



## “The Weekday Sleep-Away Camp”

Early Spring, 2017

Dear Campus Kids Family,

The Campus Kids Weekend Adventure is a terrific optional program that allows our older campers (juniors and older) to “not come home for the weekend”. We are pleased to announce that we have scheduled three Weekend Adventures for 2017:

- #1 July 14-17 (between camp weeks 3 & 4)
- #2 July 28-31 (between camp weeks 5 & 6)
- #3 August 4-7 (between camp weeks 6 & 7)

The enclosed information explains the details of this program and how you can enroll your camper. Here are a few highlights:

- ◆ Weekend Adventure campers leave Campus Kids on Friday afternoon, just like all the other campers, and they return to Campus Kids on Monday morning as the other campers are arriving from home.
- ◆ Each Weekend Adventure is a outdoor camping experience along with a bonus day trip.
- ◆ Each Weekend Adventure is staffed by some of our most experienced Campus Kids staff members and maintains our high standards of safety and supervision. Assistant director Jeremy Berse leads these trips along with veteran WA leaders Vanessa Voskinarian-Berse and Ryan Belline and some of our CK-NJ counselors.
- ◆ Each Weekend Adventure has a different mix of activities.
- ◆ We have a firm enrollment limit for each trip. We accept registrations on a first come, first served basis.

Weekend Adventure campers always have a great time. I hope we can include your camper in one or more of this year’s trips.

Please don’t hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Tom Riddleberger ([tom@campuskids.com](mailto:tom@campuskids.com))  
Director

encs. — Campus Kids Weekend Adventure information

P.S. — **Please take careful note of our cancellation policy**, which will be strictly applied. We make advance financial commitments for our Weekend Adventures and cannot refund money if your camper decides to withdraw from the program after the “no refund” deadline (June 1). Campers should base their participation decision on their desire to be part of this activity, regardless of which other campers may or may not be attending.

### **Campus Kids-New Jersey**

*(summer camp located in Blirstown,  
on the campus of Blair Academy)*

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Attention all junior, senior, & super-senior campers (entering 7, 8, 9 or 10 grades):



# 2017 Weekend Adventures!

## What is a CK Weekend Adventure?

It's a terrific way to "connect" two Campus Kids weeks without going home. It's an awesome camping trip packed with huge variety of amazing outdoor activities and a special day trip too!



## Who can go on a CK Weekend Adventure?

Campus Kids boys and girls who are "juniors" and older (entering 7, 8, 9 or 10 grades). Each weekend can accommodate up to 30 campers; that's the limit.

## Do we stay at Campus Kids for the weekend?

No! We leave camp on Friday afternoon when all the other campers are going home and we take a camp bus ride for about 40 minutes to our Weekend Adventure site located at Fairview Lake YMCA Camp in Stillwater, NJ.

### ***W.A. #1: Action Park (Mountain Creek) Water Park (July 14-17)***

Between Weeks 3 & 4

First we will head out to **Fairview Lake Camp!** We'll camp out right near the lake, make campfires, have cook-outs, and go boating and swimming! On Saturday, we'll head over to Action Park (Mountain Creek) Water Park for a day of racing down slides and screaming our way over cannon-ball falls. There are rides for every level of thrill seeker. You can also relax in the lazy river or wave pool.



### ***W.A. #2: Dorney Park & Wild Water Kingdom (July 28-31)***

Between Weeks 5 & 6

We arrive on Friday night at **Fairview Lake Camp.** We'll do our usual Weekend Adventure activities around the campfire and out on the lake. On Saturday, we head over to Dorney Park & Wild Water Kingdom (Allentown, PA) for a day of thrills and excitement. The amusement park has it all - easy going rides, roller coaster thrill rides, live entertainment and even a GREAT big water park! There is something for everyone on this trip!



### ***W.A. #3: Night on the Town: Skyzone Trampoline Park & Movie (August 4-7)***

Between Weeks 6 & 7

We'll spend our final weekend camping out at **Fairview Lake Camp,** but we'll also be going out for an epic night on the town. First, we'll be heading over to Skyzone Trampoline Park in Pine Brook, NJ for some bouncy fun. We'll eat out at a local restaurant near the Rockaway Mall and see a movie before returning to our campsite! You won't want to miss this epic summer finale!



## What is Camp Fairview Lake like?



Fairview Lake is a beautiful "outdoorsy" camp with a lake (swimming dock and boats), many acres of forests and hiking trails, some cabins and a dining hall. We'll be doing some camping out in tents and lean-tos at

Fairview. We will be using the lake for swimming and boating. There are also plenty of terrific spots to hike to. We'll see deer, raccoons and even a black bear or two. We will play games, have campfires, tell stories, shoot some hoops and have a lot of fun hanging out together. Meals will either be eaten at the camp's dining hall, cooked up by us over a fire, or out on-the-town at a restaurant during a day trip! Fairview Lake is a YMCA camp and is ACA-Accredited and state-licensed.

