





# FARM & WILDERNESS



for

# Barn Day Camp 2021

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# **GETTING READY**

## TIPS AND REMINDERS

#### LABELS

# Label EVERYTHING that you bring camp this summer with permanent labels like marker, iron-on, sew-in (even socks and masks!)

It is most helpful if you label each item with your <u>full initials or last name</u> so we can identify items if found. If an item is not labeled and is left behind at camp, we cannot guarantee its return. Any lost items we collect at the end of the summer which do not have labels will be donated to charitable organizations. Labels that cannot be washed or ripped off are best for our rugged camp environment.

#### LESS IS MORE IN THE OUTDOORS

# In accordance with guidance from the American Camp Association, please limit belongings sent to camp to the essentials.

#### Please leave stuffed animals and personal toys at home.

A big part of a camper's summer experience is gaining more independence around managing personal belongings and we recognize this is a learning process. We find that campers have a much more fun-filled time at camp when they are less focused on managing the items they bring with them.

#### We are an outdoor camp and we like to play in the woods, use tools, climb rocks, swim in lakes and rivers, cook with all kinds of foods, and work with farm animals.

Kids will come back dirty every day. Please do not send any clothing that is special to your child that can't get dirty or ripped. Please do not send any valuable items to camp.





### DAILY LIST



THREE fresh face masks (please no buffs and bandanas) One mask should be worn by your camper, the other masks should be stored in a zip lock baggie with your campers other belongings at camp.

**Lunch – <u>must not</u>** need refrigeration or heating

Swimsuit & Towel - may remain at cubby

One warm sweatshirt or sweater

#### One pair of long pants

- One pair of closed-toe shoes No holes that a spark could get into. Other shoes are fine as long as the camper has a pair of closed towed shoes. Rubber rainboots are great and can be left in their cubby.
- One raincoat or poncho Campers will be in the rain as long as it is safe. They need to have rainwear every day. It can be left in the cubby.

One warm change of clothes that will remain in your child's cubbyhole at The Barn (in case clothes worn to camp get wet)

**One daypack –** a pack that can fit any and all of the items listed and comfortably fits your camper's size

## DO NOT BRING

Electronics: Phones, games, or devices of any kind

Valuable and irreplaceable items

Weapons of ANY kind

**Breakable or glass bottles** 

- Aerosol sprays
- Pokemon, Magic cards, etc.

