



# CAMP HIGHLANDER SUMMER 2009

## Application for Acceptance

Please attach a recent photo to help us get to know your child

### SESSION PREFERENCE:

- A SESSION                      2 weeks              Sunday, June 14 – Friday, June 26              \$2,400
- B SESSION                      3 weeks              Sunday, June 28 – Friday, July 17              \$3,300
- C SESSION                      3 weeks              Sunday, July 19 – Friday, August 7              \$3,300
- JUNIOR CAMP (ages 6-10)              1 week              Sunday, August 9 – Friday, August 14              \$1,000

Please check all sessions for which you would like to enroll. Camp Highlander will take 10% off the tuition price for multiple session registration.

- OPTIONAL TRIP! - Please check for parental permission.**                      \$195.00

**CAROWINDS THEME PARK** (Campers age 11 and older)

PAYMENT MUST BE INCLUDED IN REGISTRATION FEE! DEADLINE FOR SIGN UP - APRIL 1, 2009

After April 1, names go on Carowinds waiting list. Child may sign up for only ONE TRIP to Carowinds per camp stay.

### CAMPER / FAMILY INFORMATION:

Payment Method:     Credit Card     Check

Returning Camper:     Yes     No

Camper's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Called \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Male  Female                       Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age June '09 \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Completed June '09 \_\_\_\_\_ School Attended '08-'09 \_\_\_\_\_

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ T-shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_ '08 Highlander Cabin Number \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Are parents separated/divorced?     Yes     No    If divorced, who has custody of child? \_\_\_\_\_

Camp Correspondence to:     Mom     Dad     Both

Tuition to be paid by: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE - How did you hear about Camp Highlander? \_\_\_\_\_

How many years has your child attended Camp Highlander? \_\_\_\_\_

Note special medical needs (including orthodontic attention, allergies, bedwetting, etc) \_\_\_\_\_

One of the learning experiences and benefits of summer camp is meeting new friends. Camp Highlander encourages campers to attend without concern for cabin placement, but will attempt to honor **ONE** mutual cabin request of same age and grade.

My child requests to be with: \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Session \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICE USE ONLY: Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Entered \_\_\_\_\_ Medical Form \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Paid \_\_\_\_\_



## ABOUT YOUR CAMPER

1. What are his or her hobbies or talents? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Child's appreciation of the outdoors and nature: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Does your child make friends easily? \_\_\_\_\_
4. My camper's cooperation and listening skills are: \_\_\_\_\_
5. My camper is (please circle all that apply): Self-reliant    Self-conscious    Shy    Active    Timid  
Aggressive    Selfish    Dependent    Show-off    Cooperative    Teasing    Athletic    Creative
6. My child's physical challenges to be considered are: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Does the child want to attend camp?     Yes     No    If no, please explain \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. What is the camper looking forward to most in his/her camping experience? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
9. How may we best contribute to your child's development? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Additional comments \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## PARENT CAMPER AGREEMENT

Camp Highlander is hereby granted permission to use any individual or group photographs taken at camp showing my child in camp activities for publicity and brochure purposes.

I understand that no medical treatment can be performed on my child without the required Camp Highlander Medical Form on file. In the event of an emergency, I will be notified. However, if I cannot be reached, I hereby give my permission to the physician selected by Camp Highlander to hospitalize, secure treatment, order injection, anesthesia, and surgery for my child as named above.

I understand that there are a number of inherent risks involved in summer camp activities. I, my spouse and child agree to assume those risks and we each release and hold Camp Highlander, their officers, directors, employees, volunteers and agents harmless from, and waive any claim against the Camp as to, any injury that may occur to my child while attending Camp Highlander.

Camp Highlander directors reserve the right to place each camper in the cabin we feel is best. While careful consideration is given to requests, the final decision rests with the directors. I agree to support the final decision of the directors in their cabin placement of my child.

Enclosed is a check or credit card number for a \$500.00 deposit (of which \$250.00 is non-refundable) that will be deducted from camp tuition. I agree to pay the remaining balance in full by April 1, 2009. All applicants after April 1, 2009, agree to pay tuition in full upon application. All camp fees are refundable except \$250.00 of the deposit before April 1, 2009, and cancellations MUST be in writing to the camp office before April 1, 2009. If I cancel after April 1, 2009, I understand that all camp tuition, minus the \$250.00, will be credited toward the summer of 2010 tuition for my child. I understand there will be NO REFUND for late arrival, early departure or disciplinary dismissal of my child from camp. **MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: CAMP HIGHLANDER**

### AUTHORIZATION *(both parents' signatures required below)*

Parent/Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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# Important Information for Parents

PLEASE KEEP THIS SHEET FOR YOUR RECORDS.

