

Greetings from Carolina Tiger Rescue!



For the second year in a row, we are offering High School Camp at Carolina Tiger Rescue! This year is a little different in we are offering 2 options for the High School Summer Camp. You can sign your camper up for a 3 day camp (Monday-Wednesday) or the 5 day Camp (Monday-Friday). The Camps will be during the same week but we are offering 2 extra days to those who want a longer camp experience. Please be sure to indicate on your registration page which you are signing up for. The cost of the 3 day camp is \$150 and the cost of the whole week is \$300. Before and aftercare is available for either option. We must have at least 5 campers signed up for both options in order to run the camps.

In this packet, you will find the information you need for registration, including the Carolina Tiger Rescue *High School Summer Camp Information Sheet*, Carolina Tiger Rescue *High School Summer Camp Registration Form*, Carolina Tiger Rescue *Visitor and Volunteer Release (Minor Child)*, and Carolina Tiger Rescue *High School Summer Camp Medical Form*.

In order to help you through the process, there is a *Checklist* below to complete and mail back with your registration packet. Please complete and sign the *Checklist* below, and mail the *Checklist*, Carolina Tiger Rescue *Summer Camp Registration Form*, Carolina Tiger Rescue *Summer Camp Medical Form*, Carolina Tiger Rescue *Visitor and Volunteer Release (Minor Child)* to:

Katie Cannon, Education Director
Carolina Tiger Rescue
1940 Hanks Chapel Rd
Pittsboro, NC 27312
katiecannon@carolinatigerrescue.org
(f)919.542.4454

We're excited to have your Camper(s) join us at Carolina Tiger Rescue, and we look forward to seeing you soon!

Katie Cannon
Education Director

Checklist

I have thoroughly read, understood, and completed the following documents:

- _____ Carolina Tiger Rescue Summer Camp Information Sheet
- _____ Carolina Tiger Rescue Summer Camp Medical Form
- _____ Carolina Tiger Rescue Summer Camp Registration Form
- _____ Carolina Tiger Rescue Visitor and Volunteer Release (Minor Child) form

I understand that registration is not complete until forms and payment have been received by Carolina Tiger Rescue. I understand that I must complete *individual **Carolina Tiger Rescue High School Summer Camp Medical Forms*** for each Camper I register. Multiple Campers with the same parent/legal guardian may be included on the same Big Cat Safari Summer Camp Registration Form, Minor Release form, and Check List only.

Parent/Legal Guardian Name _____ Date _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature _____

Camper Name(s) _____

Carolina Tiger Rescue High School Summer Camp Information Sheet

Camp Hours

Camp hours are 9:00-4:00 each day. Please do not arrive for camp earlier than Optional Before Care is available for \$15 for the 3 day camp and \$25 a week for the 5 day camp beginning at 8 each day. Optional Aftercare is available for \$15 for the 3 week camp and \$35 a week for the 5 day camp and ends at 5pm.

If an emergency occurs preventing you from being able to pick up your child at the appropriate time, please call the mainline at 919.542.4684.

Cancellation

If there are less than five (5) campers enrolled in a camp session 2 weeks prior, it may be subject to cancellation. If camp is canceled by Carolina Tiger Rescue, you will be given full reimbursement for camp fees.

Carolina Tiger Rescue can only issue refunds for camp if a cancellation is received at least four (4) weeks prior to your camp session. A processing fee of \$30 will be required for a cancellation. If a family emergency or illness occurs, please contact Katie Cannon, Education Director at 919.542.2684 ext. 3006 as soon as possible, and we will do our best to issue a refund.

Cell Phone Policy

Please help your camper(s) to understand that cell phone use will be limited during Camp, and should only be used to take pictures. It is strongly preferred you provide a camera for your camper to take pictures rather than a cell phone if possible. Please do not call your camper during camp hours. If there is an emergency and/or you need to pick up your camper early for an unpredicted reason, you may call the office mainline at 919.542.4684, and your camper will be promptly reached.

