

Hello Staff,

Well, we are just one week away from the start of precamp!!

Here are a few more last minute details that you will need to know as you are packing and getting ready.

This letter should be read after reading our other [FINAL LETTER TO STAFF](#).

Other important information about camp can be found on our [FINAL INSTRUCTIONS](#) page.

In particular, please make sure you have read our [STAFF PACKING LIST](#) before you begin your packing.

BAG TAGS

Your baggage tags are in the mail. You should receive them by the end of the week.

LIVING ARRANGEMENTS

Please see attached. We have done our best to accommodate requests. Please remember that there are many things to consider when placing staff in cabins including: matching younger staff with older and more experienced staff, integrating and teaching new to Walden staff by pairing them with veteran Waldeners, the requests that campers make about the kind of experience they are hoping for, our needs in a certain cabin or unit, your strengths and the strengths of other staff – finding the best matches we can.

UPDATE ON STAFF NEEDS

We have one final staff need. We are looking for a Swim Staff, someone who is NLS and Instructors qualified. If you know of anyone that has these qualifications and is looking for a job this summer, please have them email me at wax@campwalden.ca.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR ABSENCE OR LATENESS

If you have special arrangements for precamp or the camp season because of exams or other issues, please summarize the specific details of those arrangements in an email to Steph (stephanie@campwalden.ca) right away to avoid any confusion. **All special arrangements need to be sent to Steph right away.**

HEALTH FORMS AND CONTRACTS

No paperwork... No Town Night... You can check your campmanuals.com account to see what we have for you and what we are missing. Do this right away.

PHOTOS

We remind you to make sure you send a unique picture of yourself looking happy and having fun to wax@campwalden.ca.

SUNDAY JUNE 27

If you plan to ride a camp bus on this day, you must notify our [Office](#) today. Those taking the bus must ensure that you are getting on the right bus. There will another (inferior) camp using the same parking lot as us. Follow the Camp Walden signs, and look for Josh Stern and Ray Causton. Josh, a long-time Waldener will be wearing a Yellow Walden T-Shirt. He will direct you to the right bus and truck. We would hate for your bags to arrive at the wrong camp, or even worse, for you to arrive at the wrong camp. Sol's friend Ray (a gentleman that has helped Camp Walden many times) will be there as well to make sure the loading of trucks and busses with bags and people is smooth.

- Please arrive no later than 10 AM (but even earlier would be fine – the truck will arrive around 9:30).
- Strong staff should jump up on the truck and help make sure the truck gets loaded from front to back – please volunteer for this if you are capable.
- Please drive your vehicle right up to the truck and lift your duffel up to the staff that are in the truck – work together as a team

- Don't forget to bring some money for lunch at McDonald's – the bus is only stopping for 10 minutes. Please order quickly and bring your food onto the bus – we want to get you to camp as early as possible!

I know it goes without saying, but please be respectful towards Ray, Josh, the Truck Driver, the Bus Drivers, and the Bus Company.

ALL STAFF MEET AT THE 'DEN FOR 4:00 P.M. SHARP – IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO ARRIVE ON TIME.

Once again, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call our office.

Looking forward to seeing kitchen staff through the month of June, Head Staff on the 25th, and the rest of you on Sunday, June 27!

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