



# 4-H CAMP KIDWELL

## "NO LIMITS!"

### 2010 SUMMER CAMP



[WWW.CAMPKIDWELL.ORG](http://WWW.CAMPKIDWELL.ORG)

4-H Camp Kidwell is located on Eagle Lake, near Bloomingdale, MI 49026. Our enrollment process is open to all, and you DO NOT have to be affiliated with any organization to attend. Camp fees include room and board, activities, and lots of fun! For more information please contact our office at 269-521-3559 or [campkidwell@btc-bci.com](mailto:campkidwell@btc-bci.com)

#### How to register

#1 Online Registration - This safe, secure, convenient and easy to use service makes registering very simple. With a few key strokes you can have your child(ren) registered. Visit our website, [www.campkidwell.org](http://www.campkidwell.org) to get started. After you have created your online account you can visit any time to make changes, add payments or additional information. If you registered with us online last year, all you will need is your email address and password. Visit [www.campregister.com](http://www.campregister.com) for more details about the program.

#2 Mail-in Registrations - Fill out the camper registration form on the back of this form and return it to the MSU Extension office at MSUE, **camper registration, Human Services Building, 3255 122<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Suite 101 Allegan, MI 49010**. Checks should be made payable to 4-H Camp Kidwell. A receipt of registration will be sent to you immediately to confirm that we received your registration. More details about your exciting camp experience will follow closer to the summer!

#### Registration Information

There are many discounts available, please ask for details. Note: Discounts, scholarships or gift certificates cannot be used for camp store items or other add-on items. They are designed to be applied to tuition only.

#### *\*New for 2010\**

- **Payment Plan Option** – set up your account to pay automatically in monthly installments!
- **Military family Discounts** – A 25% is available to all active duty military families, call us to get the coupon code to apply during registration. Also, additional programs are being worked on and will be announced as soon as the details are worked out. Check our website periodically for details!

#### Scholarship Assistance

A scholarship program is in place for families who need assistance. The scholarship program is based on financial need and uses the same guidelines as the schools use for free and reduced lunch. If you're eligible for free lunch you are eligible for a full scholarship and if you are eligible for reduced lunch you are eligible for a half scholarship. Scholarship funds vary from year to year, and are available on a first come, first serve basis. If you fall into the criteria above and would like to apply for assistance, please visit our website to download a form or call our office to get a scholarship application form. Please **do not** fill out a registration form. You only need to complete the scholarship application form to start the scholarship process. When we receive your completed scholarship application we will send confirmation that it was received and the first scholarships will be awarded in late spring/early summer.

#### Too "OLD" to attend camp?

We have a place for you! If you are 16 years or older you could be a STAFF MEMBER at 4-H Camp Kidwell! Applications will be available in early 2010. Please visit the website, [www.campkidwell.org](http://www.campkidwell.org) or contact our office at 269-521-3559 or [campkidwell@btc-bci.com](mailto:campkidwell@btc-bci.com), to get an application.

# 2010 4-H Camp Kidwell REGISTRATION FORM

Circle one: Male / Female

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Campers First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Camper's Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ Age at the time of camp \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mm/dd/yyyy)

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please list anyone you wish to be in the same cabin with \_\_\_\_\_

Please list anyone you wish to **not** be in the same cabin with \_\_\_\_\_

Please check which week(s) you will be attending Camp Kidwell:

**Resident Camp Sessions**

- June 27-July 2 Horse Crazy Adventures - junior - Ages 8-11 -\$350
- July 5-9 Wet & Wild – Senior - Ages 10-14 - \$275
- July 11-16 Horse Crazy Adventures - Senior - Ages 11-16 -\$350
- July 11-13 Krash Course – Ages 7-10 - \$175
- July 14-16 Teen Typhoon – Ages -11-16 - \$175
- July 25-30 The Great Expedition - Ages 8-14 - \$300
- August 1-6 Wet & Wild – Junior – Ages 7-10 - \$300
- August 15-20 Jolly Rogers Pirate Adventures (ages 8-14)

**Day Camp Sessions**

- June 28-July 2 A Dynamite Day Camp - Junior - Ages 5-7 - \$200
- June 28-July 2 A Dynamite Day Camp - Senior Ages 8-14 - \$175
- July 6-9 Wet & Wild Day Camp - Senior Ages 5-7 - \$200
- July 12-16 Krash Course Day Camp – Ages 4-6 - \$200
- July 26-30 The Great Expedition Day Camp - Ages 5-7 - \$200
- August 2-6 Wet & Wild Day Camp - Junior - Ages 4-6 - \$200
- August 16-20 Jolly Rogers Pirate Advtr. Day Camp - Ages 5-7 - \$200

**Focus Activities**

- Spend at least an extra hour in an activity each day
- Horse Sense-spend extra time with the horses
  - High Adventure- Enjoy a prolonged time in our Ropes program
  - Making Waves- Bask in the sun for an extra hour each day

