well labelled)
- Wide mouth water bottle (well labelled)
- Hat (well-labelled)
- Sunscreen (well-labelled)
- Running shoes
- 2 Masks
- Tennis racquet (well labelled) – if your child has one; otherwise we do have loaner equipment
- Baseball glove (well-labelled) – if your child has one; otherwise we do have loaner equipment

Golf Camp:

- Hat (well-labelled)
- Sunscreen (well-labelled)
- Golf Clubs (well-labelled)
- 2 Masks

(we will provide each camper with a glove, hat, and rule book on the first day)

Please do not overload this knapsack with unnecessary clothing—your camper has to carry it! We strongly suggest that campers bring spray sunscreen and a sunscreen stick for the face. Sunscreen should be applied prior to arriving at camp. It will be re-applied after swim and throughout the day as needed.

Please send your child wearing his/ her bathing suit to camp in the morning.

Should it be calling for rain during the day, your child can bring rain boots and a raincoat



Lost & Found:

Camp is a very busy and exciting place to be. From time to time, your child may misplace something. If it is labelled, we take every opportunity to return it to the child the next day. If it is unlabeled, it is placed in our lost and found bin and parents are welcome to search for the item. If your child has misplaced something, we would be happy to look for it. Please email us at rhccdaycamp@gmail.com.

Health Centre

Our Health Centre is staffed at all times during the camp day. The Health Centre staff are on site to respond to all medical issues as well as administer required medication.

It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to notify RHCC Day Camp of any changes to the information provided on the Camper Health Form (at the time of registration) so that we have the most recent medical information for all campers.

In the case your camper visits the health centre you will receive a note home that evening with details of the visit. If the camper needs to be picked up the parent/guardian will be notified immediately.

Please do not send your camper to camp if it is suspected that he/she is not feeling well.

Head Lice: We must take extra precaution to limit the transmission of lice at our camp. Though bothersome, head lice will not harm children and adults, nor cause illness. Having head lice does not mean a person is unclean or the environment is dirty. Head lice are almost always transmitted from one person to another by head-to-head contact.

Please note: It is the responsibility of parents/legal guardians to notify the Camp Office, in writing, if there is any change in the health of your child between the time of completion of the Camp Health Information form and their arrival at camp or throughout their summer session.



ALLERGIES – WE NEED YOUR COOPERATION!

A number of campers at our camp have Life Threatening Allergies to food such as nuts, nut oils, various fruits and vegetables, as well as certain food additives. To protect these campers, we must insist that **NO FOOD OR JUICE OF ANY KIND BE SENT TO CAMP WITH YOUR CAMPERS.**

It is very important that you inform your caregiver **NOT** to pack any food or juice. Please support us in our continuing efforts to provide the safest measures for all of our campers!

MEDICATION & MEDICAL CONDITIONS

No medication can be given at camp without the permission from a camper's parent/legal guardian. This includes prescriptive and all over-the-counter medication.

If you are planning to send medication, it **MUST** be in the **ORIGINAL BOTTLE** labelled with the camper's name, name of medication and dosage required and time to administer the medication.

Please complete the form found on our website under Parent Handbook. Send enough medication for camp use only, leaving the remainder at home.

Medication may be administered by the Health Centre or a person designated by the nurse or the Camp Director.

**Please complete the form found on our website under Parent Handbook
"Sending Medications to Camp"**

Important Note- In case of communicative diseases such as COVID-19, Chicken Pox, German Measles, Pink-Eye, Lice, Hand Foot & Mouth, Contagious Illnesses, or Serious Flu, with any member of your family **PLEASE NOTIFY THE CAMP OFFICE IMMEDIATELY!** There are children at our camp that could suffer a fatal reaction to communicative diseases. You **MUST** notify the camp if your camper is a carrier!

**Main line (905) 731-2800
Camp Office – ext. 258**

Lunch

Lunch is provided to each camper, prepared by Club Catering, on a two-week menu rotation. Food will come pre-packaged and delivered to our campers. Our menu, listed below, is subject to change.

