## **HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!**

WINTER CAMP IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER!!!

uCamps 2018 theme: "Dare to Be U"

This packet is for **both** campers & parents/ guardians

Please go through this entire packet, read ALL the information and be sure to pack ALL required items, materials, and supplies.

\* \* \* IMPORTANT REMINDER \* \* \*

## ALL FINAL CAMP TUITION PAYMENTS ARE DUE IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID YOUR BALANCE, PLEASE DO SO ASAP.

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(415) 240-6852

## Included in this packet are the following:

#### A. LINK TO CAMPER FORMS DUE BY OR ON THE 1ST DAY OF CAMP

1. Release of Liability Waiver, Camper Health Form, and uCamps Words To Live By <a href="https://www.docusign.net/Member/PowerFormSigning.aspx?PowerFormId=3dea37cd-b3d5-4a23-af6e-2e1799d21ac7">https://www.docusign.net/Member/PowerFormSigning.aspx?PowerFormId=3dea37cd-b3d5-4a23-af6e-2e1799d21ac7</a>

## B. ITEMS THAT MUST BE TURNED IN THE 1ST DAY OF CAMP (before campers get on the bus)

- 1. SNACK SHACK MONEY IN A SEALED ENVELOPE (camper's name on the envelope)
- 2. ANY MEDICATION IN THE ORIGINAL PILL BOTTLE

#### C. INFORMATION TO ASSIST THE CAMP, THE CAMPER, & THE FAMILY

- 1. PACKING LIST (clothing, toiletries, personal/themed items, our recommendations, etc.)
- 2. WISH LIST (Opportunities for your family to help make camp better)
- 3. DROP OFF/PICK UP INFO (bus info, times, dates, procedures, maps, and contact info.)
- 4. WORKSHOP LIST & COURSE DESCRIPTIONS INCLUDING SPECIAL PROJECT INFO.
  - a. Read this carefully because <u>certain workshops require that you bring specific</u> materials to camp.
  - b. Read each description & consider what workshops you want to attend (you can decide at camp).

We're really excited about camp & can't wait to see you on December 27th!

<sup>\*</sup>Please **bring a sack lunch** for the bus ride. Our first meal at camp is dinner.

## ucamps suggested packing LIST

All items should fit in ONE suitcase, duffel bag, or trunk. All items brought to camp should be labeled with the camper's first and last name. uCamps and the facility are not responsible for any lost, stolen, or broken items. Any items left at camp are thrown away or donated to charity on the last day of camp. Please remind your child to be responsible for their own items and check the lost and found before packing on the final day.

#### **Clothes** (Remember it's **WINTER** Camp)

- 6-7 pairs of underwear
- 7-8 pairs of cotton socks
- 1-2 pairs of shorts
- 2-3 pairs of pants
- 3-4 t-shirts (short sleeved shirts)

warm pajamas or sleepwear

- 4-5 long sleeved shirts
- 2-3 sweatshirts, jacket, warm hat, gloves, & scarf
- 2-3 pairs of shoes including a pair of old shoes to get wet & gunky (if you have rain gear, it's a good idea to pack it)

## **Specialty Themed Items You Will Need at Camp**

- 1. Cabin Decorations (Holiday decorations, lights, streamers)
- 2. A nice outfit for the New Years Eve Dinner and Black Light Ball!!
- 3. Holiday Outfit (Santa hat, striped socks, red/green colors, etc.)
- 4. Ho Ho Hoedown Outfit (flannel shirt, bandana, cowboy hat, etc.)
- 5. A Onesie for "Onesie Day" at camp (see Bald E's ridiculous pic)

#### **Toiletries**

Toothbrush & toothpaste

Deodorant

Soap (in a case)

Shampoo/conditioner

Brush or comb

Washcloth

Flip flops or shower slippers

Q-tips

Bandaids

Hand and/or face lotion

Feminine products

Chapstick

Insect repellent

Bath towel

#### Items to leave at home

Food, candy, gum, drinks (except water) All weapons (knives, guns, sling shots, etc.) Aerosol products (hairsprays, spray deodorants,

Lighters, matches, firecrackers, fireworks

Video games - both hand held and game systems

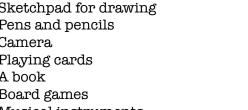
#### Cabin living

Pillow and pillowcase Fitted twin sheet Warm sleeping bag or blanket Water bottle w/ name on it (drink lots of H2O!) Alarm Clock Flashlight with extra batteries



Umbrella Notepad with lined paper for writing Sketchpad for drawing Pens and pencils Camera Playing cards A book Board games Musical instruments

Backpack for carrying clothes



#### **UCAMPS SNACK SHACK**

uCamps will be selling food, drinks, clothes, and other novelty items at the snack shack. Items range from \$1.00 -\$40.00. Please plan accordingly. We recommend you bring \$10 - \$80 for food, drinks, goodies, and souvenirs. Please put all spending money in a SEALED ENVELOPE WITH THE CAMPER'S NAME ON IT and the amount of money enclosed. Envelopes will be given to staff on the first day to be kept in a safe place at the snack shack. Any money not spent will be returned to the camper on the last day of camp.