**Total Costs**

Initial Tuition \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Discount % % \_\_\_\_\_

To find your final tuition, subtract your discount % from 100% and then multiple that by the initial tuition. Ex. 100% - 17% = 83%. \$300 x 83% =\$249

Final Tuition \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Focus Activity \$50.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt \$10.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camp Photo (5x7) \$5.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camp DVD \$5.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

eCamp Service \$10.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camp Store (up to \$20) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Discounts**

- Discounts are done as percentages and are ONLY applied to the tuition!
- Deduct 17% - if registered by February 28, 2010
  - Deduct 9% - if registered between March 1 and April 15th, 2010
  - Deduct 9% - if camper has never attended 4-H Camp Kidwell
  - Deduct 4% - for add'l siblings (first child pays full price)
  - Deduct \$\_\_\_\_\_ Festival of Trees Fndrsr Program – must be approved
  - Deduct \$\_\_\_\_\_ for 4-H incentives – must be approved
  - Deduct 17% – if attending more than one week (other discounts do not apply for additional weeks)
  - Deduct \_\_\_\_\_% – for other advertised discounts – Code \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Discount %** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

We accept cash, money orders, checks, and credit cards. Please make checks payable to Camp Kidwell and mail registration form and payment to: MSUE, Camper Registration, 3255 122<sup>nd</sup> Ave Suite 101, Allegan, MI 49010

Amount enclosed or to be charged: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Indicate method of payment: Cash Check/Money Order # \_\_\_\_\_  Credit Card

Check One:  Master Card  Visa Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holders Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**A minimum \$100.00 deposit is required and is non-refundable with the return of this registration form.** Balances are due two weeks prior to the week your child will be attending. Please contact us if you are unable to meet this deadline. The obligation of the Camp for its counselors, employees and general expenses are fixed for the summer and the absence of a camper does not lessen the operation expenses. Therefore, no refund or deductions will be made for campers who arrive late or leave early. When a camper must leave Camp upon the direction of 4-H Camp Kidwell's physician or the family physician, the parent and the Camp will share the loss of tuition equally. Camp Kidwell reserves the right to dismiss, without refund, any camper whose behavior is disruptive to the operation of Camp. **Campers who receive any type of scholarship are not eligible for discounts.**

**Parent/Guardian Consent Statement:** I give my permission for my child to attend Camp Kidwell in Allegan County. I hereby give permission to the medical personnel selected by the Camp director to order x-rays, routine tests, treatment and necessary transportation for my child. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the Camp director to secure and administer treatment, including hospitalization, for my child.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Office use only - Date registration received \_\_\_\_\_ Received By \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Received \_\_\_\_\_

Date entered \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_



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Summer Camp 2010



4-H Camp Kidwell is a wonderful camping program and facility that welcomes children ages 4 to 16. Set on 150 beautiful acres on Eagle Lake, our camp allows children to explore the outdoor world in a safe, fun and exciting environment! Children are able to participate in activities such as swimming, archery, horseback riding, arts and crafts, drama, sports and games, canoeing, ropes, and so much more. Each weekly session brings an exciting theme and a new group of children (based on age) together and allows new and amazing friendships to be forged! Through many fun and exciting activities, campers are immersed in this weekly theme. Each weekly session will feature a resident camp and day camp running hand in hand. Don't miss out! Join us for one or many sessions either way you will have the experience of a lifetime!

## Resident Camp

Resident camp is a fun and exciting learning opportunity that every young person should have the chance to experience! Cabin groups of six to nine campers and two staff members grow close as they share many exciting experiences together, but everyone also has a chance to feel independent as they make decisions and choices each day. Children ages 7 to 16 can attend resident camp and are encouraged to try new activities, make new friends, take new challenges and have a GREAT time!

## Day Camp

Day Camp is a true extension of resident camp; children ages 4 to 14 enjoy the fun and excitement of camp while spending their evenings at home! Whether it is riding horses, jumping on the water trampoline, exploring nature, playing games or just being silly, day campers have the time of their lives. Day camp runs daily 8 am to 5:30 pm, except for Fridays when departure is at 2 pm. Three balanced meals are served daily. This program is a great opportunity for a young child, first time camper, or a busy youngster to enjoy the excitement of camp.

## Sessions and Daily Schedule

Resident campers are involved in as many activities as possible while getting plenty of rest and relaxation. Each day, campers attend four, 1-hour, small-group sessions based upon their ranking of their favorite camp activities. Throughout the week large group activities are offered based upon the theme in place each week. These whole camp activities may include sports, educational programming, free-time and theme specific programs or activities. Campfire ends each day, which allows the entire camp community to sing together. Day campers follow a similar schedule but rotate from activities in groups of 10 - 15.

