

Camper Application  
(Graduated 3rd grade - 14 years old)



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Disabilities  
accommodated  
with prior notification.

Thank you so much for your interest in attending 4-H Camp 2024!  
We are excited for a great week this summer and are looking forward to  
you joining us!

Who Can Attend Camp: All youth who have graduated 3rd grade through 14  
years old are eligible to attend 4-H Camp as a camper in the summer of 2024.

Where: North Central 4-H Camp  
260 St-1035  
Carlisle, KY 40311

Cost: Camp cost is **\$335**, which covers all transportation to and from camp, all  
meals and snacks, all class fees and a t-shirt. A minimum \$50 deposit  
alongside the completed application is required for a spot to be held and final  
payment is due by July 2nd, 2024. Half scholarships are available based on  
need and funds raised. Scholarship applications are required for consideration.

When: Monday, July 15th - Friday, July 19th, 2024

We will be hosting a **MANDATORY** camper orientations on Wednesday,  
June 26th at 6:00 pm for campers with last name A-K and Tuesday, July 2nd  
at 6:00pm for campers with last name L-Z. Every family must have a parent/  
guardian present at an orientation and campers are highly encouraged to also  
attend. Please mark your calendars now with those dates. A reminder about  
orientation will be sent in mid-June.

Deadline: Camp applications are due by Friday, May 31st and spots are filled  
on a first come, first served basis. We cannot hold spots without the completed  
application and \$50 deposit. After all spots are filled, applications can be held  
for wait list. We do not require the \$50 deposit for waitlisted applications.

**We accept cash, check and credit card (with additional processing fees)  
for payment.**

**CHECKS MADE PAYABLE TO  
“WOODFORD COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL”**

4-H Camp Refunds policy:

Woodford County 4-H Council will issue a full refund until June 15th, with a  
written/email request sent to and received by the Woodford County 4-H  
Agent. After June 15th, Woodford County 4-H Council will issue a partial  
refund of the balance less the \$30 county fee. Refunds will not be issued until  
all payments have been deposited and cleared the Woodford County 4-H  
Council account at the discretion of the Woodford County 4-H Council  
treasurer and will be made out to the original payee.



Received by: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Y: \_\_\_\_\_



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HCP Approval Stamp

### Kentucky 4-H Camping 2024 Camp Participant Registration – Camper/Teen

|  |  |                                  |  |
|--|--|----------------------------------|--|
| Last Name:   | Legal First Name:  | Middle Name:                     | Preferred Name:  |
| Attended camp before?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes - # years: ____<br><input type="checkbox"/> No | Fall 2024 School & Grade:  | County:                          | Biological Sex:<br><input type="checkbox"/> Male<br><input type="checkbox"/> Female  |
| Shirt Size: (Select One)<br>YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL A2XL A3XL A4XL                                 |  | Birthdate:<br>____ / ____ / ____ | Age on 1st day of camp?  |
| Participant's Home Address:  |  |                                  | Participant's Race:<br><input type="checkbox"/> White<br><input type="checkbox"/> Black<br><input type="checkbox"/> Asian<br><input type="checkbox"/> American Indian<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hawaiian<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other<br><br>Participant's Ethnicity:<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic<br><input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic |
| Legal Parent/Guardian #1 Full Name:  | Email Address:   |                                  | Cell/Home Number:  |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - I would like to receive email notifications of upcoming statewide Camp-Sponsored Events and Promotions at this email address. |                                  |  |
| Legal Parent/Guardian #2 Full Name:  | Email Address:   |                                  | Cell/Home Number:  |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - I would like to receive email notifications of upcoming statewide Camp-Sponsored Events and Promotions at this email address. |                                  |  |
| Emergency Contact Full Name:   | Relationship to Participant:   | Cell/Home Number:                |  |
| Physician Name:  | Physician Phone Number:  |                                  |  |

**Buy your participant some camp gear. [www.4hcampstore.com](http://www.4hcampstore.com)**

**Is your participant looking for more camp opportunities? [www.4hcampevents.com](http://www.4hcampevents.com)**

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Disabilities accommodated with prior notification.

