CONNECT WITH YMCA CAMP ORKILA

Sending E-mails to Campers

Log-in to your UltraCamp account: http://bit.ly/UltraCamp and under the "Additional Options" menu at the top, select “E-mail a Camper.” Select your camper, who the message is from, compose your message and send.

Want to share e-mailing ability with friends and family? Select “create a friend account” and follow the prompts, which allows friends and family to send e-mails.

Camp will print your e-mail and deliver to your camper as regular mail. There will not be camper mail delivery on the first or last day of camp so plan accordingly.

We’re super excited to offer this service! Here are some guidelines for sending emails:

- Emails are printed off and given to your camper; campers cannot respond to you via email but if you send them with a pre-addressed stamped envelope, they can send you a letter.

- Be sure that your email contains only appropriate content. All emails are scanned by camp staff; inappropriate emails will not be delivered.

- Please only create friend accounts for people you trust to send appropriate messages. Grandparents and other close family members are great people for your camper to hear from while at camp.

- Please send all emails by 3:00pm the day before the end of the session so that we can ensure delivery before your camper departs.

**SAMPLE OF A GREAT E-MAIL:**

Subject: Hello from Mom & Dad!

Hello (Camper Name)!

Well, the weather is HOT and humid here in North Carolina. We cannot wait to get back to Seattle, and hope it’s not as hot at Orkila. How are you doing? Are you having a wonderful time? Have you played GaGa Ball yet? Are you going to ride the zipline?

We cannot WAIT to hear about everything when we pick you up on Saturday!

We love you!
Mom and Dad

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