

#### Dear Parents and Campers,

With the New Year comes a new season of Camps at Camp Aldersgate. We are excited that our Spring Weekend Camps are filling up, and we look forward to what this summer has in store! Registration for the following camps is currently open:

#### Weekend Camps

#### \*\*Returning summer campers, please note that you may now be able to attend Weekend Camps\*\*

- Weekend residential camping experiences that utilize a strength-based approach to design programming and guide camper placement
- Occur each month throughout the school year (see our website for a calendar and more information)
- Camp Aldersgate has secured partial funding to aid families in covering the tuition. Fees are determined on a sliding scale based on family income.
- Serves campers with special needs, ages 6-18, who meet one of the following criteria:
  - 1. Eligible for a Camp Aldersgate Summer Camp
  - 2. Receives special education and "related services" in the school setting
  - 3. Requires the use of assistive devices and adaptations to complete Activities of Daily Living (ADLs)

#### Kota Camps

- Inclusive, week-long and weekend residential camping experiences for children with and without disabilities
- Camp Aldersgate has secured partial funding to aid families in covering the tuition. Fees are determined on a sliding scale based on family income.
- More information regarding the Kota Camps registration process, Financial Disclosure and tuition can be found online or by calling the office.
- The first round of placements for Spring and Summer Kota Camps will be completed March 15<sup>th</sup>, and priority will be given to those who have completed and returned applications by this date. The final deadline for Kota applications is April 16<sup>th</sup>.

#### Residential Summer Camps

- Week-long residential camping experiences for campers with specific medical diagnoses
- Offered in collaboration with local health agencies (contact information listed in application)
- Contact the health agency for details regarding camper tuition, fees, and camper scholarships

#### Summer Day Camp

- 6-week day camp designed for children with autism spectrum disorder, grades K-8<sup>th</sup>
- Contact A-Camp for information regarding tuition, fees, & scholarships

We strongly encourage you to complete registration <u>as soon as possible</u> to help ensure your child's participation. If you need additional copies of applications or have any questions, please just give us a call or visit our website, <u>www.campaldersgate.net</u>. A complete application, including your Physician's Authorization, is necessary to secure placement in any of our programs.

Sincerely,

The Camp Aldersgate Program Team

Ali Miller Berry

Katie lenkins

Ian Shuttleworth

Nathan Nelson

2018 Summer – Camp Aldersgate and MedCamps Partnering Health Agencies Kidney Camp: July 22 - 27 Muscular Dystrophy Camp: June 10 – 15 Age: 8 to 17 Age: 6 to 18 Contact: Kara Evans Contact: Kirsten Sowell Muscular Dystrophy Association Phone: 501.364.1406 Phone: 501.227.7098 email: sowellkl@archildrens.org email: kevans@mdausa.org Camp Physician: Eileen Ellis, M.D. Camp Physician: Richard Nix, M.D. Saritha Ranabothu, M.D. \*\*Applications available and returned through MDA\*\* \*\*Download applications on website - Due May 16th\*\* Spina Bifida Camp: June 17 – 22 Cardiac Camp: July 22 – 27 Age: 6 to 16 Age: 6 to 18 Contact: Angie Smith Contact: Brad Caviness Arkansas Spinal Cord Commission (ARSCC) Phone: 501.364.1479 Phone: 501.296.1788 or 1.800.459.1517 email: smithangelaj@uams.edu email: brad.caviness@arkansas.gov Camp Physician: Paul Seib, M.D. Camp Physician: Vikki Stefans, M.D. \*\*Applications available and returned through ARSCC\*\* \*\*Download applications on website - Due May 16th\*\* Kota Camps: Session I June 24 – 29 Bleeding Disorders Camp: July 29 – August 3 Session II July 8 – 13 Age: 6 to 16 Inclusive camps for children with various disabilities and Contact: Tara DeJohn Jennifer Taussig their non-disabled siblings and friends. Arkansas Center for Bleeding Disorders Age: 6 to 18 Contact: Camp Aldersgate Phone: 501.364.1494 email: dejohntv@archildrens.org Phone: 501.225.1444 email: taussigil@archildrens.org email: amiller@campaldersgate.net Camp Physician: Kimo Stine, M.D. Camp Physicians: Session I – Jill Fussell, M.D. Session II - Gene France, M.D. \*\*Download applications on website - First Selections Will be \*\*Download applications on website – Due May 16th\*\* made on March 16th, Final Deadline is May 16th \*\* Oncology Camp: July 29 – August 3 Diabetes Youth Camp: July 15 – 20 Age: 8 to 13 Age: 6 to 16 Contact: Lora Furstner Contact: Tara DeJohn American Diabetes Association Jennifer Taussia Phone: 913.383.8210 x 6848 Phone: 501.364.1494 email: dejohntv@archildrens.org email: lfurstner@diabetes.org Camp Physician: Jon Oden, M.D. email: taussigjl@archildrens.org Camp Physician: Kimo Stine, M.D. \*\*Download applications on website – Due May 16th\*\* \*\*Download applications on website – Due May 16th\*\*

