

Family Adventure Camp

Reference Sheet

WSR Week 8: August 04 - 10, 2019

Staff will open all regular Camp Program Areas and begin activities on the hour (9am, 10am, 11am, etc.). You are welcome to stay for as long as you would like at each activity. Appropriate ages, any costs or registration requirements are identified at the end of each activity/event description below. Any events requiring reservations can be done online before camp starts.

Shooting Sports Ranges

Archery - Learn to shoot a bow for the first time at 9:00am or enjoy recreational target shooting during Open Shoot. Ages 6+; FREE.

Rifle - Learn to shoot a rifle for the first time at 9:00am or enjoy recreational target shooting during Open Shoot. Ages 11+; \$0.50 per target (5 rounds) - purchase tickets at Trading Post.

Shotgun - Learn to shoot a shotgun for the first time at 9:00am or enjoy recreational target shooting during Open Shoot. Ages 11+ \$0.50 per target (1 clays) - purchase tickets at Trading Post. A slingshot range will be open at the shotgun range from 9:00am-11:00am and 3:00pm-4:00pm.

Special Event

O'Riley's - Our premier Shooting Program is a Black Powder shoot and Tomahawk throw, featuring a quality old-fashioned western-style grilled meal afterward. *at 11:45am-2:00pm and 4:45pm-7:00pm Daily, Reservations Required Pre-Arrival.* Ages 11+; \$25 per session.

Rock-Climbing Ledge

Open Climb - In the Climbing area, staff members will show you how to get geared up and safely challenge you to climb as high up our natural rock wall face as possible! If not up then repel down for a beautiful canyon view. Ages 7+; FREE.

Rising W Horse Corral

Guided Trail Rides - Starting from the Corral, ride a bit of trail. *Monday and Thursday, Signup is on-site* Ages 11+ w/long pants and closed-toe shoes; \$40

Open Meadow and Field Games

Gaga ball - A fun family friendly arena game led by our wonderful Wentle staff.

Field games - A variety of energetic field games led by staff for all ages.

Waterfront

Learning Classes - These are special classes for beginners, guided by an Aquatics Instructor. Ages 11+; FREE

Boating and Swimming activities - Staff will setup participants with equipment to take out on the lake for specific boating activities. Learn intermediate techniques, you are welcome to enjoy your favorite aquatics activity at these times. Ages 10+ or accompanied by an adult; FREE

Open Swim - Enjoy Swimming or resting at the lake by our designated swimming area. All ages; FREE

Open Boat - Enjoy taking our boats out to take full advantage of Lake Wentle. Ages 10+ or accompanied by an adult; FREE

Special Event

Woolly Wash - are you up to the challenge of an early morning chilly swim? See you at 6:30am down at the waterfront! Ages 11+; FREE

Nature

Bird Study - Learn what birds are local to Northern California, and go on a search to find some. All ages; FREE

Nature Walk - Our staff have two different nature walks planned during the day, each will offer an opportunity to learn about trees, berries, poison oak, birds, fish, and lizards. We will search for evidence of animals, may even see some friendly critters. All ages; FREE

Nature Hike - The nature hike will take you to a few beautiful parts of Wentle Scout Reservation where you can learn about plants, and search for evidence of animals, this is an intermediate hike. Ages 8+; FREE

Fly Fishing - Learn Fly fishing techniques from experts at Chapel Point and take advantage of the camps fly fishing equipment. Ages 11+; FREE

Bottle Rockets - Launch bottle rocket to see who can get the highest into the air. Ages 6+; FREE

Fishing - Enjoy fishing with our staff members, we have fishing rods if you would like to borrow one during the fishing timeslot. Ages 6+; FREE

Reptile and Amphibian - Learn about Reptiles and Amphibians. Ages 6+; FREE

Insect Study - Learn about Insects. Ages 6+; FREE

Special Events

Kali-Ama Orienteering Challenge. Ages 11+; FREE (request map & stamp from Trading Post)

Handi-Craft Lodge

Guarantee a handicraft slot by signing up online or drop by to find an activity that interests you!

