

**MISSOULA OUTDOOR LEARNING ADVENTURES**  
**2010 Participant Information & Registration**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Parent \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

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Email \_\_\_\_\_ Do you check it regularly? \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

If new, how did you find out about MOLA? \_\_\_\_\_

In case of emergency and above persons cannot be reached, please provide two additional local contacts:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Physician and/or Clinic \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any other persons authorized to pick up &/or transport your child:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Is your child authorized to leave camp on his/her own at the end of the day? \_\_\_\_\_

Considering the nature of MOLA activities, please describe any physical, medical, or behavioral conditions or restrictions:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Each week, participants are divided into peer groups according to age and ability.  
We will try to accommodate special requests regarding age, friends, siblings, etc.**

**Please indicate any preferences:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please circle those weeks for which you would like to reserve a spot:**

Jun.7 / Jun.14 / Jun.21 / Jun.28 / Jul.5 / Jul.12 / Jul.19 / Jul.26 / Aug.2 / Aug.9 / Aug.16 / Aug.23

**Adventure Travel Trip**      July 19<sup>th</sup> - July 23<sup>rd</sup>      Northwest Montana and Glacier Park

**MOLA Payment Policy:** Deposit of \$50/week required within 3 days of confirmed reservation to guarantee spot and implies agreement to pay full amount of \$145/week. Balance of \$95/week for each weekly session due at start of week, after which space may be forfeited without refund. Full payment expected with less than 10 days notice for cancellation, reschedule, failure to attend with or without notice, or any other reason. If substitute can be found, refund may be provided, at MOLA's discretion, less \$25 fee.

PLEASE MAKE A COPY OF THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS!

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**Acknowledgment, Waiver of Liability, Authorization, and Agreement**

NOTICE: This is a legally binding agreement. By signing this agreement you waive your right to bring court action to recover compensation or to obtain any other remedy for injury to your child or yourself or your property or for death to your child or yourself, however caused, arising out of participation in programs that Missoula Outdoor Learning Adventures (hereinafter referred to as MOLA) offers or is associated with in any way, now or at any time in the future.

I acknowledge that by participating in MOLA, my child and/or I will be exposed to significant and inherent risks and hazards associated with activities including, but not limited to, hiking, biking, climbing, bouldering, running, rafting, canoeing, swimming, wading, foraging, exploring, playing, cooking, camping, fishing, soaking in hot springs, jumping into water, swinging on ropes, climbing trees, and various games. I recognize that known and inherent risks, including travel to and from activity sites, weather, fire, wild and domestic animals, as well as unknown or unanticipated risks, are associated with these and other MOLA activities and could result in serious physical or emotional injury, paralysis, death, drowning, or damage to my child and/or myself and/or our property. I understand that it is not possible for MOLA to maintain direct visual contact with all participants at all times. I understand that it is not possible for MOLA to prevent adults, including other parents, and children from acting inappropriately while in our programs. I am fully aware of the nature and extent of the risks associated with these activities and conditions, or if not, I assume responsibility for educating myself about these risks, which I know I can do by simply asking MOLA. I understand that such risks cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the activities of MOLA.

In consideration of my child's and/or my own participation in MOLA, I, the undersigned parent/guardian of the participant, on behalf of myself, my spouse, my children, my relatives, my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and estate, do hereby release MOLA, its owner, agents, sponsors, officers, employees, subcontractors, interns, and volunteers from any action, claim, or demands of any nature whatsoever, including, but not limited to a claim of negligence, now or at any time in the future, on account of personal injury, property damage, death, or accident of any kind, arising out of or in any way related to my child's and/or my own participation in MOLA.

During the course of MOLA activities and classes, including travel, I authorize MOLA to take whatever actions may be necessary and/or appropriate under the circumstances of accident, injury, or sickness to protect the health and safety of my child and/or my self and/or other participants, including placement into the care of a trained medical professional or transportation and admission into a medical treatment facility.

I certify that I have insurance to cover injury or any damage caused or suffered by my child and/or myself and/or our property resulting from participation in MOLA activities, or else I agree to bear the costs of such injury and/or damage myself. I further certify that my child and/or myself have no medical, physical, or behavioral conditions which could interfere with our participation in MOLA, or else I am willing to assume and bear the costs of all risks that may be created, directly or indirectly, by any such conditions. I understand that I am financially responsible for any medical treatment and/or emergency evacuation resulting from participation in MOLA activities.

