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Dear Staff Member,

The anticipation is building as the summer approaches and preparations for another fantastic season are underway. We hope that you are as excited as we are. We have ב"ה put together a terrific staff and the finishing touches to our awesome program are in place!

Camp will א"י start for the campers on Tuesday June 28th. Because you, our staff, are so important to the success of our summer, we are asking all first trip staff members to come to camp on Monday June 27th. We would like to give you time to get acquainted with our staff and each other and to get settled. There will be buses leaving on Monday from Lakewood and Flatbush to bring you to camp. More details will follow.

On our website you will see the clothing list that we sent to all our campers. Please use this as a guide to help you pack. There is also a T-Shirt form for you to fill out and return to us. There will be a \$15 charge which will be used primarily on out-of-camp trips for security purposes. A Trip Permission form needs to be signed by one of your parents in order for you to leave camp grounds on days off. Finally, all staff members will need to fill out the medical forms and return them by June 15. Under New York State law anybody under the age of 18 cannot be allowed into camp without a properly filled out medical form.

No one will be allowed into camp without their up to date immunizations.

STAFF CELLPHONE POLICY

After much thought and discussion, we have come up with the following policy regarding the use of cellphones. We will be allowing the staff to bring a cellphone to camp but it may be used only under the following strict conditions. This policy worked out very well in the past summers.

- All cellphones will be kept in the office!
- They will be given out and permitted to be used on some nights, on Friday afternoons and on days off.
- No staff member may allow a camper to use their cellphone.
- No "Smart" Phones allowed! No Internet access on any device.
- Any staff member not following these guidelines will be subject to immediate dismissal.

If you have any questions or problems to discuss please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Yehuda & Mrs. Rasie Levi
Director