

PENN STATE SPORT CAMP PROGRAMS **Standards of Conduct**

The following policies and guidelines have been developed to help you gain the maximum benefit from your sport camp experience at Penn State. During your time at Penn State, keep in mind that you are representing yourself, your family, your school, and your community. Please honor this responsibility.

Failure to observe these standards may result in dismissal from the camp program. **Any student dismissed from a sport camp for disciplinary reasons will not receive a refund.**

General Policies:

- Participants are to report on time to all scheduled activities.
- Participants are required to participate in all scheduled activities. Only a sport camp staff member may grant permission to be excused.
- Courteous and respectful behavior is expected at all times to all sport camp staff and participants.
- Participants are not permitted to leave the activity areas or go off campus unless accompanied or granted special permission by a sport camp staff member.
- Misuse or damage of University property is prohibited. Charges will be assessed against participants responsible for damage or missing university property.
- Fighting, profanity, gambling, and other abusive behaviors to oneself or others are forbidden.
- Cell phones may not be used/on during camp instructional sessions.

Residence Halls:

- You must abide by the following **Residence Hall/Campus Regulations** which prohibit the following:
 - possession and use of alcohol or other drugs
 - possession of fireworks, guns, and other weapons
 - stealing
 - violence of any kind (This includes sexual harassment.)
 - smoking (Smoking is prohibited in **all** University buildings.)
 - hazing of any kind
 - overnight guests (**No** overnight guests are allowed.)

- Boys and girls are housed in separate buildings and are **not** allowed in-room visitation. You are prohibited from entering residence halls other than your own.
- Lock your room and keep your key with you at all times. If you lose your key, report the loss immediately to a camp staff member or the Commons Desk. A replacement key will be issued at an additional cost.
- If you are ill, see one of the sport camp staff, camp counselors, athletic trainers or first responders immediately. Athletic trainers and first responders refer medical emergencies and illnesses to University Health Services, Penn State/Hershey State College Orthopaedics, or the Emergency/Outpatient Department of Mount Nittany Medical Center.
- Leave all valuables locked in your room. **Penn State University will not be responsible for lost or stolen articles.** Label all personal belongings clearly, especially equipment.
- Noise levels (including stereos) must be kept at a minimum.
- You must be in your dorm room at 10:30 p.m.

Dining Halls:

- A meal card, issued at registration, will admit you to the dining hall for each meal.
- A shirt and shoes must always be worn in the dining halls.
- Participants are expected to be courteous to dining hall personnel.
- If you lose your meal card, report the loss immediately at the Commons Desk for a replacement.

Parking:

- If you drive a car to a summer sport camp, you must obtain a parking permit and park in your assigned parking lot. Failure to do so may result in a parking fine. Resident participants must surrender car keys to the camp director.

Check Out:

- When checking out of the dorms, please return your key to the Commons desk. You will be charged an additional cost for a key that's been lost or not returned.

Day Campers:

- Day campers are subject to the above guidelines while at Penn State.

WELCOME, AND ENJOY YOUR STAY HERE AT PENN STATE!

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