



# GUARDIANS OF THE PARKS SUMMER DAY CAMP

## GUIDELINES, RULES & CODE OF CONDUCT

**Address:** Pembina Nordic Ski Club, 7010 Twp Rd 494, Rocky Rapids, Alberta

*Please note that Week 2 Guardians will spend one day at the Brazeau Bowbenders Archery Club.*

**Daily Drop Off:** 8:45 am to 9:00 am

**Daily Pick Up for Week 1 Junior Guardians (7 to 9 year olds):** 2:45 pm to 3:15 pm

**Daily Pick Up for Week 2 Guardians (10 to 12 year olds):** 3:45 pm to 4:15 pm

### Contact Information:

Lead Facilitator: Kathy Schwengler, 780-542-1932

Eagle Point-Blue Rapids Parks Council Office: 780-898-7275

### Typical Day at Guardians of the Parks

Kids will be outdoors for most of each day, exploring the trails. They will also be participating in shelter building, team activities, outdoor games, disc golf, crafting, foraging, writing in nature journals, experiencing outdoor cooking, tipi time, fire lighting archery and more (10 to 12 year olds). The 10 to 12 year old group may have time to swim in the river, depending on river conditions and weather. Lunch hours are free time to eat and socialize with fellow campers over board games and puzzles in the Outdoor Education Centre.

### Clothing

**Closed toe shoes** and **long pants** are highly recommended. Please have an extra change of clothes sent with your child in case of an accident! Students should come prepared for rain or cold with jackets and a hat.

### Topical Treatments, Prescriptions & First Aid

If your child requires medication during the day, please send it with your child. Sunscreen and insect repellent are the responsibility of campers. EPBR Parks Council staff are trained in first aid and will have a first aid kit on site.

### Food

Campers are responsible to bring their own snack, lunches and a water bottle. EPBR Parks Council will supply an outdoor campfire lunch on the final day of camp as well as

a special treat! There is potable water onsite if campers need to top up their water bottles.

## **Stuff Campers Can Bring**

We welcome kids to bring books, games and puzzles but ask that our campers not use electronic devices or phones while at the camp. Campers will not be able to lock up or secure their possessions, so refrain from bringing valuable items/possessions.

## **Counsellors/Campers**

We will have 2 camp counsellors and 1 junior counsellor on site and a maximum of 16 junior guardian campers (week 1) and 20 guardian campers (week 2).

## **Cancellation Policy**

All cancellations received in writing by June 30, 2022 will receive a full refund. Any cancellations from June 30 to July 10 will be charged an \$80 cancellation fee.

## **Guardians of the Park Code of Conduct**

- We expect our campers to respect each other, each other's property, the facilities and the natural environment.
- Campers should not litter and will pick up after themselves. If a camper sees garbage out on the trails or in the Park area, pick it up and put it in a trash bin.
- Campers will respect others by not bullying or act aggressively towards other campers or camp counsellors.
- Campers will respect the property of other campers, camp counsellors and the property at the facilities they visit.
- Stealing or borrowing other people's possessions without their consent will not be tolerated.
- Vandalism, graffiti or damage to camp property and equipment will not be tolerated. This includes any damage to buildings, window screens, doors, washrooms, chalet, tipi, Outdoor Education Centre, cookhouses, picnic tables, fire pit areas, any other buildings, signs, program equipment and including the natural environment.
- Campers will be held responsible for the cost of repair or replacement, including labour costs for damage, graffiti or vandalism that they commit.
- Tampering with any safety or operational devices including smoke alarms and fire extinguishers will not be tolerated.
- For your safety, all campers must remain inside our designated boundary (this will be explained to campers during their tour of our facilities).