I understand that participants are expected to come every day with a positive attitude, willing to try and ready to help, and are expected to behave appropriately and respectfully at all times. In the event of behavioral problems, I recognize that MOLA staff may ask for parental involvement, and MOLA reserves the right to ask participants to take time off camp or to leave altogether, without refund, at any time. I understand that MOLA staff take pictures which may be used in promotions, advertising, or media coverage.

I have had sufficient opportunity to read this entire document. I understand it and agree to be bound by its terms.

Participant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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## Summer Camp Information Guide for Parents

**SCHEDULE:** Camp runs from 9am to 5pm, Monday through Friday, with a camp-out on Thursday nights. We meet each morning (except Friday) at the central location of Kiwanis Park, then board our vans and head out for the day. Fridays we depart directly from our campsite and return to Kiwanis by 4:30pm. Drop off is 8:30am - 9:00am and pickup is 4:30pm - 5:15pm each day. MOLA staff will be there during this time with games and activities. Older campers are welcome to arrive and depart from camp on their own, with parental approval. **Rarely our groups may return as late as 5pm or after, so please allow yourself a time buffer between other appointments.**

**CHECK-IN:** On Monday morning at check-in, please be sure to take an itinerary for the week, as your child will be participating in a different outdoor activity each day! Also, please learn the names of your child's camp leaders. Every morning and afternoon, please check-in when dropping off or picking up.

**GEAR-LIST:** Campers need to come well prepared, since we are outside all day unless severe weather does not permit. In the morning, campers should eat a hearty breakfast, dress appropriately for the day's weather, and apply sunscreen. Insect repellent is generally not necessary, and our staff will apply it when needed. To be prepared for each day of the week in general, campers should have the following items. **Please put names on everything!**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sturdy outdoor shoes  | <input type="checkbox"/> Hearty lunch | <input type="checkbox"/> Swimsuit & towel   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extra clothing layers | <input type="checkbox"/> Extra snacks | <input type="checkbox"/> Water shoes        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Raincoat or poncho    | <input type="checkbox"/> Water        | <input type="checkbox"/> Positive Attitude! |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hat and shades        | <input type="checkbox"/> Backpack     |   |

On **Bike days**, campers will need to bring their bikes and a bike helmet. Whatever bike he/she is most comfortable with should work fine. However, **please make sure bikes are tuned-up and ready to go beforehand!** Check the brakes, shifting, handlebars, tire pressure, etc.

**Campers should bring swimsuit, towel, and watershoes everyday!** On **Raft days**, campers should be prepared to spend the day on/in the water. On warm days, we'll likely go swimming after the main activity. On cold days, we'll likely go to a hot springs.

On **Thursdays**, campers should come prepared to spend the night camping out. Each camper will be assigned a food item to bring for the cookout. Before Thursday, be sure to take a camp-out slip with directions to the campsite, and please sign up to bring a food-item to help feed the kids. Parents are invited to join us for the cookout and campout. If you have doubts about your child camping out, please make plans to stay with us or to take them home for the evening. Let us know if you have a tent and we'll coordinate amongst campers to make sure we have enough space. Our policy requires permission for campers to sleep in a tent with a non-parent adult, or with a child of the opposite gender.

**MEETING PLACE:** Our rendezvous spot is **Kiwanis Park**, which is next to the Clark Fork River, just below Front St. and the public library. **PLEASE ACCESS THE PARK FROM THE WEST SIDE VIA CLAY STREET AT ALL TIMES.** To get there, follow Front Street heading East from Higgins and turn right onto Clay just past the Trailhead Store and just before the First Interstate Bank drive-thru. Go one block and turn left, then look for us at the picnic shelter near the baseball field. There is plenty of parking, but it can be congested at times, so please be courteous of area residents and do not block any streets, drives, driveways, garages, parking spaces, etc.

**RESERVATIONS AND PAYMENT:** Reservations can be made by phone or email on a first-come, first-served basis. **Registration forms and \$50 deposit per week due within three days of confirmed reservation by phone or email. Remaining balance for each weekly session due on the first day of that session,** after which space may be forfeited. Full payment expected with less than 10 days notice for cancellation, reschedule, failure to attend with or without notice, or any other reason. If substitute can be found, refund may be provided, at MOLA's discretion, less \$25 fee.