

Dear Camper Parent,

Below is a standard list of items to bring to camp as well as some helpful information about the camp.

Items to bring each day:

- *Campers should wear **weather-appropriate play clothing**, Please understand that some of the activities at camp can be messy, so keep that in mind when choosing wardrobe.
- *All campers should bring a complete change of clothes each day whether participating in water activities or not.
- *All campers should **always wear sneakers with socks**. They will be allowed to change to flip flops/sandals when participating in *water activities only*.
- ***Water Bottle** It is imperative that your child come to camp with a water bottle. You **must also label the water bottle** clearly with your child's name. Please fill the bottle initially at home. We have refrigerated water for refills.
- ***Sunscreen** (*spray-on is preferred*) PLEASE LABEL THE BOTTLE WITH YOUR CHILDS NAME. Please apply initial coat prior to coming to camp. We will replace coverage as needed throughout the day.
- ***Sunglasses** (*optional*)
- ***Hat** To provide protection from the sun. (*optional*)
- ***If you wish, your child may wear a mask to camp that you supply from home.**

Food (*Please remind counselors on first day of camp of any food/bug allergies*):

- *Full-day campers should bring a **lunch with a drink each day**.
- *All campers should bring a **mid-morning snack**.
- *Full-day campers should bring an **afternoon snack**.
- *Campers that participate in the Before-Care Program and arrive prior to 8:30 a.m. may bring a **breakfast** (*optional*).
- *Campers that participate in the After-Care Program may want to bring a **late-afternoon snack** (*optional*)

Items to be sent if your child plans to participate in any water activities:

- ***Bathing Suit/Swim Trunks**
- ***Towel**
- ***Flip Flops/Sandals** (*optional*)

Younger children that require naps can bring a **stuffed animal, pillow and/or a blanket** for naptime if they would like. All possessions should be contained in a plastic bag and labelled.

Please understand that your child is allowed to bring their own toys or handheld electronics (for example: board games, sports equipment, Nintendo DS, Cell phones, etc.) if they would like, however, Saint Paul Summer Camp cannot be held responsible for these items. Should you choose to allow your child to have these types of items, please be sure to fill out the attached waiver releasing Saint Paul Summer Camp and its employees of any responsibilities towards the damage or loss of these items. Please print and fill out the form and bring it with you on the first day of camp.

Pick up and drop off:

Please use the gym entrance located between the Parish Center and the school unless otherwise noted.

Activities:

All activities are contingent on the cooperation of the weather. We will do our best to follow the schedule as planned each week, however, activities will be postponed or cancelled if it is raining or the temperature/humidity is too high. In the event that there are campers that do not want to participate in an activity, staffing will be provided to accommodate them with alternative activities.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me via e-mail (summercamp@stpaulkensington.org) or by calling the main office at 860-828-4343 (office staff is in on Tues, Weds and Thurs in the summer). You may also contact me on my cell phone at 860-819-6350, if the office staff is not in.

We look forward to sharing a wonderful summer camp experience with your child!

Best Regards,

Jennifer Bradley
Director
Saint Paul Summer Camp