Week 1

LUNCH

Day of the Week	Main	Side	Dessert
Monday	Chicken on bun	Diced Potatoes	Chocolate chip cookie
Tuesday	Penne Primavera	Roll	Brownie
Wednesday	Chicken fingers	Diced Potatoes	Jello
Thursday	Spaghetti with Meat Sauce or Butter	Roll	Rice crispy square
Friday	All beef hot dogs on a bun	Half corn on the cob	Bag of chips

Week 2

LUNCH

Day of the Week	Main	Side	Dessert
Monday	Hamburger	Diced Potatoes	Rice crispy square
Tuesday	Baked Mac and Cheese	Roll	Brownie
Wednesday	Chicken fingers	Diced Potatoes	Chocolate chip cookie
Thursday	Chicken Wrap	Carrots and Ranch Dip	Chocolate pudding
Friday	All beef hot dogs on a bun	Half corn on the cob	Bag of chips

Snack

Campers will be provided with a snack bag, with two items (ex: fruit, cheese string, yogurt tube) and a juice box daily.

Rainy Days & Extreme Heat Days

We practice 'Sun Smart' at RHCC Day Camp. Whether re-applying sunscreen, keeping hats on heads, drinking water, refilling water bottles, keeping cool in our air conditioned spaces, all help beat the heat at camp. Staff are well trained to ensure campers' safety at all times.

In heavy rain or extreme conditions, programming continues like usual in indoor, air conditioned locations. Please monitor the early morning weather reports and send the appropriate clothing and shoes for the weather.

Camper Behaviour Policy

At RHCC Day Camp, our primary priority to promote a safe, caring and supportive environment in order to optimize camper and staff safety, effectiveness and respect within each cabin group and at camp in general.

The discipline of campers begins at home with parents/guardians who are the first and primary caregivers for their children. This includes responsibility for social development, behaviour and discipline. RHCC Day Camp encourages a partnership with parents in support of campers' social and emotional growth. Clear behavioural expectations support camper engagement and are based on meaningful communication between peers, parents and staff at camp.

Staff strive to create a positive camp culture that reinforces positive and productive behaviours while providing predictable and supportive consequences to behaviours that are identified as being inappropriate. It is the intent in all situations involving aggression to achieve fairness in consequences for the aggressor and support the victim. Campers become aware of the consistent discipline approaches employed by camp staff and supervisors when a child exhibits inappropriate behaviour.

When inappropriate behaviour occurs, progressive discipline practises are used. These practises include a wide range of positive practises to teach, reinforce and address behaviour. Parents are always informed if a situation arises.

Camper Discipline

There will be times during camp when it becomes necessary to be authoritative with a camper. Cabin Counsellors will speak individually with the camper

- To encourage a camper to use words to solve disagreements peacefully.
- To re-direct a camper to a new activity.
- To remove a camper from the activity/group until the camper is ready to rejoin the group.

Should the behaviour continue, or if the behaviour is extreme, the camper will be brought to the camp office to speak to their Unit Head or a Camp Director.

At the discretion of the Director of RHCC Day Camp, a camper may be removed from camp if the camper has demonstrated, through a pattern of behaviour, that she/he has not prospered by the care and instruction available to her/him and that she/he is persistently resistant to making changes in behaviour which would enable her/him to prosper. The Director may ask that a camper be removed for 1 day or longer depending on the nature of the behaviour. RHCC Day Camp will do its very best to ensure all campers are safe at all times. Unfortunately, we will not refund a family for days missed due to a camper's inappropriate behaviour.

RHCC Day Camp ensures that staff are well trained and prepared to care for children. Along with training in creative programming, daily routines and general planning, staff are well trained in COVID-19 protocols, Epi-pen and Emergency Procedures.

Birthdays at Camp

Birthdays that take place while your child is at camp are always special! Your child will spin the birthday wheel for a special activity, such as "pie your counsellor" or a golf cart ride.

At lunch, your child's cabin will get to celebrate with cupcakes!

Things to leave at home

Please do not send cell phones or any other electronic equipment to camp (i.e. iPods, iPads etc.). Please do not send your camper with toy guns, knives or weapon toys. Leave toys, dolls and stuffed animals at home! We cannot be responsible for favourite toys that go missing!

Sunflower seeds and gum are not permitted this year at camp.