**PARTICIPANT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

Is the camp participant up to date on immunizations as outlined by Kentucky law required for enrollment in public, private, or home school, based upon the grade the participant will be enrolled for the upcoming school year?

- YES  
 NO *(If marked NO, check with your 4-H Agent for a waiver of liability form.)*

Does the participant have health insurance coverage?

- YES *(Insert a JPEG or PNG file – front and back – of the insurance card in the boxes below.)*  
 NO *(No worries! The camp provides excess medical insurance coverage in the event of injuries or illnesses.)*  
 ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY *(not required to provide a copy of Military ID/Insurance Card)*

**FRONT OF INSURANCE CARD**

**BACK OF INSURANCE CARD**

What is **specific** information about your camp participant which the staff should be made aware of to provide a better camp experience for the camp participant? Information disclosed in this section may allow us to make accommodations based on their individualized needs. **List all specific items** that the participant is provided at home or school to have a successful experience.

**Behavioral (i.e., mental, emotional, physical)**

**Medical (i.e., asthma, autism, seizures, sleepwalker, etc.)**

**Allergies (check the applicable boxes below and describe the allergy and reaction seen)**

**No known allergies:**                      **Food:**                      **Medication:**                      **Seasonal/Environmental:**

**Dietary (check the boxes below if applicable)**

**Vegetarian:**                      **Gluten Intolerant:**                      **Alpha Gal:**                      **Does not eat Pork:**

**Other accommodations or important details (use additional sheet of paper if needed):**



**PARTICIPANT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**AUTHORIZATIONS/RELEASES**

*This is a legal document. You must read and understand it before signing it.*

**MEDIA RELEASE:**

I grant the Kentucky 4-H Program and the University of Kentucky, Kentucky State University, and persons acting through them, the right to use, reproduce, assign, and/or distribute photographs, films, videotapes, and sound recordings of my minor child without compensation for use in promotion/advertising, educational publications, electronic publishing, and personal memorabilia. Participant names may be published.

Yes. I grant permission for media releases.       No. I do not grant permission for media releases.

**Pick-up Release:**

It is my responsibility to arrange to pick up my child/children upon return from camp. There will be no exceptions to this policy regardless of relationship to the child. Please inform everyone approved by you on this release that he/she must present a driver's license or photo ID before the child will be released. **Parents, Guardians, and Emergency Contacts listed on page 1 and 2 are automatically assumed to have pick up authorization.** In addition to the parents/guardians listed on page 1, the following individuals are granted permission to pick up my child:

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ Phone/Cell# \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ Phone/Cell# \_\_\_\_\_

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**CONSENT TO TREAT:**

The health history reported on page one and two are correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. I hereby permit the camp to provide routine health care, administer over the counter medication, assist in administering participant's prescription medications as needed, and seek emergency medical treatment including ordering x-rays and routine tests. I agree to the release of any records necessary for treatment, referral, billing, or insurance purposes. I permit the camp to arrange necessary related transportation for my child. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby permit the physician selected by the camp to secure and administer treatment, including trips off camp property.

**CODE OF CONDUCT:**

I have read and discussed the Camp Code of Conduct with my participant. We (parent/guardian and participant) understand and agree to comply with the guidelines. Violations may result in loss of privileges, removal from camp with no refund, assessment of a damage fee for which I will be responsible for paying, and/or ineligibility to participate in future 4-H events. An incident report will be completed for major violations.

**ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, and PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE:**

I acknowledge that there are certain risks, hazards, and dangers, including the risk of physical injury, disability, or death and risk of loss of use or damage to my personal property as a result of allowing participation in the camping program. Risks include but are not limited to recreational games and traditional camp activities, transportation accidents, weather-related hazards and natural disasters, infectious diseases, the possibility of slips and falls, pinches, scrapes, twists, and jolts that could result in scratches, bruises, sprains, lacerations, fractures, concussions, or even more severely debilitating or life-threatening hazards. I understand that injury or loss may result from unknown or unexpected risks and the use of equipment, materials, or facilities recommended by the University of Kentucky; environmental conditions; from the acts or omissions of others; or from the unavailability of immediate and adequate emergency medical care. I understand that the University of Kentucky does not guarantee the personal health or safety of participants, nor does it protect against the risk of loss of personal property. In consideration for allowing my child to participate in the camping program, I do hereby release the University of Kentucky, the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service, the county Extension District Board(s), the 4-H Camp, Kentucky State University and their trustees, directors, officers, members, agents, employees, volunteers, and assigns from any and all liability, damages, cost, and expenses arising out of or relating to bodily or psychological injury, loss of life, or personal property that may occur as a result of participating in the camping program. I understand that my child's participation in the Kentucky 4-H Summer Camping Program is based on the challenge by choice philosophy. I recognize that programs are designed to use experiential, engaging teaching techniques, but that my child's participation is purely voluntary, always, and my child will choose his or her level of participation in any activity (including, but not limited to: high ropes, rock climbing, low challenge elements, rifles, archery, trap shooting, horses, and cave exploration). I understand that my participation in this activity may entail certain anticipated and unanticipated risks regarding personal injury or illness. I further understand and acknowledge that there is currently a COVID-19 pandemic in the U.S. and that there may be health risks associated with entering facilities and/or participating in activities and events owned or operated by the University of Kentucky or the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service. I hereby acknowledge my voluntary and informed assumption of full responsibility and liability regarding any injuries or illness, including COVID-19, that I may incur coincident to my participation in this activity.

Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_





Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

### Cabin Assignments

What makes 4-H Camp the best is that you get to enjoy it with all of your friends! Please list below two friends you wish to bunk and attend classes with. All attempts will be made but there are no guarantees!

\_\_\_\_\_

**Female Campers** - (Limited to campers ages 11-14) Interested in a different camping experience? Try the Yurt! These circular canvas tents feature air conditioning and electricity and are located down the hill near the archery range. Spots are extremely limited and filled on a first come, first served basis.

**\*NEW THIS YEAR—YURT BATHHOUSE! A new bathhouse has been built near the new yurt village!**

Check this box if interested in camping in a Yurt -

### Class Sign-ups

Classes at camp are a great opportunity to learn a new skill or try something new! Each camper signs up for four classes that they take Tuesday and Wednesday. Below is a list of classes being offered this summer at 4-H Camp.

**PLEASE RANK ALL OF THE CLASSES IN ORDER WITH #1 BEING THE CLASS YOU WANT THE MOST AND #27 THE CLASS YOU WANT THE LEAST**

Please refer to the next page for class descriptions. Classes are filled on a first come - first served basis and spots are divided between the three counties. While we can't guarantee all your top classes, we will do our best to make sure you end up in great classes that are a lot of fun!

|  |                    |  |             |  |                 |
|--|--------------------|--|-------------|--|-----------------|
|  | Beginning Swimming |  | High Ropes  |  | Gaga Ball       |
|  | Advanced Swimming  |  | Riflery     |  | Fishing         |
|  | Archery            |  | Trap        |  | Volleyball      |
|  | Nature             |  | Book Club   |  | Cooking 101     |
|  | Recreation         |  | Basketball  |  | Horticulture    |
|  | Canoeing           |  | Soccer      |  | Mad Science     |
|  | Outdoor Living     |  | Photography |  | Outdoor Cooking |
|  | Kayaking           |  | Crafts      |  | Woodworking     |
|  | Low Ropes          |  | Art         |  | Harry Potter    |

