

# Welcome to Camp Benedict!

## About Us and What to Know

Camp Benedict is a nonprofit camp that is able to continue due to the generosity of time given by the Board Members as well as funds raised through Fundraising Projects, Donations and Grants. Our goal continues to be to keep Camp Benedict a free camp that is not a financial burden to those who attend. The Camp Benedict Board is entirely volunteer.

We work closely with the Camp Knudson Staff and abide by their rules as well as ours to provide the best camp experience as possible to all who attend. Please read the following rules and things to know prior to attending Camp Benedict. Choosing to not abide by these rules may result in your removal from Camp grounds.

Thank you,

Your Camp Benedict Board: Robert Andrews, Sheila DeChantal, Tom Straley and Farrah McKinney

- 1) **Absolutely no use of drugs, alcohol, or pot use.** Any reporting, sightings or strongly suspected use may have you removed from the camp grounds immediately.
- 2) **Respect for one another's space.** At no time are you to go into another campers space.
- 3) **Remain where you are assigned.** Every Camper is given an assigned space upon check in. You are to remain in that space unless a reasonable request is made and approved to the Camp Benedict Board. Do not move into a space that you believe to be unoccupied. As the week goes on, Speakers and other Camp Guests will be coming in and there is a likelihood that a space you believe is empty is actually assigned.
- 4) **Quiet Time.** Children under the age of 14 are to be in their assigned space by 8:30 pm each night. Teens from 14-18 are to be in their rooms by 9 pm. Adults are to be in their rooms by 10 pm. The cabins are to be quiet zones from 9 pm to 7 am. No radios, music, phone conversations, talking, or anything that would disturb others within the cabins during this time.
- 5) **Daily Speakers.** Our Speakers donate their time to come and speak at camp. Part of the criteria of camp is that all Adult Campers (as well as Children 17+) attend all Camp Group Sessions and respectfully be on time. During these sessions campers will stay seated and not wander around refilling coffee cups, etc. Breaks will be given during sessions.
- 6) **Conflicts/Disputes/Inappropriate Behavior or Language:** This is a FAMILY CAMP. We respect one another. If you have a dispute with another camper, please bring it to the attention of a Camp Benedict Board Member. Inappropriate behavior or language will not be tolerated.
- 7) **Children at Camp.** The children you bring with you to camp are your responsibility to take care of with the exception of times when we are in Group Sessions and they are looked after by the Camp K Staff. Children who break rules or cause disputes may result in your removal from Camp.
- 8) **Camp Cleanliness:** Cleanliness of the camp is EVERYONES responsibility. All wrappers, beverage containers, packaging, etc is to be disposed of properly. All coffee cups are to remain in the main lodge. Please be respectful and clean up after yourself in your room and on the campground.
- 9) **No leaving of camp grounds.** Once you are at Camp Benedict you are asked to remain on the camp property for the duration of camp. Those who drive themselves will turn in their car keys at the beginning of camp. If you do leave camp property you may not be able to come back in.