RHCC Day Camp COVID Protocols - Health & Safety Guidelines

The protocols listed below are based on the Day Camp Guidance document version 1, dated May 26, 2021. As you know, the current state of matters in the Province of Ontario are rapidly evolving. In consultation with Public Health, a new version is expected to be released shortly where we anticipate a further relaxing of certain rules, especially around outdoor masking and physical distancing. Any updates will be shared when they become available.

Our protocols have been developed to meet and exceed the operating standards provided by the Ontario Government. We will be continuing and updating our protocols in communication with York Region Public Health to ensure the health and safety of all of our campers and staff.

GROUPING OF CAMPERS:

Once again, we have reduced the capacity of our camp this summer to approximately half of its normal levels. We have increased staffing as required to enable the camp to operate safely and to offer on-site activities for the campers to enjoy.

Campers will be placed into cabins, which will remain a cohort throughout the two week session. Groups will remain physically distanced from other groups at camp, which means they will not interact with any other group during the camp day.

SMALLER GROUP SIZES:

Each group will consist of approximately 12 to 14 campers and two to three staff.

Each group will remain together for one session. No mid-week switches will be allowed

GROUPS AS INDIVIDUAL COHORTS:

Each group will be assigned a home base, where they will be able to leave their belongings.

Each group will maintain the recommended distancing from other groups

Campers will remain in their assigned group for swimming.

Only one group will be at an activity at the same time

Camp-wide special events, such as theme day programming, will ensure that physical distancing requirements can be met

STAFF:

All staff will be required to wear Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) as outlined by Public Health
Group counsellors are responsible for the daily supervision and care of the campers.

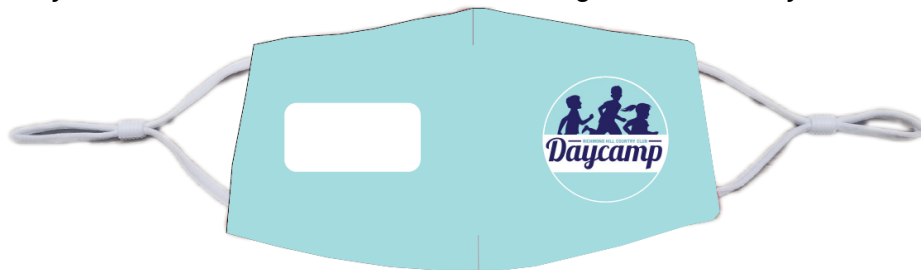
Our Senior Team and specialty staff will maintain a two-meter distance from the group, unless they are wearing PPE

MASKS:

Creating a safe camp environment for our campers and staff is our highest priority. RHCC Day Camp will adhere to public health guidelines regarding the wearing of masks. While the majority of our activities take place outdoors, one of the benefits of our camp is that we do have indoor, air-conditioned space to provide cooling stations on days when the weather is extremely hot or during rainy days.

Outdoor activities will be designed to maintain a 2 meter distance between campers. Where an activity cannot be 2 meters apart, campers will be required to wear masks. Staff will be trained to ensure that campers have many opportunities for "mask breaks" throughout the day as needed. Campers and staff will need to wear masks during indoor activities.

Public Health requires campers to wear well-fitted masks. On the first day, we ask you to provide at least two, well labelled masks for your child. At the end of the first day, the camp will provide your child with three customized RHCC Day Camp masks for your child to use throughout their stay with us. Each mask has a white label for their name. We will also provide you with a customized pouch for mask storage. We ask that you send at least two masks and a storage container for your child's mask.



Our staff will be required to wear a surgical/ procedural mask as well as eye protection when 2 meters cannot be safely maintained. Our staff will be trained on the requirements of mask wearing and eye protection during our training camp.

During arrival, campers are required to wear a mask upon exiting the vehicle for the health screening process. If you are carpooling with other families outside of your household, we strongly encourage everyone in the car to wear a mask.

We anticipate that the guidelines for mask wearing to be less restrictive as we progress throughout the summer, our Mask Policy will be adapted to meet any new regulations.

HAND HYGIENE:

Campers and staff will be required to wash their hands with soap and water and/ or using an alcohol-based hand sanitizer. All campers and staff are required to wash their hands before entering an activity, before eating, and when donning or doffing their mask. Staff will be trained on the proper hand washing procedures. The camp has installed several hand washing stations throughout the facilities to ensure the Hand Hygiene is available to all Campers and Staff.