## Focus Areas

Focus areas allow campers to spend extra time in their favorite activity area. Campers typically only spend one hour a day at any one particular activity, but choosing a focus area allows campers to enjoy their favorite activity for at least an extra hour daily. For an additional \$50 per week, campers can choose to spend extra time in one of three focus areas: Horse Sense (Horseback Riding), Making Waves (Waterfront) and High Adventure (Teambuilding). Sign up for this great option when you register. **Please note that focus areas are only available during the weeks of July 25-30 and August 15-20, and are NOT available to Day Campers.**

## **WEEKLY SESSIONS**

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### **Horse Crazy Adventures Resident Camp - Junior**

Ages: 8 – 11 and/or beginning riders  
June 27 – July 2

Horses on the brain! That's what you will get when you attend Horse Crazy Camp. Learn about, work with and ride horses for a minimum of 5 hours a day. Whether it is learning the basics of care and upkeep or spending time in the saddle, younger children and novice riders will get firsthand experience with our wonderful horses! Also, enjoy many of the other GREAT camp activities while the horses get their much needed rest! Please ask about beginning riders of older ages as they are welcome to attend this camp!

### **A Dynamite Day Camp**

Ages: 5 to 14  
June 28 – July 2

Swimming, canoeing, archery, drama, arts and crafts, nature exploration, and so much more await you at this camp! Give all of the great activities at camp a try and have a "BLAST!!!" as you make new friends and have the time of your life! There is something for everyone at this camp and it also allows you the opportunity to make it to baseball practice, spend time with your family or enjoy your evenings at home!

### **Wet & Wild Camp- Senior**

Day camp ages: 5-7  
July 6 - 9  
Resident camp ages: 10-14  
July 5 - 9

Don't miss a chance to soak up the sun on our water trampoline, in one of our kayaks, or simply sitting on the dock. Dive into all of the amazing waterfront activities as well as enjoy many of the other great camp activities. Cool off with a water balloon fight, slide away your worries on our slip-n-slide or create the perfect water rocket. We have enough water activities to keep you busy for days!

### **Horse Crazy Adventures Resident Camp - Senior**

Ages: 11 - 16 and/or experienced riders  
July 11 - 16

Horses Galore! Spend hours with our horses, getting valuable knowledge and experience riding in our arena or on the trails. Share your knowledge with other campers and learn new and exciting information and techniques from them. Also, enjoy many of the other GREAT camp activities while the horses get their much needed rest! Please ask about younger campers with considerable experience as they are welcome to attend this camp!

### **Krash Course Camp**

Day Camp Ages: 4 to 6  
July 12 - 16  
Resident camp ages: 7-10  
July 11 – 13

Worried about staying at camp for an entire week? Try overnight camp and get your feet wet by giving swimming, canoeing, horseback riding, archery, drama or nature exploration a try for just a few days instead of an entire week. Experience all of the amazing camp activities at least once while becoming familiar and comfortable with camp life! Great for the first time overnighter or anyone who is not totally committed to spending a week at camp!

**Teen Typhoon Camp**

Resident camp ages: 11-16

July 14 - 16

The climbing tower, high ropes course, power pole, giants ladder and all of the ground initiatives are waiting for your challenge! Throw out the usual camp schedule you decide what you want to do and have a GREAT time.

Team building activities, kayaking, horseback riding, water activities and so much more just for you, the teen!

We want you to pick the activities and help us decide how to do them right!

**The Great Expedition Camp**

Day camp ages: 5-7

July 26 - 30

Resident camp ages: 8-14

July 25 - 30

Gain valuable camping skills as you explore nature trails, dig through rotting logs for slugs, identify plants and animals or examine all of the amazing wildlife. Build campfires, nature shelters and live off of the land. And don't forget, everyone will have a chance to camp on Kidwell Island (weather permitting of course). So pack your bags and get ready for a journey that will leave you feeling like Davey Crockett!

**Wet & Wild Camp – Junior**

Day camp ages: 4-6

August 2 - 6

Resident camp ages: 7-10

August 1 - 6

Splish-splash the day away playing water balloon baseball, hitting the waterfront or setting off your very own water rocket! Enjoy your time at the waterfront, playing in the sprinkler or simply soaking your counselor!

Don't miss a chance fish, ride on the pontoon boat or take a canoe or kayak out on the lake. The list of water activities is never ending and we can't wait for you to take part in all of the amazing fun!

**Jolly Rogers Pirate Adventures Camp**

Day camp ages: 5-7

August 16 - 20

Resident camp ages: 8-14

August 15 - 20

Ride the high seas of Eagle Lake and help us protect the camp from the Pirates who invade each summer! Go on a treasure hunt, walk the plank of fun, or enjoy all of the pirate songs at campfire! The pirate water wars are always the highlight of pirate week, so be ready to protect your cabins ship! Don't forget your pirate gear as we need as much help as possible to keep the scurvy pirates at bay!