Payment for Camp

The tuition cost for Carolina Tiger Rescue Summer Camp is \$150 for the 3 day camp and \$300 for the 5 day camp. In order to submit tuition payment for camp, you may pay via mailing in a Check or to pay by Credit Card you may call Katie Cannon at 919-542-4684 ext: 3006 to pay over phone. If mailing in your registration and payment, please put it to the attention of Katie Cannon.

To pay via Check: You may also mail a check addressed to **Carolina Tiger Rescue** for \$150 for the 3 day camp and \$300 for the 5 day camp with **"Camp" followed by the Camper's First and Last Name written in the memo line** with the completed forms for your camper.

Definition of Legal Guardian

All forms and documents must be signed by the Parent or Legal Guardian of the Camper(s). A Legal Guardian is defined only as the court appointed Legal Guardian of the Camper. A non-court appointed guardian or relative (i.e. Grandparent, Aunt, Uncle, etc) may not sign documents or forms.

Safety and Supervision

We anticipate that your camper will have an enjoyable experience during Summer Camp at Carolina Tiger Rescue. In order for this to happen, we must ensure that all participants and animals are kept in as safe of circumstances as possible. Campers will never under any circumstances be left unsupervised by trained Camp Staff and Volunteers, and we will do our best to maintain a Staff/Volunteer to Camper ratio of 1:8.

Safety of our Animals, Staff, Volunteers, and Camp Participants is of absolute importance and necessity. For this reason, we will expect and ensure that all Camp Staff, Volunteers, and Participants fully abide by our rules and facility safety standards at all times, which include, but are not limited to: absolutely no contact with sanctuary animals; no harassment, disturbance, or mistreatment of any of our sanctuary animals; no entrance into enclosures where an animal is present; and maintenance of a safe distance of 3 feet from all enclosures in which an animal is present. Camp participants must also come prepared for a team environment, in which there will be no tolerance for bullying, teasing, harassment, or otherwise emotionally or physically harmful behavior to other Campers, Staff, or Volunteers. Additional rules for behavior and standards of safety will be discussed with campers upon their arrival to their first day of Camp.

We will do our best to fully inform Campers of rules and expectations, and intervene as needed to create a safe and positive experience for campers. In certain circumstances due to the nature of our facility and camp experience, should blatant refusal to comply with rules occur, we may ask Campers to be removed from Camp early or permanently upon the discernment of the Education Director. This is especially true in situations involving endangerment of an animal, another Camp Participant, Volunteer, or Staff Member. Reimbursement for camp will not occur due to a Camper's refusal to comply with rules resulting in dismissal from camp.

What to Bring (and not bring) to Camp

Your camper needs to come prepared for spending the entire camp session outside, rain or shine.

Please have your camper bring the following items with them each day to camp, each labeled with their name

A Bag Lunch (Lunches will stay unrefrigerated, so please pack perishables appropriately)

Refillable water bottle

A container of **Sunscreen /Sunblock**

A container of **Bug Spray/Insect Repellent**

Rain Coat, preferably rain pants as well

Closed Toed Shoes (i.e. hiking boots or shoes, tennis shoes, running shoes, sneakers, etc)

Appropriate Clothing for the Outdoors (clothing is cool and comfortable, limits sun exposure, and is appropriate for jumping, reaching, walking, squatting, bending, climbing, etc., without becoming revealing.)

A spare **Change of Clothes** (in the event of rain, a messy activity, or getting sprayed by a Tiger!)

Optional/Other considerations

Hair ties for long hair

Camera

Hat

Sunglasses

Small backpack to carry belongings when in the sanctuary

We want all Campers and resident animals to have the best experience possible during Day Camp. Therefore, we ask that you will help your Camper be aware of and follow these rules on what not to bring to camp.

Please do not have your camper attend camp with any of the following:

Hand held video games, iPods, iPads, tablets, or other electronic devices. If there is something a camper would like to share with the group via an electronic device, contact Katie Cannon. We want to encourage as much group interaction and as much engagement in wildlife and nature as possible, so we would like to limit distractions. Unless specially permitted, please leave all electronic devices at home.

