

Camper Information:

What to bring and what not to bring:

It really does help to have your child's name in their belongings - we do our best to help the campers keep track of their belongings, this job is made easier with names! **Please send your child with bedding.**

Packing check list:

T - shirts	Socks	Water shoes/flip flops	Dirty laundry bag
Long sleeved shirts	Swimming suit(s)	Toothbrush & paste	Pillow and case
Shorts	Towels	Washcloth and soap	Sleeping bag or sheets
Pants	Jacket	Brush or Comb	Medicine - labeled
Pajamas	Rain jacket	Toiletry Case	
Underwear	Shoes	Hat and sunscreen	

*Please note , there is **NO Bedding** available at the camp

No valuables, cell phones, tablets, game sets, computers, cameras, knives or money. All will be kept by the Director for the session Do not send expensive clothing - it's a camp!

The mosquitoes are particularly hungry this year - don't forget your bug spray!

If your child leaves something behind it will be kept at the Society's Head Office for a maximum of 10 days. If you find something in your child's bag upon his return, that is not his, please consider returning it to the Society, it may be another child's prized possession.

A day at Camp Ozanam - Daily Schedule

The following outlines the basic daily schedule that the campers follow. The counsellors and program staff strive to make each day a little different and a unique experience for your child taking into account the wide variety of backgrounds, skills and interests that each child has.

8:00 am	Wake up
8:30 am	Cabin Clean up
9:30 am	Flagpole, O Canada, Morning Prayer and Announcement Breakfast
10:00 - 11:45	Two Activity Periods
11:45-12:45	Campers Choice
1:00	Lunch
1:30 - 2:30	Rest Period Activities
2:30 - 5:45	Third Activity
3:30 -5:45	Campers Choice
6:00	Supper
6:30 - 7:15	Free Time - camper choice of supervised activities
7:30 - 9:30	Flagpole Evening Activity
9:45	Bedtime - quiet activities

Campers attend Mass or celebration during the session.

Daytime activities include a selection of the following (dependent on the weather and camper interest): mountain biking, high ropes course, arts and crafts, woodworking, archery, hockey, cooperative games, field sports, swimming, and specialized programming.

Night Activities include camp productions by campers and staff, camp wide games, campfires, scavenger hunts, closing ceremonies.

Senior campers participate in after hours campfires, sports activities, star gazing and flashlight tag.

Day Trip: Senior campers travel by school bus once per session to nearby Mikisew or Algonquin Provincial Parks with counsellors to enjoy an afternoon of swimming and activity.

Meals: We serve three home cooked meals a day including lasagna, spaghetti, chicken, ham, salads, soups, macaroni and cheese, grilled cheese, sloppy joes, french toast and pancakes.

Facilities:

Camp Ozanam is located at a new site on Deerlake, South River, north of Huntsville, Ontario. Depending on the child's age, campers sleep in either cabins with bunk beds or in sleeping platform tents. Washrooms are located in some cabins as well as throughout the camp site. We also have a dining hall, kitchen, craft cabin, art room, an outdoor chapel on site, archery, a lake, canoes and sports. This is a rustic setting.

Photography and Public Relations:

From time to time, photographs of the children participating in camp activities may be taken. In addition, photographs and names of campers attending Camp Ozanam may be featured in the Toronto Star or other publications promoting camps. Unless you specifically notify the camp in writing, special permission will not be sought for the use of your child's photo or name in relation to activities associated with Camp Ozanam.

Head Lice:

Regrettably, head lice is a common occurrence at most camps including Camp Ozanam. Despite your and our best efforts to eliminate it, it may still appear. We check campers on their first day and do our best to stay on top of this issue. However, your child should be checked for lice upon their return and treated accordingly. Camp Ozanam does not send children home during session if it is discovered they have head lice; we will do our best to contain it; hair is washed with lice shampoo. Camp Ozanam will not be held responsible for the contracting or spread of head lice - this is a problem that reaches far beyond the camp!

Shower/Clean Up Facilities:

Campers have limited access to "public pool" type showers once or twice during their stay. In addition, campers have unlimited access to hand washing sinks for general clean-up and they swim at least once per day. Remember this is a camp - campers will get dirty, and so will their clothes - its part of the experience!