## Arthritis Camp AcheAway: July 22-27

Age: 6 to 16

Contact: Emily Pearce Arthritis Foundation Phone: 501.708.2917

email: epearce@arthritis.org Camp Physician: Jason Dare, M.D

#### \*\*Download applications on website - Due May 16th\*\*

## A-Camp: June 11 – August 2

Inclusive Day Camp designed for children with ASD 6 Week Program; Monday – Thursday Weekly\*

Contact: Camp Aldersgate Phone: 501.225.1444

email: nnelson@campaldersgate.net

Partnering Agency: A-Camp Contact: info@a-camp4kids.org \*no camping session July 2 – 5

\*\*Download applications on website - Due May 1th\*\*

## Camp Aldersgate Camping Programs

Camper Application Checklist
Please use this form as a guide to ensure a completed application is returned. Space for camping sessions is limited.
ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR ACCEPTANCE.

1.	Camper Information section	completed
2.	Parent/Guardian Information section	completed
3.	Emergency Contact Information section This section must be completed in full. There must be 2 alternate contacts other than parent/guardian who do not reside in the same household. example: #1 is a neighbor and #2 is the camper's aunt.	completed
4.	Parent/Guardian Authorization & Release section Parent Authorizations – includes emergency authorization for treatment must be completed and signed by a parent or guardian.	completed
5.	Optional Information section	completed
6.	Personal Care and Activity Information section	completed
7.	Special Instructions and Daily Routines section	completed
8.	Insurance Information section	completed
9.	Immunization History First time campers must include a complete copy of their immunization record.	attached
	<b>Returning campers</b> need to provide record of any new immunizations since last attending camp. If there have been no immunizations since last attending Camp Aldersgate disregard this section.	
10.	Health History & Physician's Authorization section  The child's physician (or Advanced Practice Nurse representing the physician) must complete this section and sign the Physician's Authorization portion.	completed
11.	Asthma History Form (if applicable)	completed
12.	Camper Code of Conduct	completed
13.	Registration Form	completed
14.	Financial Disclosure & Fee Schedule To be completed if applying for Weekend Camps and/or Kota Camps	completed

Please return completed application to:



Camp Aldersgate Attn: Applications 2000 Aldersgate Road Little Rock, AR 72205

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Is a Parent/Guardian Active Duty Air Force If Yes Complete Information below:	: (circle)	Yes	No
Sponsor's Name (Last, First, MI)			
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## Camper Application

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Applying with <b>(only for Kota Camp <i>"paired app</i></b>	•			
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Cell/_	Email:	<u>:</u>		
Address:		City:		
County:	State:			
Father or Guardian		Job Title	): :	
Name:				
Last	First			
Telephone Numbers: Home/		Work	/	
Cell/	Email:	:		
Address:		City:		
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Who will be the primary contact while your child is a	at camp? (circle) Ma	other Father other		
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Daytime telephone:/	Ever	ning telephone:	/	
<b>2)</b> Full Name:	Relo	ationship to camper:		
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#### PARENT / GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION

The following authorization MUST be signed before applicant can be accepted as a camper.