SANITIZATION:

We have added a dedicated team who are responsible for the sanitization of high touch surfaces. Our washrooms will be cleaned and disinfected regularly throughout the day. Health Canada approved commercial grade cleaners and disinfectants will be used for the sanitization of high touch surfaces and shared equipment. All specialties and supplies will be cleaned and disinfected before and after each use. Shared facilities and program areas will be cleaned and sanitized between use by different cohorts.

HEALTH CARE:

We have added once again this year a comprehensive health care team, consisting of an RN, and Health Care Assistants, who will ensure all health and safety guidelines are adhered to. Our Health Care Team will review all medical forms prior to the start of the session. If you have a question for a member of the team, please reach out to the camp. If your child visits the Health Centre at camp, a member of the team will contact you, either by email or by phone to inform you of the reason for the visit and if there is any further action required.

DAILY SCREENING:

Public health guidelines require that each camper, staff and visitor completes an electronic screening survey daily before entering the camp. The camp will email a reminder at 6pm the night before. Please take a few minutes to complete this screening survey in the evening. If something changes throughout the night or in the morning, you can resubmit the survey. Campers who do not complete the daily screening survey will not be allowed to attend camp.

IMPORTANT REQUEST OF ALL PARENTS:

The health and safety of all our campers and staff depends upon the honesty of everyone in our camp community. If your child is unwell, or has displayed any COVID like symptoms, it is imperative that you DO NOT send your child to camp.

Campers will be checked in each day under the banquet entrance awning at one of our health check-in stations. Please have your child exit the vehicle wearing a mask and present themselves at the station for a temperature scan.

COVID-19 SYMPTOMS:

Some of the more commonly reported symptoms that may be of concern and result in campers and staff having to stay home or be sent home include:

Fever and/ or chills

Cough or barking cough

Shortness of breath

Decreased or loss of taste or smell

Sore throat or difficulty swallowing

Runny or stuffy/ congested nose

Headache

Nausea, vomiting and/or diarrhea

Extreme tiredness or muscle aches

You can go to camp if your child or anyone in the household got a COVID-19 vaccine in the last 48 hours and are experiencing mild symptoms that have started since the time of vaccination:

Headache

Fatigue

Muscle aches

Joint pain

PASSING THE HEALTH SCREENING IS MANDATORY TO ATTEND CAMP:

If a camper or staff does not pass the daily COVID-19 health screening, they should not proceed to camp. Please inform the office and a member of our Health Care Team will be in touch. Your child will not be able to return to camp until cleared to return by the camp in accordance with York Region Public Health. Campers living in the same household are also not permitted to attend camp until allowed to return.

DEVELOPING COVID-19 SYMPTOMS AT CAMP:

If a camper develops symptoms during the camp day, they will be assessed by our Health Care team and sent home from camp. Parents must be available to pick up a camper or staff within a reasonable 1-2 hour period of time of being notified, along with any siblings. While waiting to be picked up, the camper will be supervised by a member of our Health Care Team in a designated isolation area. Once picked up from camp, the Health Care team will set out the Health Care protocols to be followed by the camper.

SWIMMING:

Swimming is a key component of the camper's day at RHCC Day Camp!

Our campers in our day camp or sports camp will receive instructional swim each morning by our trained swim staff. Our swim staff will subdivide each cohort into smaller groups of similar levels and will provide Red Cross instruction to the campers in the smaller subgroup, across a range of levels.

Campers will have recreational swim at least every other day.

Currently, indoor pools are closed until Step 3 in the reopening plan. Therefore, in the event of rain, swimming will not take place.

We are excited to confirm that we will be offering towel service this summer. This service is to ensure that towels do not leave the pool areas and are not mixed between campers. New towels will be provided at each swim period.

In order to adhere to public health guidelines, campers will be appropriately spaced out and limited in the pool and/ or on deck at one time.

TRANSPORTATION:

Due to public health guidelines and the need for cohorting, we have determined not to provide busing for campers this year. While we recognize that there are camps offering this service, by offering transportation, we cannot ensure the safety of the campers when they will not be separated into their cohorts while on the bus. We are focused on the safety of all campers and feel that bussing is still high risk at this time.

