



Open Camping Information

General

- All visitors must stop and register in the office before entering the campgrounds.
- Your children are your responsibility and you will be held accountable for their conduct.
- **Check-in time is 3 P.M.** Please contact the camp office at 518-793-9700 if you would like to request an early arrival.
- **Check-out time is 12 P.M.** There will be a late departure fee of \$10 an hour to be paid at the time of departure.
- The speed limit in all areas of the campground, at all times, is 15 MPH.
- The main gate is closed each night at 9PM and opened each morning at 8AM.
- **Quiet time is 10:00 P.M. to 8:00 A.M.**
- Cars should be parked in Main Camp. **You may drop off your gear at your site, but you must then return your car to Main Camp for the duration of your stay.** Overflow parking is located at Innisfree.
- All vehicles are for use on roads only. Absolutely no vehicles of any kind are allowed off-road. Bicycles can be used on the road or designated trails.
- No person under 21 years of age shall possess alcoholic beverages per state law.
- The use of electric generators in the campsites is prohibited.
- Fireworks, firearms, and explosives are not allowed on the property under any circumstances. This includes BB Guns, air rifles, slingshots, and bow & arrows.
- **Smoking allowed ONLY within designated outdoor fire circles. Absolutely no smoking outside of these areas or in any building, tent, or shelter.**
- Lost & Found is located in our Main Office. We keep lost items until October at which time they are discarded or donated.
- There is **NO INTERNET SERVICE** available at CLN, and limited cell phone coverage. The landline is for emergency use only.

Pets

- Proof of valid rabies vaccination must be provided before any dog is allowed on campgrounds.
- Rabies certificate or tag dated for the current year are acceptable forms of proof.
- Dogs and other pets are not permitted in the dining hall or kitchen at any time.
- Pets must be confined or leashed to restrict them to the campsite of the Owner.
- Dogs cannot be left unattended. Barking or vicious dogs must be removed from the property.
- Dogs may be walked on a leash - provided they are under control at all times.
- Dogs are not allowed to roam free.
- Dog owners must properly dispose of the animal's excrement. In the case of an emergency, poop bags can be picked up in the camp office

Campfires

- All fires must be built in the established fireplaces/fire circles.
- No fire shall be started **until** all nearby flammable material has been removed to prevent its spread and a **water bucket** has been filled and is in close proximity.
- Firewood must be gathered from dead and down trees. Please replenish the wood you use.
- Burning trash or paper is prohibited.
- Fires must be attended by an adult.
- Please honor regional Burn Bans during very dry weather.
- Personal grills must be set up within the fire circle.
- CLN will have firewood available to purchase.

Waterfront

- Swimming is available Memorial Day to Labor Day only.
- Swimming is only permitted in the designated Swimming area, at posted swimming times. A lifeguard is always on duty on Saturdays, and also on duty on Sundays if it is a holiday weekend.
- **Never swim alone. A lifeguard who has been preapproved must be present. The swimming area is open when a lifeguard is on duty.**
- Children under 16 must be attended by adults **at all times** at the swimming area. **There is no substitute for adequate supervision.**
- No motorboats or any motorized watercraft on the lake.
- Boat use is limited to groups paying for the service. Please sign up for boating times in the camp office. In an effort to prevent invasive species from being introduced to our lake, please do not bring your own watercraft to our camp.
- All persons boating must wear a life preserver. No exceptions. Boating is at your own risk.
- Don't drink alcohol and swim. Please do not bring glass containers to the beach or swimming area.
- In case of an emergency, blow an air horn and turn on a walkie-talkie (located in the lifeguard building, named "Willows.") A Camp Little Notch staff member will have a walkie-talkie at all times.
- A telephone to call 911 for emergencies can be found up the hill from the waterfront in the arts and crafts building, called "Imagination Station".

At the Campsites

- All water taps must be closed tightly after use.
- Place all paper and garbage in containers provided. Make sure the top of the critter box is closed.
- Please do not put any feminine products in our latrines. Please wrap in provided garbage bags and dispose of them in your general trash collection.
- Additional rolls of toilet paper can be picked up in the camp office.
- Camp Little Notch practices carry-in, carry-out. **Please take your trash with you.**
- In case of dangerous weather, the Camp Director will notify you of the weather and places to shelter. It is the responsibility of the camper(s) to seek shelter.

- Damaging or defacing buildings or tents will result in a request to vacate Camp Little Notch and you will be billed for damages incurred.
- **Tent flaps should be rolled toward the inside of the tent and tied in a bow with the attached twill ties. Do not tie knots in any of the tent ties or ropes. See the Camp Director if you need assistance.**
- Hanging items off, or climbing on the tent outriggers is prohibited.
- Please leave your site as clean as, if not better than you found it.
- If you have moved something, i.e. a cot, please put it back where you found it.
- There will be a minimum fee of \$50 for any campsites that require cleaning after your departure. Campsites will be inspected once all Open Camping Guests have left the property.
- Please report any water leaks or campsite issues to the Camp Director **immediately**.