



Thank you for registering for Camp Cloverleaf! We look forward to having your child with us!

Contact Information:

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ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE: Please be aware that the drop sites and times are unique to your program and registration.

Site:	Gretna City Park Pavilion (by Baseball Field)
Address:	E Angus Street, Gretna, Nebraska 68028
Drop off:	7:00-8:00am
Pick up:	4:00pm-5:30pm

Campers need to check in with staff immediately upon arrival and parents and campers need to check out before leaving. Camp Cloverleaf is not responsible for late campers. To drop off or pick up campers within the program day, please make arrangements with site director or contact the Eastern Nebraska 4-H Center at (402) 332-4496

Late Fine: a late fee of \$1.00/minute if campers are not picked up by 5:30 pm.

DAY CAMP PROGRAM: Each week will include a variety of field trips, games, crafts and educational sessions. A portion of each day will relate to the theme of the week. **Campers attend scheduled swimming on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, and attend field trips on Wednesdays** (unless the week's schedule is revised). Other portions of the week will vary according to the theme and weather, and may include speakers, tours, and other special activities. We will inform parents of special activities requiring special dress or equipment.

WHAT TO BRING: Campers are responsible for items brought to camp and we suggest parents write camper's name on the items they bring to Day Camp.

- Backpack
- Swim items including swimsuit and towel (on Tuesday and Thursday)
- Water bottle

CLOTHING: Campers should wear comfortable clothes, appropriate for camp activities (we may get dirty!) and the weather. Campers should wear socks and sturdy tennis shoes every day (**NO sandals, flip-flops, crocs**. May bring in addition to tennis shoes on pool days only) as we will do a lot of walking and running. We will be outside a great deal, so sunscreen is a must. If it is cold, or raining, please send the appropriate jacket.

ELECTRONICS AND PERSONAL ITEMS: Use of electronics and personal items are at the discretion of



individual camps. Most often they are only allowed during transport and/or drop off and pick up times. Staff, Eastern Nebraska 4-H Center, and the University of Nebraska- Lincoln are not responsible for lost or stolen items.

LUNCH/SNACKS: Lunch is provided as part of your registration. If your child requires special dietary accommodations, please make sure to note that in the appropriate section on the registration form. We can accommodate most common allergies including peanuts, tree nuts, dairy, and gluten. You may also bring your own sack lunch. No peanut products please. Please call the office with any questions.

INCLEMENT WEATHER: Day Camp will be held in inclement weather unless dangerous to participants or staff. Camps have access to shelters and buildings to utilize throughout the program day. All programming is weather dependent, including swimming, field trips, activities etc.

ABSENCES: If your child is sick or unable to attend Day Camp, please call the Eastern Nebraska 4-H Center by 8:00am at 402-332-4496. We verify absentees, so please contact us in advance.

LEAVING WITH AN ADULT OTHER THAN PARENT/GAURDIAN: If your camper needs to leave with a person other than their parent, please bring a note with the name(s) and number(s) of the approved adults prior to alternate pick up.

CAMPER GROUPS: Campers will be divided into groups appropriate to their age and activity. Camps commonly use “buddy” systems in camp settings, e.g. swimming.

HEALTH/SAFETY: Eastern Nebraska 4-H Camps are accredited by the American Camp Association. We strive to maintain high professional standards for the safety and welfare of all campers. We have arranged emergency care. If a camper is injured, if possible, we will contact parents before taking them for treatment. If the camper requires daily medication or special health care, bring the medication in its original or prescription packaging to the counselor on duty along with instructions. Campers should not bring a large supply of medicine, only what they will need for the week, to be controlled by staff. Staff have received First Aid and CPR training. Campers should report all accidents or illness to their camp staff.

Health insurance is the parent’s/guardian’s responsibility. Camp does have minimal short term medical insurance that covers your child while at camp.

RULES: Camps have specific rules related to their programming, location and activities. Overarching “3 R’s” allow for consistency between camp programs and weeks.

1. Respect yourself
2. Respect others
3. Respect your environment

Campers are expected to follow the 3 R’s and the direction of the camp staff. A serious disciplinary problem is defined as one in which a child is hampering the delivery of the camp program by requiring increased one-on-one attention; is inflicting physical or emotional harm on other children; is abusing staff or is otherwise unable to conform to the rules and guidelines of camp. If a child is not able to adjust behavior or if behavior warrants immediate removal, a dismissal from program will be implemented. Camp Cloverleaf



reserves the right to dismiss a camper without refund in these instances.

TRANSPORTATION: We will use University of Nebraska – Lincoln issued buses, vans and cars to transport day campers, depending on number of children to be transported. Campers are given instructions on acceptable behavior, these include, remain seated and facing forward, be respectful of staff and the driver, keep all hands, arms and objects inside the vehicle, when riding in a van or car all passengers must wear a seat belt.

DAY CAMP T-SHIRTS/SOUVENIRS:

Camp Cloverleaf Day Camp T-shirts (1 per child) will be included in camp registration costs for the summer. Campers are expected to wear the shirt as alerted by camp staff, i.e. major field trips.

Camp Cloverleaf Day Camp is organized and operated by Eastern Nebraska 4-H Center. If you have questions please contact camp at (402) 332-4496.

CANCELLATIONS: All cancellations are subject to a \$25 processing fee. No fees will be returned if the camp being attended is not notified 14 days prior to the camp session commencing.

WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

- Please pack only clothes which are appropriate for outdoor activities. They will get dirty! (We promise!)
- Label everything with your child's name.

ESSENTIAL ITEMS:

- Water bottle
- At least two pairs of shoes- One pair for hiking and one older pair to wear in the river or creek. The older pair must be "close toed" and not a slip on shoe.
- Shirts (T-shirts are fine)
- Pants (Shorts, jeans, sweatpants are all OK)
- Swimming suit
- Sun Screen
- Insect Repellent

OPTIONAL ITEMS:

- Sun Glasses
- Camera

DO NOT BRING TO CAMP: As you know Camp is a special place. We intentionally try our best to setup the right camp atmosphere. The following items detract from this atmosphere and the spirit of camp. Please help us provide the best possible experience by ensuring these items are left at home:

- Firearms – includes BB and pellet guns
- Fireworks

If above items are found in camp, parents will be called immediately and the camper will be sent home.

- Cellphones, radios, headsets, CD players, I-pods etc.
- Electronic games
- Knives and multi-tools



- Lighters/matches
- Expensive jewelry, watches, other valuables

These items will be confiscated until the camp session is over. They will be returned to the parent/guardian picking the camper up on checkout.

Lost and Found: Please be sure to label everything you send to camp with your child's name. With so many children at camp, we cannot be responsible for possessions which are lost or left at camp. Please make sure your child has all his or her belongings before leaving camp.

Thank you for selecting Eastern Nebraska 4-H Center – a great place for anyone to discover, learn and grow.

Sincerely,
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