



As we move closer to Camp Spirit 2024, I want to let you know that we are doing everything possible to keep all the campers and staff safe during our time together. Below are the steps that we are putting in place for the upcoming Camp Spirit to address Covid 19.

1. Campers and Staff are strongly encouraged to remain up to date with covid19 vaccinations in accordance with the Centers for Disease Control. <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/stay-up-to-date.html>. Campers and Staff will be asked to submit their covid-19 vaccine documentation, but will not be required to submit exemption requests if they choose not to be vaccinated.
2. It is highly recommended that you get your annual influenza vaccine prior to camp.
3. A negative COVID test is required 24 hours PRIOR to traveling to camp. This can be a PCR or a rapid at home test.
4. We will provide and require COVID testing for any individuals with questionable symptoms.
5. Masks will not be required while in the cabin and in cars because we will be our own cohort. When we are in close contact with other people outside our cohort, we will follow the current masking recommendations of the county and the facility. We will have KN95 and N95 masks if needed.
6. Routine guidelines will be followed regarding personal protective equipment precautions during dressing changes and baths.
7. We will provide room purifiers, and keep them running in all the cabin rooms. Humidifiers will be available in the bedrooms.
8. We do not have the ability to adequately quarantine people in our cabin. If the need arises, we will rent a separate room at the YMCA if possible as a temporary solution. This would take a staff member away from camp to be with the isolated camper. If a staff member or camper tests positive for COVID, they will ultimately need to be sent home. Campers, families and staff should plan ahead for this possibility.
9. We will make adaptations as necessary, to keep campers and staff as safe as possible.

These guidelines are in place so that we can maintain a safe camp for everyone. I am looking forward to seeing the campers and staff at Camp Spirit Colorado 2024.

Respectfully yours,

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