

# Sullivan Hills Camp



## Camper Packet

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Here is information to help you get ready for camp, including a list of what to bring, information on when to arrive and how to find the camp.

### Camper Accounts

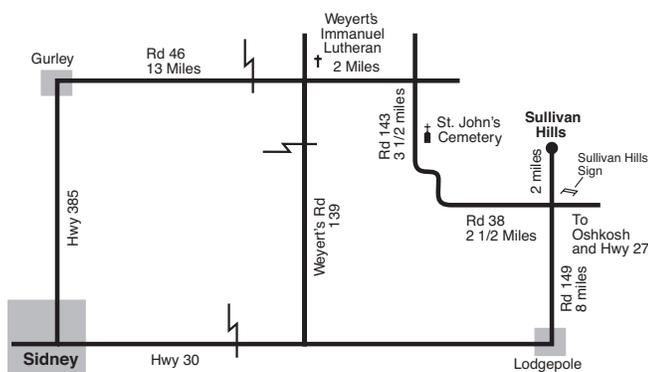
Enclosed is an invoice of your camp fee account showing your camp dates, your total camp fee and any payment(s) and credits to the account. ALL PAYMENTS MUST BE SENT TO NLOM at 27416 Ranch Road, Ashland, NE 68003. Payments must reach us TWO WEEKS prior to your child's camp session if our records at check-in are to reflect payment made. Please do not send payment to Lodgepole; all of our camper records are in Ashland.

### Arrival

Check-in time is 3-4 p.m. (mountain time). Campers will deposit any spending money in the Camp Store and check in any medications brought to camp. Early arrivals will be asked to wait outside until 3 p.m. to allow staff time for final preparations.

### Getting to Camp

Sullivan Hills Camp is located at 4236 Road 149, Lodgepole, NE. Directions to camp can also be found at [SullivanHills.org/contact-us](http://SullivanHills.org/contact-us).



### Medications

American Camp Association Standards require all prescription and non-prescription medications to be kept locked and dispensed only under the specific directions of a licensed physician. All medications for youth and adults must be in the original container with the physician's name on it. The directions/dosage on the container is what we are required to follow. All medications must be turned in to Health Care staff at check-in. The only exceptions are medications for life-threatening conditions, which may be carried by the camper or counselor after a discussion with our Health Care staff.

### Camp Store

Campers will have an opportunity to go to the Camp Store each day. The Camp Store has camp souvenirs, stationery and stamps. We do not sell pop or candy.

Campers who have money for the Camp Store will open a camp bank account at check-in. Purchases will be deducted from their account and the balance refunded to them on the last day of the camp session. The store will also be open on the last day of the session.

In case of an emergency while your child is at camp or to speak to someone at Sullivan Hills Camp during the summer, call 308-483-5804.

*If you have questions, please call the NLOM office in Ashland at 402-944-2544.*

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## What to bring

### Be sure your name is on everything you bring.

All clothing should be appropriate for a Bible camp as well as a highly active week.

- Bible with your name in it
- Sleeping bag or bedding for a twin bed mattress
- Pillow
- Laundry bag
- Sweatshirt and pants (it does get cold in the morning and evening)
- T-shirts, casual shirts (no clothing with tobacco, alcohol, or drug ads and no inappropriate language)
- Shorts
- Underwear and socks (both required)
- Pajamas or something to sleep in
- 2 pairs shoes (open-toed shoes are now allowed, but close-toed shoes are required for many activities)
- Warm jacket
- Rain gear
- Swimsuit, sunscreen and towel
- Hat and sunglasses recommended
- Bath towels and soap
- Comb/brush
- Toothbrush & toothpaste
- Other personal gear (glasses, shampoo, deodorant...)
- Insect repellent
- Flashlight and extra batteries

#### OPTIONAL:

Camera, a favorite stuffed animal, hiking boots, rainboots, journal, addresses, stamps, postcards.

