Awesome Summer Camp Zermatt





Pre-Camp Information for Parents

Why Camp?

Camp has numerous benefits on a child's health and wellbeing, it teaches them many skills such as leadership, independence and friendship that are all called upon later in life.

It can be an amazing and unique experience for a child. This booklet aims to assist each family to prepare for camp. Any further questions, please do not hesitate to email us at info@awesomesummercampzer matt.com

"Campers are urged to include, not exclude others. They are praised for choosing new partners and not always the same ones. They are encouraged to respect the differences between people. In an increasingly sarcastic, put-down-orientated world, camps aims to be an oasis of personal safety where demeaning comments and disrespectful behavior are not tolerated, and children are taught responsible and positive ways to resolve conflict."

- Michael Brandwein, noted speaker and consultant to the camp profession



Administration



Full payment to camp, including extra services, must be received 6 weeks prior to the start of camp. ASCZ reserves the right to cancel the reservation, without refund of deposit, if this condition is not met. Any bookings made within 6 weeks before the start date must be paid in full upon booking.

Cancellation and Refunds

For cancellations the following sums will be retained:

- •more than 12 weeks before the start of the course, full refund
- •12 6 weeks before the start of the course, 10% deposit will be retained
- •6 4 weeks before the start of the course, 50% will be refunded

- •4 1 week before the start of the course, 20% will be refunded
- Less than 1 week before the start of the course, no refund

Forms to Fill In

To ensure the safest experience for your child, it is essential that we receive the completed and signed Child Info Form.

Please complete this as clearly and as accurately as possible and return to us ASAP.

Insurance

Camp fees cover basic first aid from ASCZ staff. Further costs of medication or hospitalization are your responsibility. We will either settle the costs ourselves and then invoice you, or provide the care provider with details of your own insurance policy. This is why it is important that you give us your insurance details in the Child Info Form.





Preparing your child

Your child can be given an allowance to take with them to be spent during camp on snacks or souvenirs. On request by you, we can collect this pocket money from each child and distribute daily, as we cannot be held responsible for money lost if not deposited to us. Any money not spent will be returned to the child before the end of the week.

Medications

All medications should be clearly labeled with your child's name with written instructions as to how it should be dispensed, and given to camp staff upon arrival. It will be kept safe and diligently dispensed by our staff. If your child requires medication to be kept on his/her person (e.g. inhaler) please let us know the details in the Child Info Form.

Packing List

Each day please ensure your child arrives in weatherappropriate clothing and a small backpack with the following:

- Water bottle and small snacks
- Rain coat
- Jumper
- CHF 5 pocket money
- Sun hat

Please discuss the value of caring for your child's own belongings at camp. ASCZ takes no responsibility for items lost of stolen, although every care will be taken to ensure that does not happen.



Rules and Policies

Smoking and Alcohol

We maintain a strict no smoking or drinking alcohol at all times. This applies regardless of whether they are allowed to at home or legally old enough in Switzerland. Should you child violate this policy, you, as the parent/guardian, will be contacted

to discuss what action will be taken. Usually, a strong verbal warning is given on the understanding that if they do it again, they could face being sent home at your expense. Please discuss this policy with your child before camp.

Illegal Drugs

Should your child possess any illegal drugs, other than any prescribed medicine he/she arrived with, you will be contacted and your child will be sent home immediately.

Mobile Phones

We advise against bringing

mobile phones as we cannot guarantee that they will not be damaged during certain activities such as rock climbing and mountain biking.

Damage to Property

Any large damages as a result of purposeful or accidental negligence will be invoiced to parents/guardians, as outlined in the Booking Conditions.

Please remember that the weather can be unpredictable in the mountains, pack a varied layering.









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