## CAMP BIMINI SCHOOL PROGRAM



Camp Bimini has been inviting schools to come to our outdoor classroom for many years. This program is available during the months of May and June, with the pool available only in June. A schedule with Christian integration will only be done upon request.



Sessions include, but are not limited to, hiking, crafts, sports, campfire time, trust games, cooperation games, team building activities and nature education. All activities are planned according to the age of the students and will fit with the Ontario Curriculum requirements. Our programs will operate rain or shine—the schedule will be adjusted if need be. We will be connecting with the Ontario Curriculum with these topics:

Junior Kindergarten & Senior Kindergarten	Explore natural environment through hands on investigation
Grade 1	Needs and Characteristics of Living Things
Grade 2	Growth and Changes in Animals
Grade 3	Growth and Changes in Plants
Grade 4	Habitats and Communities
Grade 5	Forces Acting on Structures and Mechanisms
Grade 6	Bio Diversity
Grade 7	Interactions in the Environment

Schools may come for a day program or may choose to stay overnight or for a couple of days. Arrival and departure times are set to suit the school. Schools will be given the choice of sharing the day with another class of a similar grade from another school.

Camp Bimini will plan, organize and lead the program for the school. The school must plan transportation to and from and find parent volunteers to participate and supervise. (A minimum ratio of 7:1 is appropriate.)

Camp Bimini is located 7 km southeast of Stratford along the Embro Road. Our facilities include 12 cabins (capable of sleeping 8 each), a large mess hall and kitchen, large pavilion, craft cabin, pool, playing field, campfire pit and more. If



you wish to rent the camp and provide your own programming, please contact Camp Bimini for rental rates.

"The children and nature movement is fueled by this fundamental idea: the child in nature is an endangered species, and the health of children and the health of the Earth are inseparable." RICHARD LOUV from LAST CHILD IN THE WOODS; SAVING OUR CHILDREN FROM NATURE-DEFICIT DISORDER

## **RATES FOR 2024**

\$25.00/day/student

\$30.00/night/student

\$5.00/student for pool use per day (Camp Bimini will provide a certified Life Guard) (For example, cost for one day and one night with pool use: \$60.00/student)

Transportation not included.

Teachers and parent volunteers are not required to pay except for meals.

Students/schools can bring their own lunch or meals can be prepared by Camp Bimini at an additional cost (\$10 per breakfast, \$13 per lunch, \$17 per supper, \$5 per snack).

Please contact Camp Coordinator, Carol Young to book today! coordinator@campbimini.ca or 519-301-1356



Camp Bimini is an accredited United Church of Canada camp and an accredited member of the Ontario Camps Association. We are proud of these standards in health and safety, programming, administration and staffing.

Come to Camp Bimini and connect with nature all over again.



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