

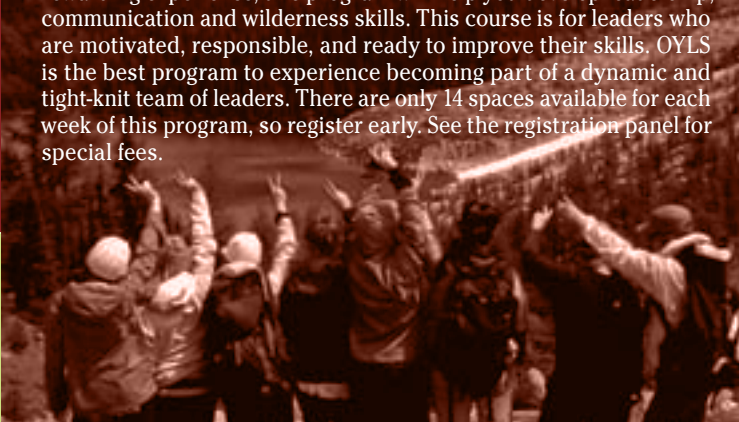


**REGISTER
BLUELAKECENTRE.COM
ON-LINE**

**SPECIAL
REGISTRATION
REQUIRED**

OUTDOOR YOUTH LEADERSHIP

The life changing experience continues with our Outdoor Youth Leadership Program! Offered to ages 15-18, the OYLS program will take you to the next level in outdoor leadership. This program features a riveting two-night hike into the mountains, a horseback riding adventure into the beautiful Purcell Wilderness Conservancy, a full day of water-based programs, and more. A challenging and rewarding experience, this program will help you develop leadership, communication and wilderness skills. This course is for leaders who are motivated, responsible, and ready to improve their skills. OYLS is the best program to experience becoming part of a dynamic and tight-knit team of leaders. There are only 14 spaces available for each week of this program, so register early. See the registration panel for special fees.



*Summer
Camp*

SUMMER APPLICATION FORM

1. GENERAL INFO — USE ONE FORM PER PERSON

Camper Name

Age Birthday / / Male Female

Medical Plan/Prov. (i.e. BC Care Card#)

Out of province campers please ensure you have adequate medical coverage

Address

City Postal Code

Parent/Guardian

E-Mail

Home Phone Work Phone

How many summers have you been coming to Blue Lake Camp?
 Never 1 2 3 4 or more

Are there any other family members that registered this year for Summer Camp at Blue Lake?
 Yes No

Have any family members been to Summer Camp at Blue Lake in the past? Yes No

What reminded you to register for Summer Camp this year?
 Friend Web Page Brochure Radio Other

Are you planning on coming back to Summer Camp next year? Yes No

2. REGULAR SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION

Please indicate your choice for arrival and departure dates:

arrival departure

AMOUNT ENCLOSED

..... x \$59/night \$.....
 (# of nights) or \$59 deposit

GST

Total Camp Fee \$.....

3. OUTDOOR YOUTH LEADERSHIP (contact us for dates)

Camp Fee \$499 (includes horseback riding trip)
 or \$125 deposit

GST

Total Camp Fee \$.....

SPACE IS LIMITED!
Register early—avoid disappointment

4. PAYMENT

Please apply camp total to: Visa MasterCard Cheque enclosed*

**Personal cheques will only be accepted three weeks prior to the start of your child's stay at Blue Lake.*

Visa / MasterCard #

Expiry Date.....Print Name

Signature.....

BLUE LAKE STORE

Featuring T-shirts, hats, hoodies, and more, the Blue Lake Store is the best place to get exclusive Blue Lake merchandise! Our product line also includes beach balls, Frisbees, and water bottles.

