

NCCS Camp Newaygo Sleepover Camp 2009 Registration Form

Camper Name: _____ Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____
 Child's Last 4 Digits SSN: _____ Birth Date: _____ Age: _____
 School Attending: _____ Grade Fall 2009: _____
 Roommate Request: 1. _____ 2. _____
 Email address to send camp communications: _____
 How did you hear about NCCS Camp Newaygo: _____
 Has this camper attended before? _____ If yes, what year(s): _____
 Parent/Guardian 1 Name: _____ Address: _____
 Home Phone: () _____ Day Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____
 Parent/Guardian 2 Name: _____ Address: _____
 Home Phone: () _____ Day Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____
 In case of emergency and parent/guardian is unavailable, Camp Newaygo can contact:
 Name: _____ Relationship: _____
 Home Phone: () _____ Day Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

IMPORTANT NOTE: NCCS Camp Newaygo and the Gray Center require that all children participating in Sleepover Camp are aware of their ASD diagnosis.

My child's diagnosis is _____ and he/she has been aware of the diagnosis since _____.

SLEEPOVER CAMP DATE AND RATE

June 17 - 19 Duration - 3 Days Rate - \$470

*A nonrefundable \$150.00 registration fee must accompany the registration form. Payment accepted by check or credit card. Please make checks payable to NCCS Camp Newaygo, with Sleepover Camp on the memo line.

Master Card Visa American Express Discover **Charge Amount \$** _____
 Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____ Security Code: _____
 Name on Card: _____ Signature: _____

Parent and Camper Waiver, Release and Indemnification Agreement

I understand all deposits are nonrefundable. All fees are due **four weeks prior** to your camp program. I give my permission for child to participate in all activities as they pertain to his/her camp program including overnight, out of camp trips, transportation and high and low ropes courses). I understand and assume full responsibility for all risks associated with program activities which include risk of injury and/or death due to acts of God, inclement weather, slipping, falling, insect bites, equipment failure and all other circumstances inherent in outdoor settings. I release NCCS Camp Newaygo and all of their employees, volunteers or agents from any and all liability for use of any image generated which includes myself or any member of my family for public relations purposes including but not limited to, articles, brochures, memory books, videos, television, Internet, newspaper, and magazine advertisements, Internet images, and all other Internet and website usage. I accept full responsibility for all incurred camp fees and expenses. I agree to assume all financial responsibility for any medical attention needed by my child and otherwise not covered by my insurance. I agree to hold harmless and free from liability NCCS Camp Newaygo and covenant not to sue, including staff, volunteers or other representatives. I give full permission to NCCS to seek and obtain any medical treatment deemed to be necessary by NCCS staff and/or volunteers. To comply with State of Michigan law, NCCS Camp Newaygo MUST have the names of those adults to whom release of the camper has been authorized by the parent or legal guardian.

I give my permission for the registered child to be released to either parent/guardian listed or Name: _____
 Relationship: _____ at the close of camp. Contact phone: () _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

SEND REGISTRATION: By mail to NCCS Camp Newaygo, PO Box 149, Fremont, MI 49412 or fax to (231) 924-5594. Questions call (231) 924-0641 or email nglenn@nccsweb.org.



**NCCS Camp Newaygo
 Sleepover Camp
 in cooperation with the
 Gray Center for Social
 Learning and Understanding**

**Parents of children with Aspergers or
 High Functioning Autism who are looking for
 an enriching opportunity can find it
 at NCCS Camp Newaygo!**



**Discover the fun!
 Discover Camp Newaygo!**



**NCCS Camp Newaygo provides a place
 where a kid can be a kid with their days
 full of laughter and fun, all while
 enjoying the natural environment.**



**For 3rd, 4th
 and 5th
 graders with
 ASD.**



www.campnewaygo.org



Laughter, fun and outdoor adventures awaits this summer's Sleepover Campers at Camp Newaygo!

With Camp Newaygo's 83 years of resident camp experience and Carol Gray's 22 years experience dedicated to individuals with ASD, Sleepover Camp is a wonderful opportunity for young people with ASD.

3rd, 4th and 5th grade children with Aspergers or High Functioning Autism are encouraged to discovery **Sleepover Camp** in the guided care of trained staff. All staff will be trained in the special needs and concerns of our Sleepover campers. Social story strategies will be used throughout camp and shared as a form of preparation for camp with parents.

Just the facts please . . .

- Boys and girls entering 3rd, 4th or 5th grades may attend.
- All campers must be aware of their diagnosis before registering.
- Carol Gray will train staff and participate during all three days of **Sleepover Camp**.
- There will be a 1:2 staff/camper ratio.
- Cabins will consist of 6 campers of similar grades and 3 staff.
- Arrival is 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 17.
- Departure is at 4:00 p.m. Friday, June 19, with program and family picnic beginning at 4:30 p.m.
- **Sleepover Camp** has limited space and campers will be enrolled on a first come first served basis with completed registration form and \$150 deposit.

Your child's health and well-being are our primary concern.

We have a qualified health officer living right at camp in our health center and is on-call 24 hours a day. In addition, Gerber Memorial Hospital is only 15 minutes away from Camp.



In recognition of our high standards for the safety and welfare of our campers, Camp Newaygo is accredited by the American Camp Association.



We are also inspected and licensed by the Michigan Department of Consumer and Industry Services, a division of Child Welfare Licensing.

Typical Day at Camp

- 7:30 a.m. - Optional Polar Bear Swim/Shower Time
- 7:50 a.m. - Wake Up
- 8:30 a.m. - Breakfast
- 9:15 a.m. - Cabin Clean-Up
- 9:45 a.m. - 1st Activity Period
- 11:00 a.m. - 2nd Activity Period
- 12:30 p.m. - Lunch
- 1:30 p.m. - Store

- 2:00 p.m. - Rest Period
- 3:15 p.m. - 3rd Activity Period
- 4:30 p.m. - Open Waterfront/Crafts
- 5:30 p.m. - Shower Time
- 6:30 p.m. - Dinner
- 7:30 p.m. - Evening Program
- 9:15 p.m. - Snacks and Songs
- 10:15 p.m.- Lights Out

WHAT IS CAMP NEWAYGO?

NCCS Camp Newaygo rests along Pickerel Lake, which is snuggled in the Manistee National Forest, just 40 miles north of Grand Rapids, Michigan, near the town of Newaygo.



An adventure awaits you! We feature an Arts and Crafts Center, a beautiful Wetland Trail, basketball and tennis courts, an archery range, a mile long waterfront (with boating), and many other fun and adventurous activities.

Through cabin living, campers learn to share and live cooperatively as a group, while forming new friendships. Campers live in enclosed, comfy cabins with bunk beds. These cabins are centrally located near Lang Lodge (activity center, dining hall, and bathrooms/showers) and are a great introduction to overnight camp.

Camp Newaygo Open House Saturday, May 24 - Join us anytime between 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. for a tour of camp. It will be a great time to answer your questions and to get a good feel of the many wonderful opportunities camp has to offer. Also a great time to see improvements to Lang Lodge.

WHAT IS THE GRAY CENTER FOR SOCIAL LEARNING AND UNDERSTANDING?

The Gray Center is a nonprofit 501(c)3 organization dedicated to individuals with autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and those who work alongside them to improve mutual understanding.

The Gray Center approaches the social impairment of ASD as a shared impairment. We work to improve social understanding on both sides of the social equation, helping individuals with ASD to communicate and interact more successfully with the people whom they live and work.

Don't miss out on the fun! Register for Sleepover Camp today! →