Art - Use your talent to make something with our extensive art supplies, or with the guidance of our creative staff, that you can bring home. Several choices available, all ages; \$5

Basketmaking - Learn to make a small basket to finish at Handicraft or back at your campsite. Ages 9+; \$7-\$15 per kit

Leather Craft - Learn to make something from leather with guidance from one of our staff. Several choices available, ages 9+; \$5-\$20 per kit

Pottery - Make a small coil pot or stay for awhile and learn to throw on our wheel. All Ages; \$5

Woodcarving - Learn woodcarving skills and make a project with guidance from one of our staff. You can try out a personal knife or use our woodcarving tools. Several choices available, ages 9+; \$5-\$15 per kit

Photography - Take beautiful landscape photos of camp or get your perfect selfie with the help of our photography staff member who can show you tricks and suggest perfect spots. We will email any digital photos you take during this session. All ages; FREE

Moviemaking - Make a movie as a family, a friend group, or with a staff member to take home and share. All ages; FREE

Make a Boardgame - Develop a boardgame specific to your family that you can bring home to play with the help with one of our staff game makers. All ages; \$5

Chess/Checkers - Learn to play, play with your family, meet a new buddy or a friendly staff member. All ages; FREE

Scoutcraft Meadow

Knots-Pioneering - Learn to tie knots for a variety of occasions, or build pioneering structures with lashings or help us build our Scoutcraft castle! Ages 7+; FREE

Pocketknife Safety - Teach your children and or learn from a staff member proper uses and safety tips for your pocketknife. Ages 8+; FREE

Woods tool Safety - Teach your youngster and or learn from a staff member proper uses and safety tips for bow saw, hand axe and hatchet. Ages 12+; FREE

Wilderness Survival Skills - Build a fort, cook and hunker down like a true survivor, learn other tips and tricks from staff who love to sleep under the stars. All ages; FREE

Orienteering - Follow a compass course to a cool location with friends, family, or guided by a staff member. All ages; FREE

Campfire class - Help us build and enjoy a cozy campfire, share stories and memories. All ages; FREE

Special Events

Outdoor Cooking Techniques- Make and share a meal in a more rustic setting, learn and share cooking tricks with staff. *Reservations Required* All ages; FREE

The Lodge Spa @ Wente

Massage - Feeling like de-stressing on your Adventurous vacation? Professional massages offered by local licensed vendors brought in to take care of your needs for 20min sessions. *Reservations Required Pre-Arrival* Ages 13+; \$35

Manicure or Pedicure - Get pampered at the Spa with a friend, family member, or sneak off for some alone time with a professional Manicure or Pedicure.

Reservations Required Pre-Arrival Ages 5+; \$20 each or \$35 for both

Cheese and Crackers Reception - Relax on the front porch of the Lodge overlooking the Rising W Corral with scenic sunset views of the Willits Valley while you enjoy local Mendocino-grown crackers and an assortment of specialty cheeses and charcuterie.

Special Event 7:15-8:15pm Monday, Wednesday & Thursday. Reservations Required Pre-Arrival Ages 18+; \$20 per person

Evening Festivities

Opening Campfire - 7:30-8:30pm Sunday evening at the amphitheater. All Ages; FREE

Movie Night - Unwind with a family movie night with popcorn, or drop off your children here with our Staff before heading out to the wine & cheese reception at the Lodge (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday only). Ages 5+; FREE

Ice Cream Social - 7:30pm-8:30pm Tuesday evening at the Dining Hall. All Ages; FREE

Closing Campfire - 7:30-8:30pm Friday evening at the amphitheater. All Ages; FREE

Chess/checkers/cribbage Tournaments - ???

Astronomy Outpost - A star party in the evenings, weather-permitting. All ages; FREE

Out-of-Camp Tours

Historical Willits - tour the Mendocino County Historical Museum exhibits and Roots of Motive Power train engine house, see the old Train Depot and world-famous Skunk Train near the Rodeo Grounds and Recreation Grove Park, go for a walk in the Ohl Redwood Grove and along the Haehl Creek path, or visit the KOA petting zoo. Offered Wednesday afternoon with docent immediately following lunch, *Special Event offered Wednesday afternoon with museum docents, departing immediately following lunch and returning before dinner. Reservations Required Pre-Arrival.* All ages; \$10 per person.

North Coast Highlights - an all-day excursion you drive along winding Highway 20 from Willits to Fort Bragg, and return to camp for dinner. Tour the fantastic Mendocino Coast Botanical Gardens, scenic Noyo harbor fishing village, the Skunk Train Fort Bragg Depot, International Seaglass Museum, Pudding Creek Beach and Railway Trestle, Glass Beach and the Noyo Headlands Park & Coastal Trail. *Special Event offered Tuesday with tour guide, departing immediately following breakfast and returning just before dinner. Reservations Required Pre-Arrival.* All ages; \$45 per person includes a restaurant lunch by the sea and afternoon ice cream.

Mendocino Wine Country - a wonderful jaunt to nearby Redwood Valley and pastoral Calpella. Stop at Ridgewood Ranch, the retirement home of racehorse Seabiscuit on the way to three wineries for vineyard tours and tasting just 20 miles south of camp! *Special Event offered Thursday with your wine guide, departing mid-morning and returning just before dinner. Reservations Required Pre-Arrival.* Ages 21+; \$45 per person includes a relaxing country picnic lunch among the vines and winery discounts!