STAFFING

- camper-leader ratio 4:1
- all staff certified with CPR-C first aid
- camp director
- professional cook
- Level III first aid attendants
- lifeguards
- instructors
- counsellors

FACILITIES

- camp store & registration area
- wash house with electricity
- cabins with bunks & mattresses
- new dining hall
- recreation hall
- campfire circle
- Findlay Lodge (for reservation)
- docks



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 Website www.bluelakecentre.com

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*Camper, bring
 your camera!*



- Make cheque or money order payable to Blue Lake Forest Education Society. Confirmation letter, health information form, waiver, and what-to-bring list will be mailed upon receipt of this application with minimum registration deposit.
- All fees non-refundable if cancellation occurs 21 days or less before start date.
- No refund for services not used.
- Registration deposits are non-refundable and non-transferable and are applied to total camp fees.
- Fees (less registration deposit) will only be refunded if cancelled 21 days before the selected start date. Medical plan number AND registration deposit or total fee MUST be submitted to accept this application. All campers/guardians must sign a Waiver of Liability before participating in any program.

PLEASE NOTE!

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CABIN FRIEND REQUEST

Camper can request a friend with whom they would like to share a cabin. Requests will be accommodated to the best of our abilities, but they are not guaranteed.



Please detach and return by fax, mail or in person
 Or register on-line at www.bluelakecentre.com

Mail: Blue Lake Forest Education Society
 PO Box 759, Cranbrook, BC V1C 4J5

Fax: (250) 426-3933

In Person: 2279 Cranbrook St. N.
 Office Hrs. Mon-Fri 8:30-4:30

See you this summer!



Summer Schedule

Pick-up/Drop-off is 2:00 to 5:00 pm every day

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
8:30 Wake-up	7:30 Wake-up	7:30 Wake-up	7:30 Wake-up	7:30 Wake-up	7:30 Wake-up	8:30 Wake-up
9:00 Breakfast/Duties	8:00 Morning challenge	8:00 Morning challenge	8:00 Morning challenge	8:00 Morning challenge	8:00 Morning challenge	9:30 Breakfast
10:00 Group hike	8:30 Breakfast/Duties	8:30 Breakfast/Duties	8:30 Breakfast/Duties	9:00 Breakfast/Duties	8:30 Breakfast	10:30 Cabin clean-up
11:30 Free time	9:30 Challenges	9:45 EcoFun lesson	9:30 Out-trip prep/ EcoFun	10:00 In-trip activities	9:30 EcoFun lesson	12:00 Lost and found
12:30 Lunch/Duties	11:30 Free time	11:30 Free time	11:30 Free time	11:00 Out-trips return/ free time	11:30 Free time	12:30 Awards ceremony
1:30 Butts on bunks (rest time)	12:30 Lunch/Duties	12:30 Lunch/Duties	12:30 Lunch/Duties	12:30 Lunch/Duties	12:30 Lunch/Duties	1:30 BBQ/sports day
2:00 Outdoor Activities	1:30 Butts on bunks	1:30 Butts on bunks	1:30 Butts on bunks	1:30 Butts on bunks	1:30 Butts on bunks	2-5:00 Registration/ Deregistration
2-5:00 Registration/ Deregistration	2-5:00 Registration/ Deregistration	2-5:00 Registration/ Deregistration	2-5:00 Registration/ Deregistration	2-5:00 Registration/ Deregistration	2-5:00 Registration/ Deregistration	5:30 Dinner/Duties
4:30 Camp tour	2:30 Intro to EcoFun	2:30 EcoFun lesson	2:30 Out-trip groups leave	3:00 EcoFun lesson	2:30 EcoFun lesson	7:00 Game
5:30 Dinner/Duties	4:30 Free time	4:30 Free time	3:00 In-trip activities	4:30 Free time	4:00 Free time	9:00 Campfire
7:00 Game	5:30 Dinner/Duties	5:30 Dinner/Duties	5:30 Dinner/Duties	5:30 Dinner/Duties	5:30 Formal dinner	10:30 Bedtime
9:00 Senior Staff Campfire	7:00 EcoFun prep	7:00 Game	7:00 Game	7:00 Skit preparation	7:00 Game	
10:30 Bedtime	9:00 Campfire	9:00 Campfire	9:00 Campfire	8:00 Talent show	9:00 Campfire	
	10:30 Bedtime	10:30 Bedtime	10:30 Bedtime	9:30 Social		
				10:30 Bedtime		

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Into the Wild...