# Class Descriptions

**Advanced Swimming** – Participate in water activities/games; Use diving board

**Archery** – Learn archery safety and basic skills; Use archery equipment at range

**Art Class** – More advanced than crafts; focus on a 4-H art project

**Basketball** – Learn basic skills and participate in games

**Beginning Swimming** – Learn basic swim techniques; Participate in water activities/games

**Book Club** - Bring a book and enjoy a relaxing time around camp reading

**Canoeing** – Learn canoeing safety, basic skills, and water games; Use canoes on lake

**Cooking 101** – Learn basic food preparation skills and create your own snack foods

**Crafts** – Make various crafts during the week

**Fishing** – Learn fishing safety and basic skills; Fish at the lake

**Gaga Ball** – The game is played within a ring with short panels, and uses a playground ball that is bounced so that players attempt to tag another player in the lower leg with the ball in order to get them out

**Harry Potter** - Wandmaking, potions and madrakes in potted plants!

**High Ropes** – Learn rock climb wall safety and skills for climbing; Learn zipline safety; Climb 40 foot mock rock wall and zipline down on the other side

**Horticulture Science** – Plants, Flowers & Soil

**Kayaking** - Learn kayaking safety, basic skills, and water games; Use kayaks on lake

**Leadership** – This class is for Junior Counselors in Training only and will include fun activities preparing them for their roles as junior counselors

**Low Ropes** – Participate in low rope elements not far from the ground, while working as a team to complete challenges (examples: rope bridge crossing, bridge balance and many more)

**Mad Science** - Explore Science by participating in a variety of hands on experiments

**Nature** – Learn about nature as you take hikes on the trails around camp

**Outdoor Cooking** - Learn about cooking over a campfire utilizing different recipes

**Outdoor Living Skills** – Learn how to build and cook over campfires; How to build shelters; Get an intro to wilderness first aid

**Photography** – Learn basic photography skills and techniques; Take photos during camp week

**Recreation** – Learn and participate in various games and camp dances

**Riflery** – Learn rifle safety and basic skills; Use equipment at range

**Soccer** – Learn basic skills and participate in soccer games

**Trap Shooting** - Learn shotgun safety and basic skills as well as the basics of trap shooting

**Volleyball** – Learn basic skills and participate in games

**Woodworking** - Basic skills and completion of a project



## Kentucky 4-H Camping Code of Conduct and Expectations

1. Campers are not permitted to bring cell phones to camp.
2. Possession or use of alcohol, illegal drugs, or weapons by any person is prohibited.
3. Use of tobacco products is not allowed for campers/teens at 4-H camp. Should a county decide to permit adults (21 years and over) to use them, it may occur only in areas designated by the Camp Director. Absolutely no tobacco products are to be used in cabins, woods or non-designated areas of camp.
4. Camp participants are permitted to enter the cabin in which they are assigned. All other cabins are restricted.
5. Campers are not allowed in the cabins during a class or activity. If a camper is ill, they are to stay at the medical center (not in a cabin) until the Health Care Provider (HCP) feels the camper may return to activities.
6. Camp participants are to be attentive, responsive and courteous to any staff, adult or teen counselor making a presentation before the group.
7. Absolutely no phone calls are to be made by campers (camp office phone or cell phone) without approval of the County Extension Agent. All County Extension Agents should be informed of incoming calls at the camp office to campers.
8. Accidents or illnesses, no matter how minor, are to be reported to the County Agent and Camp Healthcare Provider. If medical care is needed, the Agent will coordinate treatment with the Camp Healthcare Provider.
9. Obscene, discriminatory and/or inappropriate language or dress, roughhousing, and insubordination is not acceptable at any time and may result in dismissal from camp.
10. Fireworks are not to be used by camp participants at any time.
11. Swimming, boating, or any waterfront activity is not permitted except during designated times and under proper supervision.
12. Appropriate dress, including footwear, should be adhered to as outlined in the 4-H Camp Dress Code.
13. Camp participants are always to remain with their groups, and must obey the rule of 3 when traveling. Individuals are not to be on the trails or near the lakes without an accompanying adult.
14. Camp participants are not permitted to leave the grounds at any time without notifying and receiving approval from the Contact Agent and their County Extension Agent.
15. Camp participants are expected to be in their cabins, with lights out, as designated on the camp program schedule.
16. No visitors, other than parents or immediate family, may visit campers during the camp. Visits must be approved in advance by the County Extension Agent.
17. No camp participant is to be around or on maintenance equipment.
18. Camp participants who are having personal conflicts with others should discuss these with their cabin counselor, dean, or County Extension Agent.
19. Campers and teens are to work with counselors in carrying out daily assigned jobs to help keep the camp running smoothly. Grounds are to be kept clean at all times. Camp participants are expected to leave the cabins, facilities and grounds clean and orderly.



PARTICIPANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Camp participants are to respect camp property. Any misconduct resulting in damage to camp property or buses, including graffiti, shall be paid for by the camp participant and/or parent or guardian. A list of damage fees is available.
21. All medications must be turned in to the designated adult and picked up by the parent/guardian at the bus pick up site. The Health Care Provider will be responsible for securing all medications at camp.
22. Camp is not responsible for personal property of any camp participant or staff.
23. We care about the safety of all camp participants. Incidents of serious misbehavior (i.e. threats, fighting, bullying, causing injury, alcohol/drug incidents, any altercations between adults and/or minors, intentional property damage/vandalism, etc.) will be reported to the Camp Director and County Extension Agent and an incident report will be completed. Incidents of serious misbehavior may result in dismissal from camp.
24. Camp participants should demonstrate respect toward others. Bullying, hazing, or pranks (i.e.: shaving cream, toothpaste in pillow/sleeping bags, defacing property, including inappropriate use of electronics/social media) will not be tolerated and may result in dismissal from camp.

*Any conduct inconsistent with the above rules may result in consequences such as the camp participant/parent/guardian/immediate family member being sent home, restricting future participation in 4-H activities, termination of 4-H membership, or other consequences determined by the county's or state's policy. If a camper must be sent home, it will be the responsibility of the parent/guardian to pick them up at camp. There is no refund of the camp fee for an early departure.*

Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



PARTICIPANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

## Kentucky Residential 4-H Camp Essential Standards for Camp Participants

It is the policy of the University of Kentucky, Kentucky 4-H and the Kentucky 4-H Camping program to encourage and accept participants without regard to race, color, ethnic origin, national origin, creed, religion, political belief, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, pregnancy, marital status, genetic information, age, veteran status, or physical or mental ability. Parents/Guardians of children who have medical conditions or other disabilities requiring special attention should alert the agent to ensure proper care and accommodations are provided. If the camper requires personal care or a level of attention not available through camp staff or volunteers, a family friend or relative of the same sex over age 18 or a parent/guardian must accompany the child as a caregiver. The parent/guardian will agree to pay the individual costs of the caretaker (25% of the camper registration fees.) The Client Protection Process will be performed on the caretaker with favorable results.

To determine whether a caregiver should accompany a camper, the following factors will be considered:

- Ability to dress without assistance
- Ability to maintain personal hygiene, e.g. bathing, brushing teeth
- Ability to attend to toileting needs
- Ability to understand and follow oral or written instruction
- Ability to remain at rest or sleeping according to the camp schedule
- Ability to participate in group activities with minimal individual attention
- Ability to participate in a communal living environment with minimal individual attention
- Ability to sustain a 15-hour (7am-10pm) camp day with limited rest periods
- Ability to understand and respond to dangerous conditions
- Ability to take medications according to a pre-set schedule and with minimal assistance

If a caregiver is not provided and a camper cannot meet the essential standards listed above, they may be dismissed from camp. If a camper must be sent home, it will be the responsibility of the parent/guardian to pick them up at camp. There is no refund of the camp fee for an early departure.

I have reviewed and acknowledge the essential standards for camp participants policy.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