## **WINTER BREAK CAMP WISH LIST**

### BRING ALL DONATIONS TO THE BUS STOP ON DAY 1

Please read this page carefully as you may be able to donate certain items that will add to the success of our camp. uCamps is a community-based program and we encourage anyone and everyone who is able to participate to do so. Thank you in advance for your contributions!

- Financial Contribution to our Scholarship &/or Curriculum Funds
  - o Scholarship Fund All contributions will help send more families to camp each year.
  - <u>Curriculum Fund</u> All contributions will be used to purchase supplies and equipment for future camp activities & art projects (theatre, music, film, archery, arts & crafts, etc.)
- Glow Sticks/Necklaces/Bracelets
- Black Light Paint
- Bottles of Martinelli's Cider (The more the merrier!)

# MAP/DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO CAMP MAYMAC

#### From Fremont, Hayward, Castro Valley

- 1. 880 South to Hwy 17 South
- 2. Hwy 17 South & take Mt. Herman Rd. exit
- 3. Right onto Mt. Herman Rd. (3.1 mi) slight left to stay on Mt. Herman Rd. (194 ft)
- 4. Left at Graham Hill Rd. (0.3 mi)
- 5. Left at E. Zayante Rd.
- 6. Go 2.8 miles, the camp will be on the left

#### From Benicia, San Ramon, Pleasanton, etc

680 South to HWY 17 South (follow steps 2-6 listed above)

#### From San Francisco, San Rafael, etc.

101 S to 85 South toward Cupertino/Santa Cruz

From 85 South get on Hwy 17 South (follow steps 2-6 listed above)



Camp MayMac is just off HWY 17 in Felton and is located at:

9115 E. Zayante Rd. Felton, CA 95018

# CAMPER DROP OFF/BUS PICK-UP INFORMATION - DECEMBER 27TH

Please, bring a sack lunch for the bus ride to camp, as our first meal at Camp

MayMac will be dinner.

#### We encourage ALL campers to take the bus to Camp MayMac

IF AN EMERGENCY PREVENTS YOU FROM BEING ON TIME, CALL/TEXT 415-240-6852!

### Danville Park and Ride, Sycamore Valley Rd. Danville, CA 94506 12/27/18: Camper arrival 11:30am

Please have (1) snack shack money in a labeled envelope and (2) medications in the original bottles, labelled, and ready to turn in, (3) required camper forms if you haven't turned them in online.

#### **Driving Directions:**

From 680:

- 1. Exit Sycamore Valley Rd. and head east toward Camino Ramon
- 2. The Park and Ride is on the left, immediately after exiting the freeway.

If you must make other arrangements, please let us know 7+ days before camp.

If you're dropping off your child at Camp MayMac, please arrive 1:00-2:00pm on 12/27/18.

# CAMPER PICK-UP/BUS DROP OFF INFORMATION – JANUARY 2ND

Danville Park and Ride, Sycamore Valley Rd. Danville, CA 94506 1/2/19: Bus arrives between 2:00 and 3:00pm

Please note that this schedule is approximate and may vary due to traffic, unloading time, and other delays. We thank you for your patience!

If you are picking your child up from Camp MayMac, please arrive 11:00am-12:00pm on 1/2/19.

Your child is only permitted to leave with a parent/guardian or emergency contact person on file. Please have a valid form of ID with you.

If you wish to allow your camper to leave with someone else, we must be notified in advance.

## CAMP CONTACT INFORMATION

(Please keep this information on your refrigerator or somewhere safe)

Camp is a time for children to gain confidence and a greater sense of independence. Please keep in mind, **campers will not be allowed to call home** or receive calls from home during their stay at camp. You are welcome and encouraged to send letters, cards, and care packages. Prepare yourself and your child for the time apart, and everything will be smooth and happy!!

## uCamps Directors:

Doug "Bald E" Cembellin & Jasmine "Ember" Woodall

## uCamps Email:

info@ucamps.org

## uCamps Cell Phone:

415-240-6852 (call/text)

## Camp MayMac Office Phone (Emergency Only):

## Camp MayMac Mailing Address:

9115 E Zayante Rd, Felton, CA 95018

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Winter Camp 2018 is going to ROCK!!