



## YMCA Camp Bernie Code of Behavior

It is YMCA Camp Bernie's goal to promote positive growth in all individuals while in a safe, healthy, nurturing environment. Our program embodies the YMCA mission "putting Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all". YMCA Camp Bernie also promotes Character Development in our campers with our four core values of Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility. To create and maintain such an environment requires the participation of staff, parents and campers alike.

*Please read the following carefully so you and your child can fully understand and agree to the expectations set forth by YMCA Camp Bernie.*

- All campers will respect and abide by all YMCA rules, regulations and mission statement.
- There will be no verbal or physical harassment tolerated.
- Foul language is not permitted.
- Campers will remain with their group at all times. A camper should never be alone. Wandering away from your group is dangerous and will not be tolerated.
- Campers are to treat the camp grounds, equipment, facilities, staff and all other campers with care and respect.
- Campers will not go into a cabin, lodging, restroom or changing area of a camper of the opposite sex.
- Cell phones and other electronic devices are not permitted for any reason. Cell phones or other devices will be confiscated and returned at the end of a session or at the end of the day for day camp.
- Campers will not bring cigarettes, alcohol, drugs, firearms, knives or weapons of any sort to camp.

The Camp Administration reserves the right to dismiss any member of the camp who does not meet the YMCA Camp Bernie Code of Behavior guidelines with no refunds.

### PLEASE READ AND SIGN BELOW

I, the undersigned, have carefully read and gone over the above rules with my child. I agree with the above policy and understand that in the event that my child is sent home for failure to follow the rules, I will receive no refund.

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

I, the undersigned, have carefully read and gone over the above rules with my parents or legal guardians. I agree to follow all the rules while at camp, and understand that if I don't, I may be sent home.

Signature of Camper: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\* Both signatures are required for admittance to camp\*\*\***