2020 Summer Camp FAQ regarding COVID-19

The safety and health of campers and staff is always the highest priority at MOSI. With COVID-19 within the United States, we have reviewed and updated our health-related procedures.

Will summer camps occur this summer?

Currently we plan to hold summer camps beginning June 1 – August 7th. We are accepting registrations. Camps will have a cap on them, so be sure to register as soon as possible!

What if MOSI has to cancel camps due to COVID-19?

If you are registered for camp and MOSI has to cancel them, you will receive a full refund or can transfer to a later week of camp (if camps are postponed).

What precautions is MOSI Summer Camp taking due to COVID-19?

MOSI will be following the CDC guidelines for keeping our campers, staff and spaces safe.

**Education Staff:**

- All summer camp staff will attend mandatory Safety Training that will include health information about proper hygiene such as washing hands, avoiding touching one’s face and social distancing.

- As employees arrive for work, their temperatures will be checked utilizing a contactless digital thermometer. Anyone displaying a temperature over 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit will be directed to seek appropriate medical care and will not be allowed to work until cleared by a medical professional.

**Cleaning Procedures:**

- MOSI utilizes cleaning products and protocols which meet CDC guidelines and are approved for use and effective against viruses and bacteria.

- The frequency of cleaning and sanitizing has been increased in the Summer Camp Area.

- Shared equipment will be sanitized before and after each use.

- Tables, phones, hard surfaces, handles, play equipment and frequently touched surfaces will be sanitized at the beginning, in the middle and at the end of the camp day.
Summer Camp Procedures:

- Camps will have a cap on the number of campers permitted to register and campers will be spread out as much as possible.

- Parents will not need to leave their car for drop off. They can pull up through the circle and a MOSI employee will check your child in.

- Monday paperwork will include a form verifying the child has no temperature or symptoms of illness and has not traveled within the past 14 days.

- Parents will not be allowed in the camp classrooms.

- All food must be brought from home and no sharing will be allowed.

- Lunch will be outside at picnic tables in the covered area. Only 4 campers per table will be allowed to maintain safe distances.

- Lunch groups will be staggered.

- Frequent hand washing will be incorporated into the daily routine of each camper.

- Sharing of objects will be discouraged.

- Campers and staff will be advised to practice physical distancing by standing at least six feet away from others.

- Signage will be posted reminding employees, parents and campers of distancing guidelines.

- Hand Sanitizer dispensers will be placed throughout MOSI Summer Camp classrooms.

- Our management team will maintain ongoing communication with employees and ensure proper PPE and sanitation procedures are being followed.

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