You'll sense it as soon as you arrive at camp, you'll notice it in those around you, and before you know it, you too will become immersed in the Blue Lake way of life. Make new friends, instantly bond with people you have never before met, and be continually supported, encouraged and set up for success. By day, we investigate the wilderness, bathe in the sunlight, and breathe the fresh mountain air. By night, we glow from the campfire light and our echo cuts through the tranquil woodland around us as we sing, chant, and talk of stories and legends.

This summer you'll have the opportunity to expand the boundaries of your imagination and feel great about who you are and what makes you unique. Unveil knowledge and skills that you never thought you had, and seize the opportunity to shine! Watch good days change into great days, good friends into best friends, and typical summer days transform into one of the greatest adventures you'll ever experience!

I am geared up and excited to be part of the greatest summer that Blue Lake Camp has ever seen, so come on out and experience the Blue Lake way of life!



*See you this summer!
Dubsy & the Blue Lake Staff*



WHAT TO EXPECT AT SUMMER CAMP

Whether you are a new camper or a seasoned veteran, an avid outdoor enthusiast or first time adventurer, Blue Lake has something special in store for you. At Blue Lake, we cater our daily programs to accommodate each unique individual and offer several specialized programs that you can participate in during your stay. You'll take part in challenges and games that will build leadership, communication, and teamwork. You can choose to go on an overnight hike and enjoy a true wilderness experience away from the camp facility. If you are between the ages of 15 and 18, participate in the Outdoor Youth Leadership Program (OYLS) and learn how to take charge, lead, cooperate, and repeatedly triumph during challenging situations.

Make new friends, investigate the forest around you, and experience never before seen games and challenges that will potentially change your outlook on life. There are some fixed programs, such as EcoFun, that are done in small groups and others, like Capture the Flag, which involve everyone. You'll be surprised at how quickly and easily you fit with the Blue Lake way of life and how many other campers share the same interests as you. If you love to fish, don't forget your rod and tackle box. Or perhaps you're a mountain biker; bring your bike and helmet and we'll hit the trails during free time.



Here is a list of just some of the recreational activities we offer:

- **CAMPFIRE • SWIMMING • CANOEING**
- **OUT-TRIPS • ARTS & CRAFTS • CAPTURE THE FLAG**
- **CHALLENGES • INITIATIVES • TALENT SHOWS**
- **HIKING • ECOFUN • PREDATOR PREY**
- **MOUNTAIN BIKING** (requires own bike and helmet)
- **FISHING** (requires own rod and tackle) • **GOLDRUSH**

CHOOSE YOUR SCHEDULE

Summer Camp operates from July through August (check bluelakecentre.com or contact our office for summer camp dates). You can choose to stay for one night or all summer! Most campers arrive on a Sunday and leave on a Saturday, but Blue Lake registers campers any day of the week. We feel that this schedule provides the best opportunity to experience all of the activities we offer. If that schedule doesn't work for you, simply choose the days and length of stay that works best! Whatever you decide, make sure you're there on Friday night. If the wind hits the trees just right, the sound of drums explode and you may find yourself at a secret moonlit campfire, hearing legendary tales of Blue Lake!

LEARNING AT SUMMER CAMP

Our EcoFun programs are designed to teach you more about our forests and environment and allow you to enjoy the outdoors with campers your age. Activities are done in small groups with the focus of the program varying depending on age. 7-9-year-olds learn the basics of water, trees, soil, and wildlife. 10-11-year-olds learn outdoor skills like orienteering, survival, and conservation. 12-13-year-olds take part in our Ecosystem Management program, while 14-year-olds take part in the Junior Outdoor Youth Leadership program (JOYLS). The JOYLS program is an introductory version of the Outdoor Youth Leadership program (See further in this brochure). The program focuses on developing leadership and team-building skills. To get the most out of this program stay for a full week (Sunday-Saturday) or longer. This program is ongoing throughout the summer and does not require special registration.

MID-WEEK MISSIONS

On Wednesday afternoons we venture into the wilderness for a true adventure—an overnight hike! Cook your meal over an open fire, learn outdoor camping skills, and sleep under the stars.

A JOURNEY IS A PERSON IN ITSELF, NO TWO ARE ALIKE. WE FIND AFTER YEARS OF STRUGGLE THAT WE DO NOT TAKE A TRIP, A TRIP TAKES US.

- JOHN STEINBECK