Flip flops, or other open toed shoes. Please only have campers wear closed toed shoes that are comfortable, supportive, and sufficient for walking, jumping, etc, such as hiking shoes or boots, sneakers, jogging shoes, etc.

Tight, short, see-through, or otherwise immodest clothing. No skirts, strapless shirts, exposed undergarments, short shorts, or low necklines. Clothing should be comfortable, cool, limit sun exposure, and appropriate for outdoor activities without becoming revealing or inappropriate.

Expensive Clothing or Accessories.

Weapons or anything that looks like a weapon

Water guns or water balloons

Knives of any kind including pocket knives, folding knives, hunting sheaths, or blades of any size. Knives are unnecessary for our activities at camp, and are more likely to pose a hazard in our day camp setting than to be of benefit.



Carolina Tiger Rescue High School Summer Camp 2019 Registration Form

I am registering a camper for:

◇ High School Summer Camp: July 22-26

3 Day Camp (\$150)

5 Day Camp (\$300)

Flexible Before Care

Flexible After Care

General Information

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Date _____

Camper Name _____ Nickname if Applicable _____ Age _____

Camper Date of Birth _____ Gender _____

Camper will be entering grade _____ for school year 2019-2020

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening _____ Email _____

Circle your Camper's T Shirt Size: Youth **S M L** Adult **S M L**

Who has permission to pick the camper up after camp?

Name _____ Number _____ Relationship _____

Has this camper attended a Carolina Tiger Rescue Summer Camp before?

___ Yes ___ No If so, when? _____

If so, what was their favorite camp experience? _____

How did you hear about our camp? _____

I understand that the camp registration is not complete until payment in full has been received by CTR. I understand that my child will start camp at 8am and must be picked up from camp at 5pm. I understand that I am responsible for providing a bag lunch for my child each day of camp.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date

Carolina Tiger Rescue High School Summer Camp 2019 Medical Form

General Information

Parent/Legal Guardian(s) _____ Phone _____

Camper Name _____ DOB _____ Gender _____

Please list any allergies (i.e. Bees, peanuts, medications). Include symptoms, severity of reaction, and course of treatment:

Medications: _____

Special medical, behavioral, or emotional considerations: _____

Please list at least one (1) Additional Emergency Contact other than Parent/Legal Guardian:

Name _____ Number _____ Relationship _____

Name _____ Number _____ Relationship _____

Insurance and Physician Information

Primary Physician _____ Phone: _____

Name of Insurance Company _____

Policy Numbers _____

If you have a hospital preference, please list it here: _____

Acknowledgement of Exposure

I acknowledge that my child's experience in the Carolina Tiger Rescue Summer Day Camp Program will be outdoors, often in direct sun with minimal shade, around wooded areas, tall grass, and on uneven terrain. Due to the nature of the facility environment, I understand there is a chance of my child coming into contact with the following hazards including (but not limited to): ticks, chiggers, poison ivy/oak, fire ants, and bees. I further acknowledge that the site and its staff are not responsible for any bug bites, sunburns or possible illnesses that may result from my child participating in the outdoor activities.

Parent/ Legal Guardian Initials _____

Emergency Medical Release

My signature below authorizes the Staff at Carolina Tiger Rescue to request emergency treatment for my child if the situation warrants and I am unable to be contacted.

Parent/Legal Guardian Initials _____

My signature below authorizes the Staff of Carolina Tiger Rescue to administer Basic First Aid to my Camper if necessary

Parent/Legal Guardian Initials _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date

Carolina Tiger Rescue VISITOR AND VOLUNTEER RELEASE (MINOR CHILD)

In consideration of my minor child being permitted to visit or participate in volunteer work for CARNIVORE PRESERVATION, INC. d/b/a CAROLINA TIGER RESCUE (hereafter CTR), on behalf of myself, my spouse, children, legal representatives, heirs, distributees, guardians, agents, children for whom I am legal guardian, and assigns, I agree as follows:

