



September 2016

Dear Friend,

Thank you for your interest in the Learning for Life Special Needs Camporee on October 22 & 23, 2016 at St. Johns River Base at Echokotee in Orange Park, Florida. We look forward to your participation! All family members are invited and encouraged to attend! The camporee will take place – rain or shine!

Enclosed you will find the family registration form and additional information about the camporee. Also, you will find health forms which are required for each student and attendee as well as a media release form for each student and siblings. **Health Information Forms must be completed for each camporee participant- both minor and adult.** The Health Information Forms must be completed by the student's legal guardian and put in a sealed envelope with the names clearly printed on the front. Please return the completed registration form, health forms, and media release forms to:

Learning for Life, Camporee
Attn: Michelle Thompson
521 S. Edgewood Ave.
Jacksonville, FL 32205

Please return registration information as soon as possible but No Later than October 7th.

To ensure the safety of all campers, we require minimally that there be 1 adult per 3 youth/adult participants.

Again, thank you for your interest in the Learning for Life Special Needs Camporee. If you have any questions, you can contact Ashley Friesen at (904) 388-0591 ext. 156, or email ashley.friesen@scouting.org.

Sincerely,

Michelle Thompson

Michelle Thompson
Learning for Life
Staff Coordinator for Camporee

Enclosures



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2016 Camporee
October 22 & 23, 2016**

We all look forward to a Day filled with Activities, Food and LOTS OF FUN!!!

QUESTION?	ANSWER!																
What Is A Camporee?	A fun-filled weekend event ...Students may come for a few hours or spend the night, it is up to you! This is an (optional) overnight camping experience especially designed for the special needs student.																
What Activities will there be? What Time will it begin?	<p>It all begins on Saturday, October 22nd... Volunteers from all over NE Florida come and set up Carnival-style Activity Booths & offer fun activities for all exceptionalities! Crafts, Games, Leatherworking, Field Games, Fishing, Displays of Fire Trucks, Military Displays, and much more! Evening events include a Campfire Program with Native American dancing, stories, and skits. Fun for all ages!!!</p> <table> <tr> <td>12:00 – 1:00 PM</td><td>Registration & Tent set-up (lunch is Not provided)</td></tr> <tr> <td>1:00 PM</td><td>Opening Flag Ceremony</td></tr> <tr> <td>1:00 – 4:30 PM</td><td>Concession Stand Open (Hot Dogs/Drinks Cash ONLY)</td></tr> <tr> <td>1:00 – 4:30 PM</td><td>Activity Booths Open</td></tr> <tr> <td>4:30 – 6:30 PM</td><td>Dinner will be served</td></tr> <tr> <td>After Dinner</td><td>Fellowship Time & Games</td></tr> <tr> <td>At Dark</td><td>Camp Fire Program</td></tr> <tr> <td>10:00 PM</td><td>Lights Out!</td></tr> </table> <p>You may choose to attend just for Saturday activities or spend the night and leave Sunday at 9:00AM</p>	12:00 – 1:00 PM	Registration & Tent set-up (lunch is Not provided)	1:00 PM	Opening Flag Ceremony	1:00 – 4:30 PM	Concession Stand Open (Hot Dogs/Drinks Cash ONLY)	1:00 – 4:30 PM	Activity Booths Open	4:30 – 6:30 PM	Dinner will be served	After Dinner	Fellowship Time & Games	At Dark	Camp Fire Program	10:00 PM	Lights Out!
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How Much will it Cost?	Students & Family Members = FREE!!!																
Where will it take Place?	<p>St. Johns River Base at Echocotee located on Doctors Lake Dr. in Orange Park, FL.</p> <p>I- 295 to US 17 South go to Kingsley Ave and turn Right. Go to Doctor's Lake Drive (3rd Light) then turn left. Camp Echocotee is 1.9 miles on left.</p>																
What Is Provided?	<p>LOTS of CARING, Volunteers!</p> <p>Saturday Evening Dinner,</p> <p>Campfire snacks and Sunday morning Continental Breakfast</p> <p>Tents upon request</p> <p>Medical Staff on premises at all times</p>																
What Do I Need To Bring?	A tent (if you have one), a flashlight, a sleeping bag, personal items, soap, toothpaste, etc. Snacks and drinks. Completed Medical Form and photo release form for ALL PARTICIPANTS along with any medication needed, if not mailed previously.																
How Do I Sign Up?	<p style="text-align: center;">Call 904-388-0591 X 156 or email ashley.friesen@scouting.org FAX 904- 387-4148 Learning for Life Special Needs Camporee 521 S. Edgewood Ave Jacksonville, FL. 32205</p>																