

Camp HERO 2014

Rules and Standards

General Rules

1. All participants must wear closed toed shoes at all times!
2. If a child has a fever, is sick, infected with pinkeye, lice, or any other communicable disease, please do not send them to the program. This is to protect your child and the health of the other staff and participants. Before your child is permitted to return to the program, treatment must be provided and verified by staff in order to ensure the disease is no longer contagious. A signed doctor's statement will also be sufficient to re-admit your child.
3. Fighting, abusive language, and excessive disruptive behavior will result in immediate removal of the program. Please encourage your children to follow the directions of the Camp Counselors. Parents may be contacted to pick up their children if this behavior consistently occurs.
4. No child is allowed to leave the program unless accompanied by a parent, guardian, or authorized person on the registration form. Please have a form of identification ready when picking up the child.
5. A child may be dropped off and signed-in no earlier than 7:30AM and can be picked up no later than 6:00PM. Children must be accompanied inside with an adult.
6. A Registration Form must be signed for each child by a parent, or legal guardian, at registration. Any child without such form will not be allowed to attend the program.
7. Water will be provided throughout the day.
8. Children are encouraged not to bring their own equipment (i.e. bicycles, basketballs, electronics, cell phones, etc.) to the program. The City of Bryan and Camp HERO are not responsible for any items brought by participants, and we reserve the right to hold anything brought by participants at the front desk, should the item(s) in question create issues. All held items will be returned directly to the adult picking up the child.

Field Trips and Swimming Rules

1. Swimsuits must be worn on swim days. Children not wearing swimsuits will not be allowed to swim. Male swimsuits must have inner liners.
2. Swim tests will be performed each time we go swimming to ensure the ability and safety of your child and the other participants.
3. While on field trips children must remain seated on the bus at all times until instructed to depart from the bus.
4. By registering for camp, the child is authorized to participate in all field trips unless otherwise specified by the parent/legal guardian.
5. Most field trips will be no extra cost with the exception of a few out of town trips. Please do NOT send your child with additional money, unless notified by Camp HERO.
6. Notice for departure times for field trips will be distributed through weekly emails. Our departure times are firm, and we take all scheduled staff with us. If a Camp HERO participant arrives at Bowen after the bus has left and the parent wishes for the child to join the field trip, it is the responsibility of the parent to provide transportation to the field trip site. Alternate transportation will not be provided. Staff will not be present at Bowen during field trips.

Payments Standards

1. Payments must be made in full prior to your child's admittance to Camp HERO. Failure to pay will result in refusal of service.
2. Payments can be submitted online at parks.bryantx.gov, in-person at Bowen during camp hours, at the Bryan Aquatics Center, Monday – Friday, 8am - 8pm and Saturday/Sunday, 11:30am-7:00pm, or at our main office Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm.
3. "Rollovers", or the carrying of credit from one week or day to another, are prohibited.
4. For cancellations of weeks and/or days for which payment has already been made, the Camp HERO Coordinator must be notified (in-person, by phone or email) by the end of business on the Monday of the preceding week. Failure to notify may result in denial of refund.
5. Refunds based on removal of a participant from Camp HERO made by Camp HERO will be determined on a case-by-case basis by the Recreation Manager.
6. Exceptions to these payments standards are made at the discretion of the Recreation Manager.

Activity Fees

- Full Week (due by Monday of each week)
 - \$100 for the first child
 - \$90 for each additional child
- Per Day (due at the beginning of each day)
 - \$25 for each child
- Some field trips may require an additional fee. Notice of these additional costs will be provided at least one week in advance.

If you have any questions please contact Lincoln Crowder at 209-5517 or lcrowder@bryantx.gov. Thank you and we look forward to a great summer with you and your child!