



BERKLEY SCHOOLS

ROGERS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
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CAMP REMINDER

Dear Fifth Grade Parents,

On Monday, February 24th, our 5th graders will be leaving for camp. This will be an exciting week, and in order for our departure and week at camp to go smoothly, there are a number of details about which you need to be informed.

Medication that must be taken at camp should be brought to the school on the day of departure, Monday, February 24, 2020, **between 7:15 and 7:30 AM**. (Please enter through our main office door during that time frame and proceed to our 5th grade hallway.) Students' medications will be collected at a table in front of room number 20 (Mrs. Watkins-Visnaw's room) and, upon arrival at Camp Storer, will be turned in to the camp Health Center personnel. **All medications must be in original containers, inside of a plastic bag**. Any nonprescription medications must be clearly labeled with your child's name.

- On Monday, February 24th, students should arrive to school by 8:00 a.m. (the usual entry bell time). Their **luggage must be taken to Hartfield Lanes**, on 12 Mile, in Berkley, **by 7:45 AM**. There, parent volunteers will be marking all bags and luggage with bright pink duct tape to indicate that they belong to Rogers students, but **your child should also have his or her name marked on all baggage**.
- The children are not allowed to use the camp phone or have a cell phone while at camp, however, a message will be given to them in case of an emergency. The camp's phone number is 1-800-536-8607.
- In the case of a medical emergency, children will be taken to the emergency room at Foote Memorial Hospital in Jackson, Michigan.
- Students who do not abide by the rules of the camp and/or demonstrate serious behavioral problems will be sent home. (Parents are called for pick-up.)
- We are sure that a letter from home would be welcome; the camp address is:

Name of Student
Name of School
Outdoor Environmental Education
YMCA Storer Camps
7260 South Stony Lake Road
Jackson, MI 49201

It is a good idea to send your letter **before the week of camp** to ensure that it is received.



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- We anticipate the children returning from camp at approximately 12:45 p.m., Friday, February 28, 2020. The students do not return to classes for the afternoon and need to be picked up at that time.
- Please refer to your “Bring Along List” to ensure that your child packs all camp necessities. All belongings should be labeled with your child’s name.
- Mrs. Meacham will be at camp on Sunday, February 23rd to help train BHS counselors as well as on Monday, February 24th through the morning of Tuesday, February 25th. Other district administrators will be present on other days that week.
- We are looking forward to an enjoyable, educational week at camp with your children. Please contact your child’s teacher with any questions.

Sincerely,

The Fifth Grade Team

Ms. Conway, Mrs. McNamara, Mrs. Spielmann & Mrs. Watkins-Visnaw



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