

ECOLOGY SUMMER CAMP 2015

Registration Form

Registration includes: 1) Completed registration form, 2) Signed liability release form 3) Payment of \$150

Name of Camper _____ Birth Date _____ Age (as of 6/9/15) _____ Sex _____

Parent/Guardian _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone: Day _____ Night/Cell _____

Emergency Contact (not parent/guardian) _____ Phone No. _____

Special Concerns (Dietary restrictions, medications, allergies) _____

CAMP SESSIONS

Indicate your 1st and 2nd choices

___ **Session 1:** June 8th-12th 2015 / Ages 7-9

___ **Session 4:** July 6th-10th 2014 / Ages 10-12

___ **Session 2:** June 15th-19th 2014 / Ages 10-12

___ **Session 5:** July 13th-17th 2014 / Ages 7-9

___ **Session 3:** June 22rd-26th 2014 / Ages 7-9

Please indicate your child's t-shirt size for their summer camp t-shirt:

Youth - S M L Adult - S M L

PERMISSION TO SWIM

My child has permission to swim at Lake Annie during Ecology Summer Day Camp. I understand that a lifeguard certified in American Red Cross Lifesaving, CPR, and First Aid will supervise the swim.

YES, I approve.

NO, I do not approve.

Parent/Guardian signature

Date

PAYMENT INFORMATION

A fee of \$25 will be charged for any registration cancellations.

Camp Fee - \$150

Please consider a donation to help provide sponsorship to deserving children.

Paying with: check _____ cash _____ credit card _____

Make checks payable to **Archbold Biological Station**

If paying with a credit card, please wait until we contact you with confirmation of camp availability for your child.

RETURN REGISTRATION BY Mail, Fax, or Email

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Check out photos from last year at:

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WELCOME TO ARCHBOLD EXPEDITIONS

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY ECOLOGY SUMMER CAMP 2015 CAMPER

Archbold Expeditions is a not-for-profit research, conservation, and education organization—we are *not* a state/federal park or other government- university-owned facility.

All visitors to Archbold properties, including Archbold Biological Station, MacArthur Agro-ecology Research Center and Archbold Reserve, are required to complete the information below.

Your information will not be distributed to third parties.

Camper's First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Parent/Guardian's First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Parent/Guardian's Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____ Date(s) of Visit: June-July 2015

Purpose for Visit—Ecology Summer Camp 2015

Facilities included:
Archbold Biological Station, MacArthur Agro-ecology Research Center, Archbold Reserve

Camper accepts and will abide by the behavioral expectations of Archbold, applicable state and federal laws, and policies and procedures of Archbold. Parent/Guardian and Camper understand that disregard for the Archbold policies and applicable laws may be considered grounds for dismissal from programs and activities at Archbold.

I hereby certify that, with or without accommodations, Camper is in good health and I know of no medical reason why Camper is not able to visit Archbold and participate in programs and activities at Archbold. I hereby consent to first aid, emergency medical care and if necessary, admission to an accredited hospital when necessary for executing such care for treatment for injuries that Camper may sustain while participating in any program or activity associated with Archbold. **I understand that I am responsible for all medical expenses.** If Camper has a disability requiring accommodations, I will notify the Risk Management Administrator and Education Coordinator prior to Camper's arrival to Ecology Summer Camp.

I hereby consent and authorize the use of photography, audio, and/or video of Camper while at Archbold Biological Station, Archbold Reserve, or MacArthur Agro-ecology Research Center (Archbold) for use in Archbold's promotional and educational materials, without compensation to me. This includes but is not limited to: social media postings, brochures, and email newsletters. The names of minors (aged 17 and younger) will not be included in any materials. All video, audio and photographs shall constitute Archbold property, solely and completely.

The person signing this release as parent/guardian on behalf of a minor agrees that this Release of Liability is being signed and delivered to Archbold both individually by the undersigned and as the parent/guardian of the minor.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

By signing this, I agree that I understand and will comply with all of the following:

In order to induce Archbold Expeditions, its trustees, officers, agents, scientists, staff and any other affiliated or associated parties (together referred to as "Archbold") to allow the Camper access to its premises, and to permit the Camper to participate in its programs, in consideration thereof, agree as follows:

- Parent/Guardian and Camper understand that Archbold is a biological field station, including a working cattle ranch, designed to study specific natural and agricultural habitats with all of the accompanying risks. Archbold is not an amusement park, botanical garden, or controlled animal park.
- Parent/Guardian and Camper fully understand that activities at Archbold are inherently hazardous and involve risks of personal injury or illness, including, but not limited to, risks associated with: (1) being outdoors in wildland terrain and water bodies; (2) being in the presence of inclement weather conditions including, but not limited to, lightning, wind, and excess rain; (3) potentially dangerous wild plants; (4) potentially dangerous wild animals, including but not limited to alligators and venomous snakes, and farm animals; (5) ecological and agricultural field research; (6) land management practices and agricultural operations; (7) potential exposure to agrochemicals and other herbicides/pesticides; (8) prevailing and extreme weather conditions; (9) prescribed burns, wildfires, and other outdoor conditions; (10) travel by private and Archbold vehicles including all-terrain vehicles, boats and canoes; (11) indoor laboratory conditions; (12) sports and other recreational activities, including but not limited to swimming; and (13) accidents or illness in a remote rural area without "on-site" medical facilities. In light of this understanding, Parent/Guardian hereby acknowledges full responsibility for and assumption of risk of any and all harm of any nature whatsoever that comes to the Camper as a result of having access to Archbold premises or participating in its programs.
- Parent/Guardian acknowledges that no representations have been made that entering the premises of Archbold or participating in Archbold's programs or activities will be safe, but that Archbold has expressly represented herein that entering the premises and participating in its programs and activities involves risk, which the visitor assumes as a condition of their involvement with Archbold.
- Parent/Guardian further understands and agrees that Archbold assumes no responsibility for personal property of Camper. Such property is stored on Archbold premises at the sole risk of Parent/Guardian and Camper.
- Parent/Guardian (for him/herself and for their heirs, representatives, successors, assigns and dependents) hereby: (a) releases and discharges Archbold from any and all responsibility for or liability to visitor, which may be caused by the negligence, or otherwise, of Archbold; (b) releases and discharges Archbold from all actions, claims, demands, expenses, attorney's fees, compensation, and all consequential or other damages that may accrue for any injury, death, or property damage as a result of, or in connection with, visitor's access to the premises or participation in the programs of Archbold; (c) agrees that they shall have no right of action against Archbold for negligence, or otherwise, and shall not bring an action, make a claim against, sue, attach the property of, or prosecute Archbold for any injury, death, or property damage accruing as a result of, or in connection with, visitor's access to the premises and participation in the activities of Archbold; (d) agrees to indemnify and hold Archbold harmless against all claims, damages, and causes of action from any injuries to the person and property of visitor, including attorney's fees and all costs in defending against such claims and causes of action made by or on behalf of visitor for negligence, or otherwise. The term "negligence" as used in the Release of Liability shall include all degrees of negligence.