

2008 BEGINNING 4-H COUNSELOR CAMP INFORMATION SHEET

UPHAM WOODS OUTDOOR LEARNING CENTER

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, April 12-13, 2008

8:30 am Saturday to 11:30 am Sunday

- PURPOSE:** This workshop is intended for beginning counselors who want to learn the skills and knowledge necessary to be an effective camp counselor. Training for resource or outpost counselors will not be provided.
- COST:** The cost is \$55.00 per participant for youth and adults.
- INSURANCE:** Counties are responsible for individual accident/medical insurance coverage for their participants.
- REGISTRATION:** Registrations are due by March 26, 2008.
- CANCELLATION:** Anyone canceling before noon on March 26, 2008 will receive a 100% refund. After that date the money is non-refundable
- ENROLLMENT:** Enrollment will be limited to the first 100 participants.
- OBJECTIVES:**
1. For youth to gain the knowledge and skills necessary to become successful camp counselors.
 2. To guide and support camp counselors in a positive learning experiences.
 3. To develop a teamwork environment for future camp staff.
 4. For youth to gain understanding of camp practices, processes, programs and facilities.
- CHAPERONES:** Each County is expected to send at least one adult chaperon with their counselors. Counties sending more than 10 youth are expected to send one adult for every 10 youth.

ADULT EXPECTATIONS: Attending Adults Will Be Expected to:

1. Serve as cabin chaperons.
2. Participate throughout the workshop as small group leaders and facilitators.
3. Observe counselor growth and play a lead role in their evaluation.
4. Provide positive and enthusiastic support for the planned program.
5. Come with a basic understanding of their county camp program.
6. Leave radios/tape players, extra food, snacks & pop at home.

NOTE: All youth and adults must complete and turn in a health form and a counselor or adult expectation form. These forms will be mailed directly to all participants and/or they can be downloaded from the website listed below. The health and expectation forms will be collected at registration on the first day of this workshop. All participants must have completed forms available upon arrival.

FORM DOWNLOAD SITE: <http://www.uwex.edu/ces/4h/uphamwoods/programs/counselorcamp.cfm>

UW-EXTENSION OFFICES: Please make copies of this information sheet for each participant.