

# Spirit Camps 2018

Christ Church Camps  
7600 Ox Road  
Fairfax Station, Virginia 22039



## Code of Conduct

Children and parents should review this required document together and sign below.

### Children must:

- Maintain personal care (toileting, changing) without staff support
- Stay with your assigned group at all times
- Respect others in what you say and do. Teasing and bullying are not tolerated.
- Report any instances or incidents of teasing or bullying, immediately to their coach
- Listen to program leaders
- Follow directions
- Use appropriate language
- Keep hands to oneself and maintain self control
- Use equipment and supplies in a safe and appropriate manner
- \*\*Keep all cell phones and multimedia devices in your backpack during camp hours.  
(We strongly suggest these items be left at home. Christ Church Camps will not be held responsible for lost or stolen items. Care for these items is solely up to the child.)

### Parent Must:

- Complete and submit appropriate paperwork required for each camp
- Sign camper in and out of the program, bring proper ID and be on time
- Contact the Camp Director immediately when there is a concern or issue
- Adhere to the camp refund and transfer policy as outlined in camp policies

### Grounds for immediate Dismissal (no refund given):

- A parent or family who refuses to follow Christ Church Camps policies, as stated
- A camper who brings a weapon to camp
- A camper who intentionally harms themselves or causes injury to another camper or staff member
- A camper who vandalizes or steals property of the camp facility, staff or other campers
- A camper who displays inappropriate behaviors repeatedly
- A camper who fails to comply with the Rules of Conduct

### Management of Behavior:

From time to time, staff must take actions to resolve problems disruptive to the program or other participants. Behavior guidance requires specialized skills; although staff are not behavior specialists, staff are trained to provide basic behavior interventions. To manage disruptive and inappropriate behaviors, staff will acknowledge the behavior, address the camper, assess the reasons for the behavior, discuss with the child what is appropriate behavior, redirect behaviors when appropriate, if necessary, remove the child from the activity until the child can exhibit self control and discuss the behavior problems with the parents to strategize possible solutions. In situations where inappropriate or disruptive behavior is recurring, the child's enrollment in the program may be terminated. The staff does NOT use physical punishment, humiliation, shaming, or denial of food as methods to manage behavior. Staff uses a proactive approach to meet the needs of the children by planning age/ability appropriate activities in a fun and safe environment.

We have read and understand the rules of conduct and agree to uphold them to maintain a safe and enjoyable camp experience for everyone. (PLEASE BRING THIS FORM WITH YOU ON/PRIOR TO THE FIRST DAY OF CAMP).

Camper's Name: (please print) \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Camper \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home/Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_