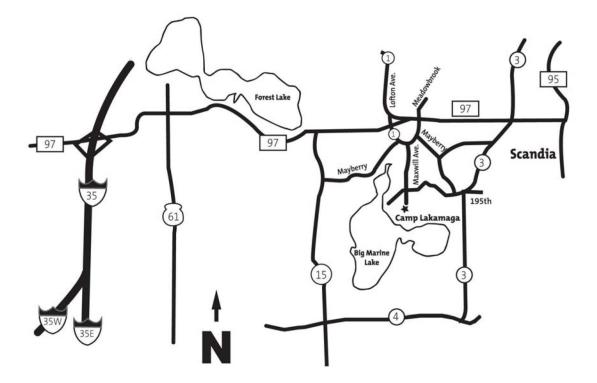


Camp Lakamaga

Preparing for Camp For Parents & Guardians

Directions to Camp Lakamaga

Camp Lakamaga 12303 Lakamaga Trail N Marine on St. Croix, MN 55047 651-443-4580



Directions from the West, South, and North

- Take I-35 to Highway 97 (2 miles south of Forest Lake).
- Exit Highway 97 and follow east to Lofton Ave N (about 8½ miles).
- Turn right (south) onto Lofton Ave N ¼ mile and turn right onto Maxwill Ave.
- Once on Maxwill Ave, go about 1¼ miles to a stop sign. The entrance to Lakamaga is directly across from this intersection.

Directions from the East

- Take Highway 95 north from Stillwater (or north on Highway 95 from I-94 near the Hudson Bridge) to Highway 96 (near Scandia).
- Take Highway 97 west 4 ½ miles to Lofton Avenue N.
- Turn left (south) onto Lofton Ave N, and follow directions given above from Lofton Ave N.

Camp Policies

Behavior

Attendees to all Girl Scouts River Valleys events are expected to follow the Girl Scout Promise and Law (GirlScoutsRV.org/Mission-Promise-Law).

Girls and adults cannot bring or use weapons, alcoholic beverages, drugs (other than those prescribed by a physician), or tobacco products at any River Valleys event or onto any River Valleys property.

If, for any reason, an attendee's behavior is not within our expectations, she/he will be asked to leave. We will expect a parent/guardian to pick up a girl as soon as possible, and adults will need to provide their own transportation. This is at the expense of the parent/guardian or adult attendee. We will not refund session fees.

Animals

Pets are not allowed on any River Valleys property or camp. Exceptions are made for service animals.

Cancellations

Cancellations must be made 30 days prior to the session date to receive a refund – the deposit is non-refundable.

All sessions are subject to cancellation or rescheduling. If a session is cancelled, and the camper is unable to attend an alternate session, all fees paid will be refunded, including the deposit. If a program or camp is cancelled, you will be notified by phone.

All cancellations must be received in writing at the St. Paul Service Center:

Fax: 651-227-7533 Email: <u>registration@girlscoutsrv.org</u> Mail: 400 S. Robert St. St. Paul, MN 55107

Packing List

Work with your camper to ensure everything gets packed and she knows what she has. As you pack, label everything with your camper's first and last name.

Remember that camp is rustic – think dirt, dust, and humidity. Please pack old clothes and shoes, as they will get dirty.

We do not have laundry facilities available for camper use. Please ensure you pack enough for your camper's entire stay.

Lost and Found

Camp Lakamaga and Girl Scouts River Valleys are not responsible for loss, theft or damage to personal belongings, money, or items left at camp. Lost and found items will be kept at camp for one month. Any items not claimed by that time will be donated. Please contact the camp director if you have forgotten something at camp.

What NOT to Pack

Do NOT bring:

- Weapons
- Pets
- Tobacco
- Alcohol
- Candy, food, or beverages
- Vehicles
- Personal sports equipment (unless approved by the camp director)
- Electronic devices

Additional Notes on Electronic Devices

- Cell phones, iPods, tablets, and game devices will be confiscated if brought to camp, and will be kept in the camp office until departure day.
- eReaders, such as Nooks and Kindles, may be brought for reading, but they will be confiscated if seen being used for playing games or using the internet.

Medications

Pack medication containers in a plastic zip bag with the camper's name printed in permanent ink on the bag. All medications and supplements must be in the ORIGINAL container with the camper's name, doctor's name, dosage, and any instructions clearly stated.

The health supervisor will keep medications, vitamins, ointments, etc. in the health center during camp. On trips, we will send medications, etc. with staff. Inhalers, Epi Pens, and other necessary items will be kept with each camper as determined with the health supervisor and information on the health history form.

We have a supply of commonly used over-the-counter medications, so it is not necessary to send those to camp.

Packing List for 1-Day Summer Camps

Clothing and Equipment

- ! Dress for the weather
- ! Sturdy walking shoes that are closed-toed and have support
- ! Sweatshirt or warm tops
- ! Raincoat or poncho
- ! Swimsuit
- ! Day/Backpack for carrying items around camp

- ! Towel for swimming
- ! Water Bottle
- ! Insect repellant (non-aerosol)
- ! Lip balm or chapstick
- ! Sunscreen (SPF 15 or higher)
- ! Medications (see above)
- ! Bandanna or hat

Optional items

- ! Facial tissue
- ! Notebook/journal and pencil/pen
- ! Sunglasses

- ! Lotion
- ! Camera
- ! Camp store money