

**WHAT TO BRING:**

**LABEL EVERYTHING WITH CAMPER'S NAME!**

**Clothes worn at camp often get dirty, please pack accordingly.**

- T-shirts and Shorts
- Long pants (light colored baggy pants are good for sun and tick protection) jeans or sweat pants for cool weather
- Underwear and socks
- Bathing Suit(s)
- Jacket/Hoodie, etc. for wind and rain protection
- Tennis, basketball, or running shoes
- Flip-flops or sandals for pool and shower
- Sturdy shoes or sandals that cover the toe and heel that can get wet (for sailing/canoeing/bay activities)
- Stationary, postcards, stamps, pens (pre-addressed)
- Beach/Pool towel(s)
- Bath towel(s) and washcloth
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Shampoo and soap
- Personal hygiene items
- Bug repellent: Cream or stick form (**spray cans discouraged**)
- Sun block – lotion, please (consider lip balm and zinc oxide, too)
- Hat/Visor to protect face and ears from sun
- Sleeping bag or sheets and blanket, pillow
- Laundry bag or plastic bag
- Water Bottle** (Can be purchased at camp store)
- Flashlight
- Sunglasses
- Sports items (the camp has extra tennis rackets, softball gloves, and other needed equipment at activities if needed. Some campers enjoy playing catch, baseball, Frisbee, lacrosse, etc. during free time.
- Disposable Camera** (CW is not responsible for digital cameras brought to camp)
- Written medical orders for current care if not listed on health forms.
- Sessions end with a celebratory banquet. Many campers may like to have a special outfit, comfortable and informal is fine.
- Pack items in a duffel bag or a firm-sided trunk or suitcase that fits under or next to your bunk. Shower items should be placed in a tote, net bag, etc.
- There is no camper laundry; pack enough items for your session. Laundry emergencies will be accommodated.

**Do not bring food (attracts animals), pets, tobacco products, weapons of any kind (knives, guns, martial arts equipment), illegal drugs, alcohol, or fireworks.**

**Camp Wright is a Peanut-Free Zone.** Because we have so many campers with peanut allergies, we store all peanut products brought or sent to camp in the office until check out day.

**Please consider fun games, toys and puzzles for care packages. Camp Wright discourages candy and food in and around our cabins.**

Radios, iPods, game systems and other personal electronic items are discouraged as **Camp Wright cannot be responsible if these items are lost or damaged.** Most cabins DO NOT have electrical outlets.

Cell Phones take away from the cabin experience, building campers' independence and the "unplugged" outdoor experience that makes Camp Wright a special place. **NO CELL PHONES are allowed at Camp Wright.** This is not negotiable. Cell phones brought to camp will be confiscated and stored until pick up. The office phone line and senior staff cell phones are available at all times for urgent situations which require camp/home communication. **Parental support of this policy is expected and appreciated.**

**Canteen/Camp Store.** The canteen is open at the beginning and end of camp for the purchase of souvenir t-shirts, sweatshirts, and other camp items. All campers receive Camp Wright T-Shirts on opening day. Campers receive snacks and drinks from the canteen each afternoon as part of the camp fee. Money is not needed for any reason during camp sessions.

**Group and Cabin Photos.** A group photo of the campers and staff is taken each session. It is available for purchase at the end of the session, or it can be ordered by mail. Proceeds from the sale benefit camp programs.

**Care Package Service and Other Camp Services.** Sealed with a Kiss (SWAK) is a vendor that provides care package service to camps and schools for parents and families. [www.eswak.com](http://www.eswak.com) is the e-mail address. The telephone number is 1-800-888-SWAK. This service also benefits camp programs.

**Lost and Found.** Camp Wright will make every attempt to return lost items to campers after their camp session. Make sure all items are marked with your camper's name. Camper families are responsible for any postage and handling costs if items are mailed. Items left at camp for more than **one month** after camp session will be donated to charity.

**Check In and Check Out**

Check in begins at 9:30 am and continues until 11:30am. Parents and guardians should plan on spending at least one hour at camp on check in day to escort their campers through check in, health screening and settling in. Our staff works hard to be ready to welcome campers and camp families as soon as check in begins. You can assist in this process by not arriving before 9:30.

Camp families are invited to a closing service at 9am on check out day. Check out will begin immediately following this service. Parents and guardians need to sign campers out with the cabin counselors. Check out will run until 11am. With short transition times between our sessions, all campers must be checked out before 11am. **An additional late pickup fee will be charged to if campers are left at camp after 11am.**

**Camper Mail, E-Mail and Web Pictures.** Campers love to receive mail. Plan ahead so that mail arrives early. Address mail to: (Camper Name), Camp Wright, Cabin Name, 400 Camp Wright Lane, Stevensville, MD 21666. Please include a return address. You may also drop off mail on check-in day; bins will be provided. Campers do not have telephone or e-mail access. We do have a one-way email and picture service for families to send messages and view photos. The link is on our website at: [www.campwright.com](http://www.campwright.com)

**Cancellations.** All cancellations must be made in writing, e-mailed or faxed. You will be held responsible for all fees unless written cancellation is received two weeks in advance of session opening. Refunds are granted at the sole discretion of Camp Wright. The deposit is non-refundable after May 31<sup>st</sup>.

**Directions to Camp Wright**

**From the Eastern Shore/Delaware:** Take US 50W/US 301S onto Kent Island almost to the Bay Bridge. Take the last exit (#37) before the Bay Bridge, Route 8 Stevensville/Romancoke. Take a left onto Rt. 8 and head South toward Romancoke. The entrance to the Camp is 1.9 miles south of the exit and is on the right.

**From the West:** Cross the Bay Bridge (US Rt. 50/301) onto Kent Island. Take the first exit (#37) which is Route 8 for Stevensville/Romancoke. Turn right on Route 8 and head South toward Romancoke. The entrance to the Camp is 1.9 miles south of the exit on the right.

**Health Care.** A nurse or physician is on the residential camp staff each week to serve as the Camp Health Officer. All health center visits are logged and any treatments are monitored and logged by the Health Officer. Most staff members are certified in First Aid and CPR, and certified staff members accompany campers on any off site trips. Our Health Officer provides counselors and program staff with information regarding the health and safety of campers as appropriate and necessary for their care. Please provide pertinent information about any conditions or concerns. The camp has a local physician (MD) who serves our campers and staff in case an office visit is required. If your child becomes ill or injured and requires treatment with their physician or hospital, you will be contacted by Camp Staff immediately. If parents/guardians are unavailable, Camp Staff will seek treatment. Health costs for campers are the responsibility of the parent/guardian. Payments for medical expenses are expected at the time of camper pick-up. We will save all receipts for your insurance and record keeping. Please check and note HMO notification requirements that the Camp Health Officer should be aware of in case of illness or injury. If a camper requires isolation for more than 24 hours, his or her parents will be asked to pick him/her up to rest and recover at home before returning to camp.

**All prescriptions and non-prescription medications, including inhalers and vitamins, must be under the care and control of the Camp Health Officer. Please have these items ready to turn in at check-in.**

**Medication MUST be in its original container. We must have written medical orders for any prescription or OTC medications that need to be taken. Medications are dispensed from the health office. If your camper has medication (EpiPen, inhaler, etc.) that needs to be kept on his/her person, you must have a written order from a physician stating this included with your health form. The camp has standing orders for common health complaints. We stock medications for common ailments such as cough syrup, pain relievers, antacids. You will not need to send these items to camp with your child.**