RAINY DAYS/ EXTREME HEAT DAYS:

We have restricted the number of groups we can permit so we can safely operate on days that require indoor locations. We are fortunate to have a wonderful facility that permits us to operate our regular program with only slight modifications. Mask breaks will be provided.

VACCINES:

We strongly encourage eligible campers, staff and family members to get their first and second vaccine at the earliest opportunity provided. By doing your part to stop the transmission of the virus and thereby reducing the exposure to COVID-19 of our younger campers who are not eligible currently to be vaccinated.

EXTENDED HOURS:

Extended hours operates from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm daily. In the morning, extended hours campers can be dropped off between 8:30 and 8:45 am.

If you have signed up for extended hours, your child will be supervised by camp staff during that time. When picking up at the end of the day, please be sure to approach the member of senior team so we can arrange for your child's safe pick up.

REGULAR HOURS ARRIVAL:

Each group will be given an approximate arrival window. While we understand that you may have children in two different groups, we do encourage families to arrive as close to your arrival window IF possible.

ON ARRIVAL:

Parents will be directed to drive their vehicle under the circular overhang of the MAIN CLUB ENTRANCE where a member of our Health Care Team will greet each camper to ensure they arrive safely and are handed over to their groups after having their temperature taken. Parents are asked to remain in the vehicle (unless your child cannot unbuckle their own seatbelt).

Please do not arrive before 8:45 am unless you are in golf camp or registered for extended hours. We acknowledge that parents may wish to arrive starting at 8:45 am. Based on limited spacing under the canopy we will have four stations for Camper check in. We anticipate this will result in a slower process of checking in. However, we trust you will be patient and understand that this is for the safety of all campers and staff.

REGULAR HOURS DISMISSAL:

Each group will be given an approximate pickup window. We do, however, encourage families to arrive as close to your pickup window IF possible.

A dismissal map will be provided prior to the start of the session. This will indicate the pick up zone for your child. It is possible that the zone changes each session so please consult the most current pick up zone map. For all groups other than Tennis, please park in the lot closest to the campsite. Parents are asked to stay in their car until they see their child's group enter the dismissal barricaded section. Please approach the zone indicated on the barricades WEARING A MASK and be prepared to show your "camper identification card" to a member of senior team. Please note that we are unable to bring up campers from other groups once our dismissal process begins. Groups will be staggered by 5 minutes each.

BEHAVIOUR CODE:

Due to cohorting restrictions, campers must stay with their cabin and not wander off. If your child cannot follow the proper procedures and therefore is compromising the safety of all of our campers and staff, they will be sent home from camp. There is a strict zero tolerance policy and no exceptions will be made.

FOOD:

All food will be prepared fresh daily from the Club Catering Department and will be delivered to the campers individually prepackaged to ensure food safety when it is received by the campers. In this regard campers are not be permitted to share any food snacks or drinks while at camp. Campers will be kept in their cohorts for lunch.

PARENT COMMUNICATION:

While we pride ourselves on our welcoming environment, for the safety of the campers and staff, we will be unable to welcome parents onto our campsite. Even though we will not be able to arrange an in-person meeting, the staff can be reached by calling the camp office at 905-731-2800 extension 258 during camp hours.

PROGRAMMING:

We are committed to providing the highest quality of programming for our campers. In order to comply with Public Health guidelines, we will be unable to offer the following programs this year:

- Extended days/ mock sleepovers
- Family Nights
- Cooking
- Animal programs
- Hobby Hubs
- Mix & Match Golf and Tennis

WE ALL NEED TO DO OUR PART TO MAINTAIN A SAFE CAMP THIS SUMMER. WE ARE FOCUSED ON YOUR CHILD'S ENJOYMENT AND SAFETY WHILE AT CAMP AND NOTE THAT YOUR VIGILANCE TO ENSURE THE VIRUS IS NOT BROUGHT INTO CAMP WE TRUST YOU WILL DO YOUR PART TO ENSURE CAMP IS A SUCCESS AGAIN THIS YEAR AS IT WAS IN 2020.



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SUMMER FOR
ALL OF US*

Richmond Hill Country Club Day Camp

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CONTACT CAMP OFFICE FOR MORE DETAILS:

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