

2020 IOLBC BOJI FAMILY GETAWAY

This is an all new program this year so we know you have some questions. We hope they can be found and quickly answered here. If they aren't, please call us at 712-337-3306 and we will be happy to find an answer for you!

What housing will be available?

Our English village cabins as well as our lodge style housing option at our Okoboji site will all be available for this program. You can view photos of housing options and read descriptions at www.okoboji.org/okoboji.

Can I extend my stay at camp before or after Monday-Thursday?

Yes. Please call us at 712-337-3306 to discuss availability of housing.

This looks great! Can I invite a family to join us?

Of course! If they would require an additional room or cabin, please have them contact the camp to reserve their housing today! If they are staying in your room or cabin with you, please add them to your registration form as part of your family.

How many families are you allowing?

We are planning to allow a maximum of 20 families to participate per week unless guidelines permit or dictate otherwise.

Why do we need to sign up for certain staffed rec activities in advance?

We want to do our very best to offer all families the opportunity to participate in the activities of their choice while also respecting the space for each family.

Why is beach front time a scheduled rec option?

We want to ensure your safety and plan to schedule lifeguards during these times. Depending on the number of guests at camp, we may need to limit any potential for overcrowding in that area.

What will IOLBC expect from families coming?

There will be some unique expectations of our campers this summer due to COVID-19. We ask for your patience and understanding as we strive to offer a safe getaway for all of our campers this summer.

- General Considerations

- If you are at high risk for contracting COVID-19, we will encourage you to stay home this summer. We love you and want to see you at camp for many more summers in the future.
- If you, or a family member living in your home, has been sick or shown symptoms consistent with COVID-19 in the 14 days prior to your arrival to camp, please do not come to camp.

- Prior to Arrival

- Please monitor the daily temperature of all family members for 14 days prior to your arrival at camp.
- Please monitor all family members for any flu-like symptoms for 14 days prior to your arrival at camp.

- Please take steps as a family to limit your potential exposure to COVID-19 for 14 days prior to your arrival to camp.
- **At Camp**
 - Honoring social distancing guidelines in regards to other families and camp staff in public spaces such as the game room, the beach front, the campfire ring, and dining hall.
 - Use of a facemask for all school aged children and adult campers when social distancing is not possible.
 - If you, or any family member staying in your housing with you, becomes sick while at camp, we will ask your family to immediately self-quarantine and make plans to depart for home as soon as possible.
 - Frequent hand washing and use of hand sanitizer, especially at meal times.

Why isn't there going to be chapel?

We are striving to plan with what we anticipate the ongoing restrictions will be for large group gatherings and guidelines for social distancing.

Will we have campfires?

Weather permitting, we plan to offer outdoor campfire experiences on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. We ask you to follow distancing recommendations during these times. Please plan to be flexible depending on guidelines from our local health officials.

Will we get a counselor for our family?

We know that is a highlight for many families who come to our traditional family camp programs, but we will not be assigning a counselor to any of the families this year. At this time we do not plan to hire any summer camp counselors.

What will mealtimes look like?

Our rearranged dining hall and outdoor seating allows for distancing guidelines, and the meals will all be served cafeteria style. Take-out meals will be available for those who wish.

What will the schedule look like?

Other than when meals will be offered and when you are scheduled for rec activities, the schedule will be yours to decide.