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Dear Parents,

Hello! We're so excited and thankful you've chosen Strong Tower Ranch to be part of your family's summer! To have a safe and wonderful time at camp, please read this key information for the week carefully:

> **DROP OFF** - *Please have your child exit the vehicle on the **passenger side**.*

**TIME:** WE CANNOT ACCOMADATE EARLY DROP OFF

**MONDAY** - 8:30 am

**TUESDAY - FRIDAY** - 8:45 am

\* *Camp begins at 9:00 am EVERY day*

**LOCATION:**

**ALL** Campers: Lakeside (follow signs on Blattner Road)

> **PICK-UP** - Pick-up cards will be handed out Monday morning during drop-off. The physical card or a photo of the physical card **must be presented** for any camper to be released into the care of a parent, guardian, or authorized pick-up person.

**TIME:** 4:00 pm (every day)

**LOCATION:**

- Explorers & Pathfinders (7.5 - 10 year olds) = Lakeside at drop-off location
- Navigators (11 & 12 year olds) = follow signs to Pole Barn - you do not have to wait in the lakeside pick-up line, but may go around in the "left" lane space allowing.

**>> Label ALL belongings <<**

**>> unclaimed items are donated/disposed of <<**

> **WHAT TO WEAR**

- Secure shoes for running & playing - NO flip flops
- Girls - swimsuit with clothing over
- Boys - swim trunks and a shirt

> **WHAT TO BRING (in a bag)**

- Towel, sunscreen, bug spray
- Change of clothes in a ziploc bag
- Swimsuits can be brought instead of worn and changed into before swim time. However, most campers prefer to wear swim gear so they can get to swim time more quickly.
- Medications - Prescription or over the counter

**\*\*NOTE:** All medications MUST be given to the camp first aid person in the original container with written dispensing instructions on the 1st day of camp. ***It is the responsibility of the parent(s)/guardian(s) to pick up the remaining medications on the last day their child(ren) attend camp for the week.***

## > SWIMMING NOTES

- Bright colored swimwear allows for more visibility in lake water.
- **NEW FOR THIS SUMMER - ALL** campers must wear a personal flotation device (PFD) during swim time.
  - All those able to bring their own PFD are encouraged to do so

## > WHAT WE PROVIDE

- Camper t-shirt & water bottle
- Lunch, snacks, and drinks

## > WHAT NOT TO BRING

- Knives, firearms, explosives, illegal drugs, cigarettes, vaping devices, alcoholic beverages, weapons or anything that may be construed as a weapon. **Possession of any of the aforementioned are grounds for immediate removal from camp.**
- Cell phones. If your child needs to make an emergency phone call, he/she will be given access to do so. If we notice a camper with a cell phone, it will be retained by camp staff until pick up.
- Electronic devices of any kind
- Games, toys, food, or energy drinks (exception: food for special dietary needs - see below)
- Money or any valuables that could be lost or stolen.

**\*\* Strong Tower Ranch is not responsible for lost or stolen camper items \*\***

## > FOOD ALLERGIES and/or SPECIAL DIETARY NEEDS

- Please ensure that you have completed the allergy section on your camper's registration.
- We do our best during camp to offer some options for restricted dietary needs. However, we serve an average of 150 people per day, so we do have limited capacity in what we can offer. If you have questions or concerns, please email [daycamp@stranch.org](mailto:daycamp@stranch.org).

## > PHOTO DAY - TUESDAY

- Please have your child(ren) wear their Strong Tower Ranch camper t-shirt.

## > OTHER NOTES

- We do NOT typically cancel camp due to rain or heat - notifications would go out via email and social media in the unlikely event this occurred or for a delayed start.
- If you have any specific instructions or needs for your child **before camp** begins, please contact [daycamp@stranch.org](mailto:daycamp@stranch.org).
- If you have any needs **during the camp week**, please contact Teri Penney, Camp Manager, via text or phone 479-659-1415, or Lori Brooks, Program Director, via text or phone 636-248-3762.

See ya at camp!  
The STR staff