

Vacation Village Day Camp
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Dear Vacation Village Homeowner/Day Camp Parent:

We are pleased to announce that Naava & Jake Polansky will be our Co-Directors again as well as Dganit Israel will be Camp House Director. Included in this packet is their letter of introduction. We hope you will be as excited as we are about our forthcoming summer.

Enclosed are the registration materials, fee schedules, employment applications and medical/physician forms for the 2012 summer session. Please be sure to share these materials and information with all the members of your household who might be interested in registering for camp. **These materials are also available on the day camp page of the Vacation Village Website at** <http://www.vacationvillagehoa.com/daycamp.html>

Camp will begin on *Wednesday June 27th* and end on *Wednesday August 22^d, 2012*. Please note the first session will be from June 27th through July 25th and the second session will be from July 26th through August 22nd. Monthly rates are based on consecutive weeks only.

The fee schedule is set up to encourage Early Bird Registration which must be postmarked before **March 31st**. This year we are adding 1 month free lunch. Vacation Village Renters must first contact the office to ensure that all forms are filled out. In addition they must have a lease signed by **March 31st** in order to qualify for the discounted prices. We need your continued cooperation in order to ensure that we have appropriate staffing and bunk configuration. We ask *everyone* to please make sure to have your registration material submitted as soon as possible.

Registration must be accompanied by **full** payment. **NO \$\$\$ NO CAMP**. Please return the registration form and the worksheet you used to calculate your fees to the VV office. No child will be allowed to enter camp without the proper forms – including the medical and physician form – completed.

Vacation Village Day Camp offers three programs.

- **Camphouse** – Preschool program. This program has two parts:

2 year old program - this is for children turning age 2 before July 1st. This program will be part of the camphouse with an adjusted schedule of 9:30-2:30. (***This program will be offered if 5 or more eligible children apply***)

3 and 4 years old All Camphouse children who are in this program must be **completely toilet trained**. Parents must provide a birth certificate confirming the age of their child. Parents of children who are not toilet trained **MUST PAY AN ADDITIONAL \$100.00.**

- **Camp Program** – This program is for children age 5 and up to and including age 12. These children are organized into groups by school grade.

- **Teen Program** – This program is for older children ages 12-13. ***This program will be offered if 10 or more eligible teens apply.***

Dinners for Counselors –Every household that has a child in Day Camp **MUST** provide one meal for the counselors living in the dorm, during the week and at least one Shabbos meal.

If you have any suggestions, we would like to hear from you **BEFORE** the summer begins so that your suggestions and ideas may be considered prior to the start of camp. Please feel free to contact any VVDC committee member or Naava & Jake Polansky.

If you have any questions about staffing, programming or any other issue or if know of anyone interested in working in VVDC, please contact Naava and Jake at email VVCdirector@gmail.com . Preference will be given to those willing to work the entire summer. Deadline for application for employment is March 31st.

We look forward to seeing you all this summer.

Best Wishes,

VVDC Committee

Carol Reichel – Chairman

Jodi Abittan, Erica Cohen, Bini Dachs, Shanna Schein, Donna Shore

Please note the following:

1. No exceptions to fee schedule will be made.
2. Homeowners must be current in their maintenance payments for children to attend camp.
3. Returned check fee of \$ 50.00 per check.
4. Refunds will only be provided before March 31st with a \$ 50.00 per child processing fee.
5. Camp payments will cover consecutive enrollments in VVDC. For example, a child enrolled for a total of four weeks attending first week in July and the last three weeks in August will be required to pay weekly rates, not monthly.
6. The Camp appreciates your consideration in not pulling children out of camp since it proves disruptive to the groups.
7. First Session of Camp – June 27th through July 25th.
8. Second Session of Camp – July 26th through August 22nd.
9. Please make sure all medical /physician are up-to-date- and complete.
10. **It is mandatory for every family with a child in the camp to provide at least one meal for the dorm counselors- NO EXCEPTIONS.**