



REGISTRATION
FORMS AVAILABLE
ON-LINE

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

- 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 registration deposit.
- 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.

PLEASE NOTE!

All campers/guardians must sign a Waiver of Liability before participating in any program.

CABIN FRIEND REQUEST

Campers 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.



“BEFORE DOORS, THE OUTDOORS
WAS JUST CALLED HOME.”

- UNKNOWN

2. REGULAR SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION

Please indicate your choice for arrival and departure dates:

arrival departure

AMOUNT ENCLOSED

..... × \$65/night \$.....
(# of nights) or \$65 deposit

12% HST

Total Camp Fee \$.....

3. OUTDOOR YOUTH LEADERSHIP (contact us for dates)

July OYLS camp August OYLS camp

Camp Fee \$499 or \$125 deposit \$.....

12% HST

Total Camp Fee \$.....

SPACE IS LIMITED!
Register early

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.....



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!



BLUE LAKE STORE

Featuring T-shirts, hats, hoodies, travel mugs, water bottles and stickers, the Blue Lake store is the best place to get exclusive Blue Lake merchandise!

STAFFING AT CAMP

- Camp director
- Senior staff
- Counsellors
- Camper to leader ratio 4:1
- Staff certified with First Aid
- Professional cook
- Level III First Aid attendants
- Lifeguards

FACILITIES

- Ten cabins with bunk beds
- Large dining hall
- First aid facility
- Registration and camp store building
- Wash house with showers
- Swimming area with docks
- Fire pit and campfire circle
- Trail systems for hiking and biking
- Volleyball area
- Large field for games
- Boat house
- Lodge and training centre



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Camper, bring
your cameras!



Summer Camp





Welcome to the great outdoors!

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 will be immersed in the Blue Lake way of life! Life at camp is filled with making new friends, reuniting with old ones and forming lifelong bonds with people that have shared the remarkable experience that is Blue Lake. By day, we investigate the wilderness, bathe in the sunlight and breathe the fresh mountain air. By night, we bask in the glow from the campfire and our voices are heard echoing off the surrounding hills as we sing, chant and share stories and legends under the greatest ceiling of all: the starry night sky.

At summer camp you will have the opportunity to expand your imagination, feel great about who are, and what makes you unique. Unveil the wonders of the world around you, discover skills and knowledge that you never knew you had and seize the opportunity to shine! Watch your summer transform into one of the greatest adventures you'll ever experience!

Come on out and share the beauty and magic that is the Blue Lake way of life! We are excited to be a part of your adventure and to host one of the best summers Blue Lake has ever seen!



See you this summer!
Tales & the Blue Lake Staff



Summer Schedule

Pick-up/Drop-off is 2:00 to 5:00 pm each 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/duties |
| 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 EcoFun | 9:45 EcoFun | 9:30 EcoFun/ Out-trip prep | 10:00 Hike | 9:30 EcoFun | 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 |
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| 4:30 Camp tour | 2:30 Cabin group activity | 2:30 Cabin group activity | 2:30 Out-trip groups leave | 3:00 EcoFun | 2:30 Theme activity | 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 Beach party | 9:00 Campfire |
| 7:00 Game | 5:30 Dinner/Duties | 5:30 Dinner/Duties | 5:30 Dinner/Duties | 5:30 Skit preparation | 5:30 Formal dinner | 10:00 Bedtime |
| 9:00 Campfire | 7:00 Game | 7:00 Game | 7:00 Out-trip/In-trip activities | 7:00 Talent show | 7:00 Game | |
| 10:00 Bedtime | 9:00 Campfire | 9:00 Campfire | 9:00 Campfire | 8:00 Talent show | 9:00 Campfire | |
| | 10:00 Bedtime | 10:00 Bedtime | 10:00 Bedtime | 10:00 Bedtime | 10:00 Bedtime | |

WHAT TO EXPECT AT SUMMER CAMP

Blue Lake has something special to offer you whether you are a seasoned veteran or a first time adventurer! The programs are designed to appeal to each unique individual so that each camper will gain new knowledge and experiences.

There are games, challenges and initiatives that will build communication, leadership, independence, problem solving and teamwork skills. EcoFun lessons take place as part of the daily routine; they are varied and hands-on lessons designed to teach about the world around us. There is an overnight hike every Wednesday that you can choose to participate in which offers a true wilderness experience that takes you away from the camp facility and into the wild for a night.

Cabin Activities occur throughout the week where you and your cabin group get to play games and do activities with your counsellors and strengthen the friendships and bonds that form between bunk mates. Blue Lake has a theme day every week and whether it is something like pirates or superheroes, the camp and activities are transformed to match with the chosen theme. For those ages 15-18 there is the Outdoor Youth Leadership Program (OYLS). During OYLS you will learn to lead, cooperate, and overcome challenges. And don't forget Blue Lake's favourite game: capture the flag! Be prepared to experience games and challenges that you have never seen before and come away with new friends, fond memories and favourite songs!

RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES OFFERED:

- **CAMPFIRE • SWIMMING • CANOEING • OUT-TRIPS**
- **ARTS & CRAFTS • CAPTURE THE FLAG • CHALLENGES**
- **TALENT SHOWS • HIKING • ECOFUN**
- **CABIN ACTIVITIES • THEME DAYS**
- **MOUNTAIN BIKING**
(requires own bike and helmet)
- **FISHING**
(requires own rod and tackle)

SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS ARE FOR AGES 7-14



WHAT'S THE SCHEDULE?

- Summer camp is broken down into two three week blocks. The first block is in July and the second block is in August. Check the website or call to check the dates.
- Arriving on Saturday and leaving on Sunday is the most popular schedule as it allows you to experience all the activities that we offer. Blue Lake does take campers any day of the week and you can choose to do one night or the whole summer!
- Be sure to be at camp for Friday night...if the wind hits the trees just right and the sounds of the drums explode through the night, you may experience one of Blue Lake's most exciting events!
- **MID-WEEK MISSION:** On Wednesday afternoons we venture into the wilderness for a true adventure-an overnight hike! Cook your meals over an open fire, learn outdoor camping skills, and sleep under the stars.

LEARNING AT SUMMER CAMP

WHAT IS ECOFUN?

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

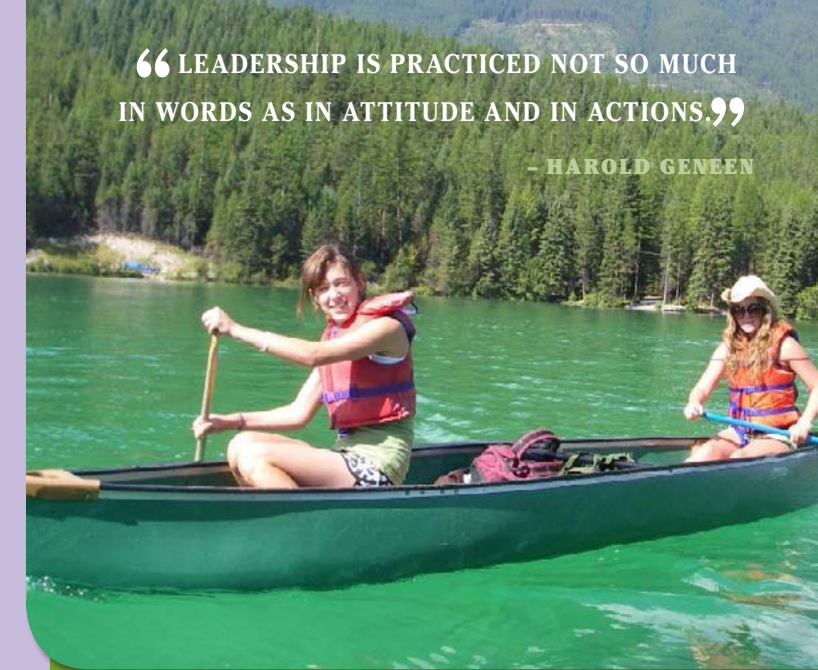
JUNIOR OUTDOOR YOUTH LEADERSHIP (JOYLS):

14 year-olds take part in the Junior Outdoor Youth Leadership Program (JOYLS). JOYLS is an introductory version of the Outdoor Youth Leadership Program and focuses on developing leadership and team-building skills. JOYLS is ongoing throughout the summer and does not require special registration.

To get the most out of these programs, be sure to stay for a full week (Sunday-Saturday)

“ LEADERSHIP IS PRACTICED NOT SO MUCH IN WORDS AS IN ATTITUDE AND IN ACTIONS.”

- HAROLD GENEEN



OUTDOOR YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM (OYLS)

The life changing experience continues with our Outdoor Youth Leadership Program, a journey of adventure, leadership development, and personal growth. Offered to ages 15-18, the OYLS program will take you to the next level in outdoor leadership. This program features a riveting hiking trip into the mountains, a tranquil canoeing trip, camping and outdoor skills galore!

OYLS is a one-week program which happens twice each summer; a challenging and rewarding experience, this program will help you develop leadership, communication and wilderness skills. The participants of OYLS come away having grown to become a part of a tight-knit team of dynamic individuals. Learn trip preparation, risk management, camping technical skills, canoeing techniques and problem solving. There are lots of memories to be made and adventure to be had while taking part in OYLS!

There are only 14 spaces available for each OYLS program, so register early!

OUTDOOR YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM (OYLS) IS FOR AGES 15-18