The health history I have provided in this application is correct and complete as far as I know. I agree to inform the camp of any significant health related issues that may arise following submission of this application and prior to my child's/ward's participation in the camp's programs and understand additional information and/or physician authorization may be requested. I give permission to Camp Aldersgate, Inc. to provide routine health care, administer prescribed medications, and seek emergency medical treatment including x-rays or routine tests for my child/ward :(name of camper)\_\_\_\_\_\_.

I give permission for my child/ward (named above) to participate in the programs at Camp Aldersgate, Inc., in all camp activities, including field trips away from camp, except as noted by the physician or parent/guardian. I hereby release Camp Aldersgate, Inc., its Board of Directors, employees, volunteers, collaborating agencies, physicians, agents, independent contractors, and any and all parties of interest from all claims, demands, grievances and causes of action of every kind whatsoever, including, but not limited to, all which may arise from or out of any injury incurred by my child/ward (named above) while in attendance at the camp. This includes any necessary transportation.

In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I give permission to the physician selected by Camp Aldersgate, Inc. to secure and administer any necessary treatment, including hospitalization for my child/ward (named above). I give permission to Camp Aldersgate, Inc. to arrange necessary related transportation for my child/ward (named above).

I give permission for Camp Aldersgate, Inc. staff to administer over-the-counter medications for my child/ward (named above) if the camp medical staff deems it necessary. Dosages will be administered according to directions on the bottle unless a physician directs otherwise.

I agree to the release of any records necessary for insurance purposes and give permission for Camp Aldersgate, Inc. personnel to receive information concerning my child/ward (named above) from various medical, therapeutic, and other professionals which may be necessary for participation in Camp Aldersgate, Inc. programs.

I grant full permission and authority to Camp Aldersgate, Inc., its collaborating agencies, and their representatives to photograph my child/ward (named above) and to use, publish, and release for publication such photos relating to the programs of the above named organizations. The name of my child/ward may be used in connection with the above, with the understanding that there is to be no exploitation of the family member and that any photographs so used should conform to standards of good taste.

This form may be photocopied for use outside of camp. My signature below indicates that I have read and agree with all the statements of the Parent Authorization.

Camp Aldersgate may not be able to accommodate all medical conditions and/or disabilities. Camp Aldersgate reserves the right to make the final decision regarding admittance and dismissal of participants to its programs. This policy is to insure that adequate provisions can be made for participants while they are in the care of the camp.

Camp Aldersgate serves those who do not: require personal caregiviers other than camp staff or engage in aggressive and/or abusive behavior. Campers are recruited on a non-discriminatory basis, without regard to race, color, creed, sex, gender identification, national origin, religious or political affiliation.

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## PERSONAL CARE AND ACTIVITY INFORMATION

The following specific applicant information is to be completed by parent/guardian for camp medical staff. A copy will be given to the applicant's counselors. Please attach any additional information necessary to assist the counselors and volunteers to care for your child.

Does the camper like to be called by any other name? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age during camp:\_\_\_\_\_\_

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SCUBA							
fishing							
canoeing/boating							
outdoor sports and games							
archery							
adventure challenge activities (ropes course)							
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# SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS AND DAILY ROUTINES te strives to make each camper's participation a safe, comfortable, and t

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#### **IMMUNIZATION HISTORY**

We are required to have a copy of each camper's immunization record on file.

New campers at Camp Aldersgate - a complete copy of his/her immunization record MUST accompany this application.

**Returning campers** - all we need is a record of any immunizations received since last at Camp Aldersgate. If your child has not received any new immunizations, disregard this section.

Applications submitted without the required immunization information cannot be processed until this information is received. Camp Aldersgate adheres to immunization guidelines used by most educational facilities.

Please check with your school nurse or administration about obtaining a copy of your child's record.

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<sup>\*\*</sup>IF YOUR CHILD HAS ASTHMA, PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING ASTHMA HEALTH HISTORY FORM WITH ASSISTANCE FROM THE APPLICANT'S PRIMARY PHYSICIAN.

