



POLICIES & PROCEDURES

Camp Araminta is located at beautiful Lake Swan Camp in Melrose, Florida.

Directions and a map are available on the Lake Swan Camp website. <https://lakeswancamp.com/about/>

The following is a look at what you will need to know about our rules and expectations to ensure a safe, fabulous, faith filled and FUN week! 😊

Check-in procedures: Arrive at the Lake Swan Camp on **Monday 3:00 p.m.** Please follow the signs for check-in: Parents we will offer air conditioned space while you wait! Please bring any final payments, and medicines with you to check in, your camper will have several stops to make:

Name badge, photo, snack shack deposit (cash please, smaller bills are a help), nurse station to drop off any medications. You will then get a cabin assignment and directions to drive to the cabin to get settled in and meet your counselor! 😊 Parents this is when you say your goodbyes. We will keep you posted with updates & pictures during the week!

Check-out will be on Saturday at 11:00 a.m. Please follow the signs for the check-out location.

All meals are provided: There is a snack shack available for treats (you can set up an account with the snack shack at check-in). We will provide plenty of water all day, every day!

Attire: Normal summer attire should include cool, comfortable play clothes including tennis shoes and socks. We will have swim time each day so please remember to pack your swim suit (modest one-piece for girls and board shorts for boys). Don't forget a towel and water shoes. Pack at least one outfit you won't mind getting messy.

Please see the packing list on the following pages.

Emergency Contact: Should you need to contact us, Page Curry anytime at 850- 545-8882. Also, the main facility number at Lake Swan Camp 352-475-2828 is monitored 24 hours a day.

Mailing Address: to send cards & care packages to your child (a wonderful treat for children to receive during mail call each day): be aware of p-nut allergies where possible.

Child's Name
Camp Araminta
c/o Lake Swan Camp
647 State Road 26
Melrose, Florida 32666



PACKING LIST

Supplies:

- Bible
- Water bottle or Camelback (We require campers to carry water bottles at all times except when at Lake)
- Pen, pencil, highlighter
- Paper or notebook
- Stamps to write home (self-addressed stamped envelopes help)
- Sunscreen and bug spray
- Flashlight with extra batteries
- Free time items - playing cards, books, favorite stuffed animal
- Guitar, if you play one
- (Optional) Camera and film (not an expensive one)

Sleeping:

- Sleeping bag, sheets, pillow
- Pajamas or night clothes Toiletries
- Bath towels
- Soap
- Shampoo
- Deodorant
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Comb or brush

Clothing:

- Swim suit - Boys: Fitting (modest) board shorts; Girls: One piece (modest) bathing suit
- 4-5 sets of Shorts and t-shirts for recreation (shirt straps should be two adult fingers in width and no tummy's shown. Shorts inseams at least 3.5")
- Tennis shoes and socks - closed-toed shoes will be worn predominantly around camp
- One set of old, messy clothes that can be thrown away after a (very!) messy day
- A sweater or jacket - if you get cold easily
- Undergarments



- Towel and water shoes
- Rain coat or poncho
- A plastic bag for dirty laundry and/or wet clothes

PACKING LIST Other:

- Any medications needed to keep you healthy and having fun! Must be given to Camp Nurse at check in
- \$10 - \$15 for spending at the camp "Snack Shack" also given at check in
- Please be sure to label all items with your child's name.
- Excitement for fun, games, fellowship, and our Lord!

Items NOT to pack: we will be so busy with other activities, there won't be time! ☺

- CD players, MP3 players, DVD players, iPods, or any other music devices
- Video games or video game devices
- Laptops or cell phones – you will survive, I promise!
- Tight or "short" clothes – keep in mind modesty, see above note.
- Clothing with questionable or unkind sayings or slogans
- Skateboards, rollerblades, or razor scooters
- Junk food, candy, or beverages - You will have plenty of food and the "Snack Shack" available for snacks during the week.
- Medications that have not been checked in with the camp nurse
- Intoxicating or mind-altering substances
- Weapons – knives (pocket or other), fireworks, bows &/or arrows (outside of archery), & firearms of any kind are not allowed.

Safety is a number 1 goal, we use the American Camp Association as our guideline for procedures... your help in following these guidelines will ensure a safe and fun week at camp! Thank you! To God Be the Glory! +