



# LAND O' LINCOLN Camp Cedarbrook

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Dear Parents,

In general our camp holds a positive view of social networking sites (e.g. Facebook), personal websites and blogs and respects the right of campers to use them as a medium of self-expression. However, we are also aware of various dangers associated with young people's use of social networking websites, ranging from cyberbullying to online sexual solicitation.

Since we are committed to the health and safety of all members of our camping community, we have crafted some policies regarding communication during and following camp. We hope that you will discuss these with your children and encourage them to share with you their knowledge of postings that are not in line with these policies.

In regard to the "no cell phone" policy: We agree to contact you and tell you if your child is experiencing a challenge in his/her adjustment to camp. You are also welcome to contact the Camp Director to check in on your camper's adjustment. We do encourage the campers to write home.

In regard to Camper-Staff Communication after Camp: Please talk with your camper before camp, so that your child knows your wishes concerning communication via the Internet after camp.

We trust that you understand our reasons for creating these policies and will support our efforts to protect our campers and families.

Sincerely,

Land o' Lincoln Camp Cedarbrook Board of Directors