Dangers and rules:

- a) I and my minor child have been advised that the animals contained on the premises of CTR are wild and dangerous, and that my minor child risks serious bodily injury or death if he or she comes into contact with one of the animals. I have also been advised that the tour route is not paved and is rustic. Therefore, my minor child will not touch, reach over, step over, or reach through any barricades, rope, wire, or fencing intended to provide a barrier from the animals, nor make any attempt to touch the cages or animals;
- b) If on a tour, my minor child will stay with the tour group at all times unless escorted by a Carolina Tiger Rescue representative;
- c) My minor child will not enter any animal cage or compound, or place any part of his or her body, clothing or personal property in or near any cage or compound without express authorization to do so;
- d) My minor child will remain observant for and exercise caution around holes, trenches, building materials, fire ant hills, and other physical hazards on the property;
- e) It is my minor child's responsibility to know and to abide by any and all rules and regulations of CAROLINA TIGER RESCUE including verbal instruction and directives that may be issued from time to time by CAROLINA TIGER RESCUE representatives;
- f) My minor child may be working with or in the vicinity of heavy equipment such as tractors, bulldozers, and backhoes, and/or with potentially dangerous hand tools, and that it is my minor child's responsibility to seek and acquire appropriate instruction for the operation of such tools, to exercise good judgment and appropriate safety procedures for his or her safety and that of his or her co-workers, and to avoid the use of tools and equipment for which my minor child lacks an appropriate degree of skill and training;
- g) I understand that protective gloves provided to my minor child by CAROLINA TIGER RESCUE may contain latex, that there may be risks involved in using this product, and I assume full responsibility for any adverse reaction to this product.
- h) If for any reason my minor child is asked to leave the property he or she will do so promptly without protest.

Liability release and hold harmless agreement:

- a) For myself and on behalf of my children and other minors for whom I am the legal guardian, I hereby release, waive, indemnify, and forever discharge CTR and all of its owners, officers, directors, members, employees, visitors, volunteers, and sponsors and each of them and all of their heirs, assigns, officers, and employees, from all liability to me, my spouse, children, legal representatives, heirs, distributees, guardians, agents, and assigns of and from any and every claim, demand, action or right of action, of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, arising from or by reason of any and all bodily injury or personal injuries, known or unknown, death or property damage now or hereafter resulting from any event which may occur as a result of my minor child's presence on the grounds of CTR, or any activities in connection with my minor child's presence on the grounds of CTR, whether due to negligence or otherwise;
- b) I further release CTR and all of its officials and personnel from any claim whatsoever on account of any first aid treatment or service rendered to my minor child during his or her activities as a volunteer or on any visit to the premises of CTR;
- c) As further consideration, I do hereby acknowledge, accept, and agree that this release and any action arising there from will be construed under the laws of the State of North Carolina. In the event any portion of this agreement is held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the balance shall remain in full legal force and effect;
- d) I further agree that by signing this agreement I confirm that:
 - i) I am of lawful age;
 - ii) I have carefully read the foregoing release, know the contents, and understand that this is a release of liability and a contract between myself and CTR;
 - iii) I have had ample opportunity to ask questions about the dangers of visiting and volunteering at this facility and about the meaning of this document;
 - iv) I understand that if I violate this contract, I am subject to penalties, including but not limited to, legal fees and other costs incurred by CTR and any of the other released parties; and
 - v) I am signing this document of my own free will, under no disability or duress.

Photo releases:

- a) I understand that my minor child may take photographs while on the property and may use these photographs freely without payment of additional compensation to CTR. I hereby grant to CTR, without payment of any compensation by CTR, the right to unlimited use of any photographs of the premises or resident animals for any purpose for an unlimited duration of time.
- b) I understand that photography and filming may be occurring while my minor child is visiting CTR and I hereby consent to the unlimited use of my minor child's image by CTR without compensation.

Parent or Legal Guardian's Signature: _____ Printed Name: _____

Street Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____ Date: _____

Full Names of Minor Children: _____