## SESSION DATES AND RATES - 2009

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- A sibling credit of \$150 per camper is given to the second, third and fourth child from the same family.

## TUITION PAYMENT SCHEDULE AND REGISTRATION

A deposit of \$500 is due with the application, and all remaining camp fees are due on April 1, 2009. Applications must be filled out completely and mailed with the deposit. Camp Highlander reserves the right to refuse acceptance of any applicant who in our judgment will neither benefit from nor contribute to the camp experience.

## WAITING LIST POLICY

Applications are accepted on a first come, first served basis. If we receive your application after we have reached capacity, you will be notified and your child's name will be placed on a waiting list. If a space does not become available, your deposit will be refunded.

## CANCELLATION POLICY

If a cancellation is necessary, payments, less a \$250 administrative fee, are refundable if **written notice** is received prior to April 1. No refund will be made for cancellations after April 1. Any cancellation after April 1 will provide credit towards the following summer tuition for your camper. There is NO refund for late arrival, early departure or disciplinary dismissal from camp.

## MEDICAL MATTERS

At least two registered nurses are on duty on camp premises 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Their services are rendered free of charge in our camp health hut. A doctor is always available 4 miles away, and a modern, complete hospital is located in Hendersonville 15 miles away Margaret Pardee Hospital.

Should a camper require outside medical services including doctor, hospital services, orthodontist, and medicine due to illness, all bills will be paid by your credit card or billed to you.

**Every camper must have a current, completed Medical Form, Physician's Exam, Immunization Record and Insurance Card on file in the Health Hut 30 days prior to the start of the session.**

## CABIN PLACEMENT

One of the benefits of a camp experience involves meeting and making new friends from different places, Camp Highlander encourages campers to attend without concern for hometown friends. We will carefully consider ONE mutual request for campers of similar age and grade.



### CAMPER ACCOUNTS

We suggest a weekly allowance of \$25.00 per camper for camp store items, off-camp trips and spending money. A ledger sheet will be kept detailing your child's expenses and any unused balance will be mailed to you at the end of camp. The Camp Highlander Trading Post will be open on opening and closing days at camp.

### MAIL AND PHONE

Mail should be sent to 42 Dalton Road, Mills River, NC 28759. It is helpful to include your camper's cabin number on the envelope. We encourage you to email your camper through the CampMinder page on our website with your login and password. Emails are printed daily for your camper.

You can call the camp office anytime during camp, and we will assist you in any way possible. During the summer, our office is open from 9:00 am to 8:00 pm. If you receive an answering machine, please leave a message and someone will call you back as soon as possible.

We are here to talk to you and will work with you to insure that your child has a positive and successful experience at camp. **We do not allow phone calls to campers, nor are campers allowed to call home to parents.** We have found that parental phone calls interfere with the camper's adjustment to camp life and their daily schedule.

### VISITATION

Attending camp provides a unique opportunity for campers to gain independence and self-reliance. Therefore, we discourage visitation from parents and family members. However, if you wish to visit your child, visitation may occur on Sundays at camp. Campers can leave with their parents ONLY. Campers will not be allowed to leave with friends or their parents friends.

### NO PACKAGE POLICY

In the interest of our environment and controlling waste, Camp Highlander has a no package policy. **Any packages received will be returned to the sender.** Please inform family and friends and remind them not to send packages. If your child forgets to pack an important item, you may send it after you have notified the office of the need. The package will be opened and delivered to your camper.

### LUGGAGE

Luggage may be shipped UPS or FedEx which delivers directly to camp. Please send luggage a week to ten days prior to your child's arrival so that it will be at camp on time. At the end of the session, the luggage will be shipped back to you, and we will invoice you for the shipping charges. You may also choose to use the luggage service provided by Camp Highlander from Boca Raton. Contact the camp office with any questions.

### LAUNDRY AND LINENS

Laundry is done once a week for our campers and is included in the camp fees. We ask that our campers bring two sets of twin sheets, as our laundry will go out on Thursday and not return until Friday. We will supply a Camp Highlander blanket to be used while at camp. We do recommend that you send old clothes to camp with your child. We have no control over the laundry service, so we ask that you label all items to ensure their return to your camper from our lost and found.

### WHAT TO BRING AND NOT TO BRING

A packing list will be included in the Pre-Camp Kit that is sent to you in March, or it may be found on the Camp Highlander website at [www.camphighlander.com](http://www.camphighlander.com) under the forms section.

Campers should NOT bring any food, candy, lighters, water guns, balloons, skateboards, televisions, video games, cell phones, video cameras or similar electronic devices. An MP3 player or walkman that is only capable of playing music may be used during rest hour. Knives, guns, weapons, alcohol, tobacco products, drugs or drug paraphernalia are grounds for dismissal from camp.