

KINNERET HIGHLIGHTS



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SLEEPOUT DEADLINE EXTENDED!!

The Great Kinneret Sleepout II is this Friday night!!! It will be another great night of fun. Because we received so many calls to add the Sleepout at the end of last week, **we have extended the Sleepout sign-up deadline through this Wednesday, August 9th.** Call the office to sign up! When you call, please be sure to tell us whether you would like your camper to ride home on a bus Saturday morning (schedule is on the back) or if you would like to pick them up from camp at 10:00 on Saturday morning. **Please remember that buses are not returning to all regularly scheduled bus stops on Saturday, so please include your preferred stop number (0-8).** You're welcome to leave a detailed message on our message machine (818-706-8255 or 805-523-7711), but please be sure to let us know about Saturday morning transportation!!!

SLEEPOUT CAMPERS WHO ARE NOT HERE ON FRIDAY

If your campers are attending the Sleepout but are not scheduled to be at camp on Friday, please bring them and their gear to camp between 3:00 pm and 3:45 pm Friday afternoon. During this time and until our buses depart, you will be directed into the lower parking lot to avoid conflict with our buses that will be loading to take campers home at the end of the regular Friday program. Please plan to "drop and go" and we will escort arriving campers to their groups!

FRIDAY CAMPERS WHO ARE NOT STAYING FOR SLEEPOUT

Please bring your ID to your bus stop on Friday afternoon. While our regular afternoon bus routes will take campers to their normal bus stops on the usual schedule, **many buses will have a different bus counselor** to sign campers out at the stops. Help make this process run smoothly by having your ID in hand at your stop.

REMINDER: Sleepout Friday is a busy day at camp and we ask that parents not visit camp on this day. Thanks!

CARNIVAL DAY

Next Wednesday, August 16th is our annual Camp Kinneret Carnival. There are no roller coasters or rides, but even better: there are booths and games created by none other than Camp Kinneret campers. Campers not regularly scheduled for that day may schedule a makeup or extra day for the day. Just call the office to see if we have space! If you'd prefer, you can bring them for just the carnival in the afternoon. Drop them off at 12:45 pm and pick them up between 2:15 and 2:30 pm. Our staff will be waiting by the barricade to sign them in & out. *(Please note that campers who come only for the carnival in the afternoon must be picked up at camp and are not scheduled to ride the bus home).*

THE 2017 OLYMPICS

WAS A SUCCESS!

Our 33rd Camp Kinneret Olympics was a fun week of track & swim meets, Pictionary, statue competitions, banner contests, and lots of individual group sporting events. Poseidon arrived from Mount Olympus on his tiny motorized chariot to administer the Olympic oaths and declare the Camp Kinneret Olympics 2017 officially open! While the Yellow Team took home the gold medal this year (Blue took silver and Green, Black, & Red took bronze!), all of our Olympic athletes enjoyed the fun week and celebrated with their own official Camp Kinneret Olympic Medals. Congratulations to all of our athletes for a great week full of good sportsmanship and fun!

LOST & FOUND

We do our best to get labeled items back to their owners, but many of the things we find have no names. Items like bathing suits, goggles, and water bottles often go unclaimed. Please help us by clearly labeling your child's belongings with a first and last name. If you ever realize your camper has brought home someone else's towel, t-shirt, or other item, please send it back to camp with your child and we will get it back to its owner. Items not claimed by the end of summer are donated to charity.

TIE DYE THIS WEEK!

Just a reminder to send a labeled white shirt or other item each day this week until your camper has had the chance to tie dye! Sending it in a labeled Ziploc bag also helps us to return it to your camper at the end of the day!



Saturday Morning Pickup

On Saturday morning, buses will be returning campers to the following locations.

Buses will NOT be going to all regular bus stops. On the sign up form, select one of the following options.

If you're not sure which option you selected on your form, please call the office today.

Stop #	Saturday AM Pickup Options	Stop Description Details at: www.campkinneret.com/sleepout.pdf	Time	Suggested for campers usually at the following stops
0	At Camp	29646 Agoura Rd. – just west of Kanan Rd.	10:00	E5, C4, G3
1	A2 – Rear of Van Nuys Blvd Gelsons	SW Corner of Milbank & Sylmar	10:30	A1, A2, A3
2	B2 – Nestle Ave School	Rear corner at Doman Ave. & Tarzana St.	10:22	B1, B2, B3
3	F6 – The Commons	On Calabasas Rd. in the bus turn out directly across from Babies R Us	9:57	F1, F2, F5, F6, E4
4	E3 – Bay Laurel School	Front of the School	9:57	E1, E2, E3, E4
5	G1- Lang Ranch Elementary	Front of the School	10:19	C1, C2, G1
6	G2 – Red Oak School	Front of the School	9:54	G2, G3, C4
7	H2 – The Oaks Mall	Parking lot closest to Lynn & Hillcrest	10:19	C3, H0, H1, H2
8	H3 – Village Homes HOA	Across the street from Evenstar Park	9:54	C3, H3

Sleepout Gear: What to pack!

Label everything with your camper's name, his or her counselor's name and bus stop (letter and number).

- SLEEPING BAG:** All of our campers and staff sleep outside on the grass. Even during warm summer days, the nights here at camp can be quite cold. It is important to send an **outdoor type** sleeping bag that will provide warmth for your child.
- LONG PANTS & JACKET (or a very warm sweatshirt):** It can get chilly and it's nice to have warm clothes to wear and even to sleep in. *(We sleep in our clothes too!)*
- FLASHLIGHT:** It does get dark and flashlights sure help us find our sleeping bags after the campfire and help light the path to the bathrooms. *(Be sure to write your camper's name on it!)*
- TOILETRIES:** Feel free to pack a toothbrush, toothpaste, and any other items your camper may need.
- EXTRA TOWEL & SWIM SUIT:** Campers entering 1st grade and above only.
- A SMILE:** The Sleepout is FUN!!!

Haven't Signed Up for Sleepout Yet?



**Call the Camp Kinneret
Office Today to Reserve
Your Sleepout Spot!**

(818) 706-8255
(805) 523-7711



* When you reserve a spot by phone, please send a payment of \$95 for each attending camper:

** Checks should be payable to *Camp Kinneret*

OR

Call us with your credit card information (*Visa, MasterCard, or American Express only*)

*** Also, be sure to let us know if your camper will have any medications during the Sleepout.