## Who are the Weekend Adventure Counselors?

Jeremy, Vanessa and Ryan will lead the trips along with selected CK-NJ counselors.

There are plenty of qualified staff to provide safety and supervision, to lead fun activities and to just hang out with you. We have a lot of fun together! Jeremy and Vanessa are certified in wilderness first aid, lifeguarding, & CPR and several other staff members are also lifeguards.



## Do we have rules like at Campus Kids?

Yes. We never compromise your safety. You are always with counselors. You always follow the safety rules and directions of the counselors. There always are certified lifeguards at the lakes and water parks. You always wear securely buckled lifejackets (PFD's) in the boats. Boys' and girls' tents and lean-tos are separate and supervised by staff members at all times. There is no "sneaking around".

## What if I get sick or hurt?

Just like our regular CK activities during the week, the staff includes people specially trained in first aid-CPR and in handling emergencies in this setting. We have emergency telephones, cell phones and ready access to an ambulance and hospital if we need them. The staff at Fairview Lake is present and would provide backup assistance in an emergency.

## What if I take medicine?

No problem. Our camp nurses send your medical form and any medications on the trip and the Weekend Adventure staff gives you your medicine as instructed by the CK-NJ nurse.

## What do I have to bring?

Basically, you just pack up some of your stuff from Campus Kids and bring it with you. You want to have good shoes for hiking, though, and a water bottle. A flashlight is pretty handy on these trips as well. We'll send you a detailed list for each trip. Your parents may want to sign you up for CK's weekend laundry service so your regular camp clothes will be clean for you on Monday morning.



## Can we call home?

No. You can call your family when you get back to Campus Kids on Monday (at the regular calling times). Also, there is NO cell phone use on these trips.

## How much does it cost?

### How do I sign up?

\$450 per weekend.

The fee includes ALL costs. Use the enclosed enrollment form to sign up. Space is definitely limited, so act quickly.

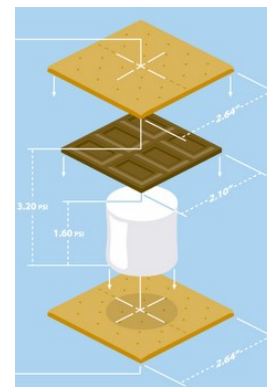
## I have more questions.

### Who do I call?

Call us at 973-845-9260

or write to

jeremy@campuskids.com or  
tom@campuskids.com.





# Weekend Adventure! 2017 Application for Participation

I hereby make application to enroll the following 2017 Campus Kids-NJ camper in the Campus Kids-NJ Weekend Adventure program.

**CAMPER NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CHECK** weekend(s):      \_\_\_\_\_ #1      July 14 - 17, 2017  
   \_\_\_\_\_ #2      July 28 - 31, 2017  
   \_\_\_\_\_ #3      August 4 - 7 2017\*\*

I agree that the permission I have already granted for my camper to participate at Campus Kids in 2017 as well as all medical information medical authorizations and medication authorizations, are extended to this Weekend Adventure program. I understand that this authorization extends to every activity offered during the program, including outdoor camping, lake swimming and boating and hiking on the trails and surrounding areas of Fairview Lake YMCA Camp. For trip #1 this also includes a day trip to Action Park water park. For trip #2 this also includes a day trip to Dorney Park & Wild Water Kingdom in Pennsylvania. For trip #3 this also includes a “night on the town” (Skyzone Trampoline Park along with dinner at a restaurant and a movie).

I understand that participation in this program is limited to 2017 CK-NJ campers entering 7th, 8th, 9th or 10th grades. Enrollment is accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. If there is no room for my camper in this program my money will be returned. If minimum enrollment for the program is not reached two weeks in advance of any trip, the Camp has the option of cancelling the program and returning my money. I also understand that, **after June 1, no refunds will be given if the program has sufficient enrollment to operate.**

**Parent/Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Acceptance of enrollment will be made in writing.

\*\*An additional online waiver for Skyzone must be filled out by the parents for trip #3. It will be emailed to you in July.

**The all-inclusive price is \$450 per trip, full payment due with form.**

The weekend fee covers staffing, transportation, meals, snacks, housing, program materials and all activity fees. Tipping of staff is prohibited. Responsibility for any medical expenses are described in the regular Campus Kids Enrollment Contract. If you wish your camper’s laundry done over the weekend, use the weekend laundry service sign-up form that is provided with the 2017 Parent Handbook (it’s also on our website Forms Library).

**Return this form to:** **Campus Kids-NJ**      973-845-9260  
**P.O. Box 8**  
**Madison, NJ 07940**

After June 6: *Campus Kids-NJ*  
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