

Camp Registration

Camper's name _____ Age _____

Address _____

Mother/Guardian name _____

Phones (home) _____ (work) _____ (cell) _____

Father/Guardian name _____

Phones (home) _____ (work) _____ (cell) _____

Emergency Contacts (name) _____ (phone) _____ (name) _____ (phone) _____

Allergies _____

Medical history _____

Are you under any doctor's care? _____

Medications _____

Other _____

Mail to: Aron Weisgerber
140 White Rose Mountain Lane.
Sperryville, VA 22740
(Or drop off at Hearthstone School.)

Please include your deposit with registration

Instructor's Biography

Aron Weisgerber is a Rappahannock County native, born just outside the city of Sperryville, VA. He is a graduate of Hearthstone School and a life-long student of Waldorf education. Aron was the assistant kindergarten teacher and he taught adjunct classes for Hearthstone School for the year of 2003. After finishing the year he enrolled in Prescott College of Prescott, Arizona. Aron studied Outdoor Education, Wilderness First Aid, Search and Rescue, Map and Compass Navigation, Environmental Science, Sculpture, Photography, Business Management, Ecological Design, Rope Course Facilitation, Experiential Education, Ecological Restoration, ect. While attending Prescott College in Arizona, Aron worked for two years as a woodworking teacher at Mountain Oak Elementary, a Charter Waldorf school. Aron graduated from Prescott College with a major in Adventure Education with in emphasis in wilderness leadership and program management, and a double minor, one in environmental studies and the second in the Arts. Also, Aron started and has operated a summer camp for children and young adults in Sperryville Virginia. The summer camp offers outdoor experiences ranging from plant identification, to ropes course activities, to backpacking, to swimming, to games, to crafts and survival skills. Aron has managed the summer camp since 1999 and has offered it every year since. Presently Aron is teaching fifth grade English, Science, Geography, History and Math at Hearthstone School. Aron also teaches Woodworking, Gardening and Games classes. Aron is First Aid, CPR and Wilderness First Responder trained, and presently is volunteering for the Sperryville Rescue Squad, where he is running calls and training to drive the ambulances. Also Aron has recently taught a highly academic month-long backpacking trip for Prescott College in the Grand Canyon. In Aron's free time he likes to: be with his daughter, hike, garden, rock-climb and enjoy the outdoors.



For further information about the camp contact:
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DAY CAMPS

June 22 – June 26 - ages 5 to 8

This camp will include multiple outdoor activities such as:

Swimming, hiking, wildlife and plant identification, games, crafts and, most of all, building children's comfort levels with the outdoors.

Camp will be held from 9a.m. to 3p.m.

The fee is \$150 per child.

(\$50 non-refundable deposit due with registration)

June 29 - July 3 - ages 8 to 12

This camp will include multiple outdoor activities such as:

Swimming, hiking, wildlife and plant identification, games, crafts, group problem solving, survival skills, climbing wall and low ropes-course elements, and, most of all, building children's comfort levels with the outdoors.

Camp will be held from 9a.m. to 3p.m.

The fee is \$150 per child.

(\$50 non-refundable deposit due with registration)

July 6 - July 10- ages 12 to 15

In addition to all of the activities listed above this course

also introduces basic backcountry living skill, backpacking skills and the concept of expeditionary mentality. Camp will be held from 9 am to 3 pm, Monday to Wednesday. Thursday-Friday will be a backpacking overnight campout.

The fee is \$180 per child.

(\$50 non-refundable deposit due with registration)

BACKPACKING TRIP ages 15 and up

July 12 – July 17 (Sunday-Friday)

This six-day course will include and cover: group problem solving, initiatives, low ropes-course activities, trip planning, backcountry living skills, backpacking technique and group dynamics. We will spend the first day planning food, checking gear and building group trust through various activities. The next five days and four nights will be spent backpacking in and around Shenandoah National Park, exploring our local and natural environment.

The fee is \$250 per child.

(\$50 non-refundable deposit due with registration)

We will meet Sunday from 9am – 3pm. We will meet

Tuesday at 9am to start our backpacking trip and we will return Friday at around 12pm.

CAMP SUPPLY LIST

AGES 5-7 & 8-11 ~YOU WILL NEED TO BRING:

Bathing suit
Towel
Lunch each day
Comfortable walking or hiking shoes
- No sandals
Change of clothes that you can leave at camp
Rain gear
Water bottle
Hat
Sunscreen

AGES 12-14 ~~~~ YOU WILL NEED TO BRING:

Day Camp:
Bathing suit
Towel
Lunch each day
Comfortable hiking boots/shoes
Water bottle
Sunscreen
Hat

Overnight additional items:

Backpack
2- 32oz water bottles
Light – preferably a headlamp
Rain jacket - rain pants are optional
1 pair of shorts
1 pair long pants
Bowl, fork, spoon, knife
Whistle with string for safety reasons
Sleeping bag
Sleeping pad
Ground sheet or 3 mil. plastic
(Cut larger then sleeping pad)
1 breakfast, 2 lunches

During the week we will plan a group dinner. Each camper will be responsible for bringing one or two items for that dinner.

AGES 15-18 ~~~~ YOU WILL NEED TO BRING:

Comfortable hiking boots
Notebook and pencil
Backpack- size no smaller than 4300 cubic inches
Water:
2 x 32oz bottles
Hat
Light – preferably a headlamp
Sunscreen
Bathing suit
Rain jacket and pants
1 pair of shorts
1 pair long pants
2 shirts
Fast drying clothes- nylon or wicking (preferably no cotton)
2 pairs of socks
1 lightweight pair of long underwear
Bowl, fork, spoon, knife
Pocketknife
Sandals closed heel or comfortable lightweight shoes for wearing around camp
Whistle with neck string for safety
Sleeping bag
Sleeping pad
Ground sheet or 3 mil. Plastic (Cut larger then)
10 trash compactor bags
3 breakfasts and 4 lunches
The first day we will plan group dinners. Each camper will be responsible for bringing items for those dinners. (The dinners will attempt to meet everyone's dietary needs)