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#### CAMPER CODE OF CONDUCT

#### (Please review with your child)

It is our hope that everyone that participates in our program will have a positive experience that will last a lifetime. To help everyone get the most out of their camp experience, we have set up a list of ground rules to help parents and children understand what we expect at camp. We recognize the special needs of our campers and will, as much as possible, individualize the rules according to the needs and abilities of each camper.

Camp has four basic rules that we explain to the children and also post in the cabins. We have these rules so that everyone can be assured of a positive experience.

- Respect yourself, others and property. Abusiveness toward others or using inappropriate language, fighting, stealing, etc. is not allowed. It also covers property damage, graffiti or vandalism. Respect yourself, refers to keeping your things picked up, personal hygiene and taking your medication on time.
- Participate in camp activities. It is camp's responsibility to know where all the campers are at all times. We encourage campers to try all activities unless excused by staff. Campers are supervised at all times and cannot be left alone.
- Follow directions. There are a lot of fun things to do at camp but every activity has rules so we can operate the activity safely and appropriately. We ask the campers to follow staff direction during these activities.
- No put-downs. Examples of this would include teasing, name-calling, racial slurs or inappropriate practical jokes.

If we do have a problem with inappropriate behavior, we have a camper behavior response policy. The counselor will start by giving the child a warning, and then a time-out with an explanation and discussion on what is causing the problem. If the counselor needs help, a supervisor or coordinator on site will work with the child to help avoid further problems. We will also call home to find out if the parents have any suggestions on ways to deter the inappropriate behavior. As a last resort, we may need to send a child home. Sometimes in the case of severe homesickness or if misbehavior could cause immediate harm to themselves or others, we reserve the right to immediately ask that the child be removed from camp.

It is our hope that each child will go home with great memories of camp. These rules are designed to protect the camper's experience so that one unruly child won't ruin the experience for the rest. If you have any questions or comments, please fell free to call. It is our mission to provide a quality experience for everyone.

I understand and accept that my child must abide by the Camp	per Code of Conduct	
Parent's Signature	Date	
I agree to abide by the Camper Code of Conduct		
Camper's Signature	Date	

## Camp Aldersgate Kota Camps

Registration Process

### Beginning in January

Application packets will be sent to all eligible campers who attended a 2017 Kota Summer Session as well as new campers who have requested applications.

### March 16th

Completed applications received by this date will be included in the first pool of applicants. A lottery process will be used to fill both Summer Kota Sessions.

- 65% of the available 56 camper slots per session will be filled with returning campers.
- 35% of the available 56 camper slots per session will be filled with new campers.

## Applications Received after March 15th

Available camper slots will be filled on an as received basis.

## April

Families notified of camper status by Camp Aldersgate.

- ONLY **completed** application packets will be processed. Conditions for a completed application are listed on the application checklist included with the application packet.
- ALL slots will be filled according to Kota Camps guidelines (see Kota Camps Acceptance Guidelines on the reverse side of this page) in regard to camper status, age, gender, etc.

## Camp Aldersgate Kota Camps

### CAMPER ACCEPTANCE GUIDELINES

- A. Campers are recruited on a non-discriminatory basis, without regard to race, color, creed, sex, national origin, religious or political affiliation. **Kota Camps** are open to children and youth ages 6 through 18 with and without medical or physical conditions or developmental delays. **Kota Camps** serves those who do not: require personal caregivers other than camp staff or engage in aggressive and/or abusive behavior.
- B. Utilizing a lottery process, each Kota Camp Summer Session will be comprised of 65% returning campers and 35% new campers.
- C. Priority for camper enrollment will be as follows:
  - 1. a "pair" consisting of disabled and non-disabled friends applying together or disabled and non-disabled siblings applying together
  - 2. individual with a disability
  - 3. individual without a disability
  - 4. second pair of applicants from same family
- D Applicants not accepted for a **MedCamps** session will have priority over those currently enrolled for a **MedCamps** week.
- E. Campers who have not previously been a participant in a Camp Aldersgate Camping Program may be required to participate in an interview with program staff and/or participate in a **Weekend Camps** session.
- F. Camper enrollment will be limited to 56 campers for a summer session and 30 campers for a weekend session. As much as possible, there should be equal representation of:
  - 1. campers with disabilities and campers without disabilities
  - 2. female and male campers
  - 3. age groups (6 11 years old and 12 18 years old)