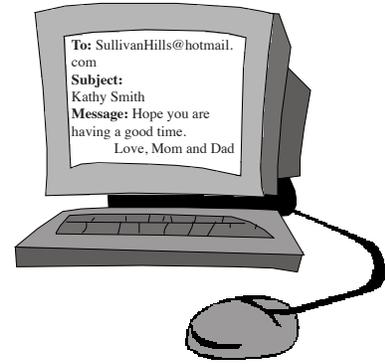
### NOT ALLOWED AT CAMP

- Cell phones
- Electronic equipment such as iPods, tablets, and laptop computers
- Food, candy, pop
- Hair dryers, straighteners, etc.

“Not Allowed” items will be held by staff and returned at the end of the week. NLOM reserves the right to search personal belongings, with the camper present, if we believe items not allowed have been brought to camp. Illegal drugs, tobacco, alcohol, knives, firearms, fireworks, or anything that might be perceived as a weapon are not tolerated at camp. NLOM reserves the right to ask any person found with these items to leave camp. Parents are responsible for getting any child asked to be sent home with no compensation or refund.

## Camper Email

You may send your child email. It must be received by 9 a.m. for delivery that day. Our printer is black and white - **no fancy art or forwardings please.** Mail **MUST** be addressed to: SullivanHills@hotmail.com and **in the “subject” field be sure to put your child’s first and last name.**



Campers will NOT be able to reply to email while they are at camp.

## Camper Mail

Campers love getting mail, although they may not write to you as often as you wish! Please keep your messages positive and upbeat. Your camper may get homesick, but it will pass. The first letter you receive may sound apprehensive, but don’t worry; by the time the letter reaches you, your child has probably forgotten what they wrote and is having a great time! Do not send packages containing gum, candy or food. Any such items will be held for the camper to pick up on closing day.

Camper mail should be addressed to your camper at:

<b>Family Member Home Address</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>“Camper Name” Sullivan Hills Camp 4236 Road 149 Lodgepole, NE 69149</b>	

We also have an in-camp mail box available when you bring your child to camp. You can drop mail in it and it will be delivered on Monday, or whatever day you indicate on the mail. In-camp mail doesn’t require any postage.

## Lost and Found

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We have many campers each week, and personal gear can get mixed up. **Be sure to mark all items brought to camp.** Campers should also help with the packing, so they know just what they brought with them.

Lost and found will be kept for two weeks. Unclaimed items are donated to charity. Please contact Sullivan Hills Camp at 308-483-5804 immediately if you discover something was left behind.

## In Case of Severe Weather

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Sullivan Hills Camp has a storm shelter and we monitor weather conditions carefully. We will notify parents via email and Facebook when appropriate, so please do not call camp during a storm. We need to keep our phone line open, and will be busy taking care of campers.

## In Case of Illness

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Health Care Staff are at camp 24 hours a day, and all of our summer staff are certified in First Aid & CPR. Records of all medications and first aid treatment are filed with the site coordinator daily. If there is an emergency or serious illness parents will be notified by our volunteer Health Care Staff or Site Coordinator.

Charges for medical services are usually billed directly to parents. Camp carries secondary insurance for camp-related accidents or illnesses. We do not cover treatment for pre-existing conditions.

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## Departure

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Camp will wrap up on the last day at **2 pm (mountain time) with a closing worship.** Families and friends are encouraged to come and worship with us. **Campers must be picked up by 3 pm.**

*If the camper will be leaving camp with anyone other than their parent or legal guardian, the form below must be completed and brought or sent to camp. If you do not know before camp who will be driving, you may send this form with the driver.*

### NLOM Transportation Permission

\_\_\_\_\_ who is enrolled in Sullivan Hills Camp, has permission to leave camp  
(name)

with \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_. The camper is aware of this and the driver knows he/she may be  
(driver's name) (date)

asked for identification before leaving camp with the camper.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
(date)