## Camp Aldersgate

## Kota Registration Form

Kota Camps are inclusive camping experiences for campers with and without medical conditions and/or disabilities. These camps are available for children ages 6 – 18, and we encourage campers to attend with a friend or a sibling. Kota Camps are offered in two, week-long summer camping experiences, as well as two weekend camping experiences during the school year. The dates for the Kota sessions have been listed below. Please mark which camp session(s) you would like your child to attend, and indicate with numbers if you have a preference in sessions.

Camper Name:
Kota Spring Weekend Session: May 4-6, 2018
(Registration Deadline: March 15 <sup>th</sup> )
Kota Summer Session 1: June 24 – June 29, 2018
(Registration Deadline: March 15 <sup>th</sup> )
Kota Summer Session 2: July 8 – 13, 2018
(Registration Deadline: March 15 <sup>th</sup> )
Kota Fall Weekend Session: September 21 – 23, 2018
(Registration Deadline: August 17 <sup>th</sup> )

Please note that the registration deadlines have been listed below each session. As these camps fill up very quickly, we encourage you to fully complete the registration process as soon as possible.



## Camp Aldersgate, Inc. Financial Disclosure

# Please complete this form if you are applying for the Kota and/or Weekend Camps.

Camper's Name

The following statement of understanding <i>MUST</i> be signed before applicant can be accepted as a camper. <i>All information contained in this document is confidential and will be used solely for the purpose of determining fees for participating in the Weekend and Kota Camps programs.</i>
I understand that the information provided below will be used to determine the family's contribution towards the cost for my family member to participate in the Weekend and/or Kota Camps program(s) at Camp Aldersgate. I further understand that should I choose not to provide my family financial information, my family member will not be eligible for any reduction in the family's contribution towards the cost of participation.
I choose not to disclose my family financial information
My family's <i>total annual income</i> is: \$
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Signature of Parent/Guardian
Date

Financial Aid for tuition may be available to those who qualify.

Please see the back of this form for Weekend and Kota Camps tuition information.

## Camp Aldersgate, Inc.

Camper Fee Schedule - 2018/2019

The cost of summer camp is approximately \$1100 per camper per session and approximately \$700 for a weekend session. Camp Aldersgate fundraises so that we are able to offer Tuition Assistance to all campers not funded by an agency. This assistance is based on family income.

	We	ekend	Camps	<b>Tuition</b>	

Tuition must be paid in full at the beginning of each session the camper attends.

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Annual Income	Cost to Families	Cost for each additional camper	Cost to families for 2 children to attend
\$25,000 and under	\$44.00	\$35.00	\$79.00
\$25,001 - \$35,000	\$82.00	\$67.00	\$149.00
\$35,001 - \$50,000	\$126.00	\$100.00	\$226.00
\$50,001 - \$75,000	\$164.00	\$132.00	\$296.00
\$75,001 - \$100,000	\$226.00	\$180.00	\$406.00
\$100,001 and above	\$289.00	\$230.00	\$519.00
Choose not to disclose	\$289.00	\$230.00	\$519.00

Kota Camps Summer Session Tuition
Tuition must be paid in full at the beginning of each session the camper attends.

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Annual Income	Cost to Families	Cost for each additional camper	Cost to families for 2 children to attend			
\$25,000 and under	\$73.00	\$59.00	\$132.00			
\$25,001 - \$35,000	\$148.00	\$118.00	\$266.00			
\$35,001 - \$50,000	\$220.00	\$176.00	\$396.00			
\$50,001 - \$75,000	\$293.00	\$235.00	\$528.00			
\$75,001 - \$100,000	\$402.00	\$331.00	\$733.00			
\$100,001 and above	\$514.00	\$441.00	\$955.00			
Choose not to disclose	\$514.00	\$441.00	\$995.00			