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# MANITO-WISH FAMILY CAMP

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A FAMILY ADVENTURE

Family Camp is a time for the entire family to experience Camp Manito-wish! This is a week of fun and family growth. Families live in a cabin, eat great meals in Nash Lodge, and have the opportunity to participate in the different program areas. Whether you have experienced Manito-wish before or not, Family Camp quickly brings families together for an exciting week.

## THE PROGRAM

Manito-wish Family Campers have the opportunity to enjoy all the activities that our youth campers enjoy during the summer camp sessions, with instruction offered in most areas.

You are encouraged to participate or take "free time" according to your personal preference.

The program will be a combination of planned activities (optional) and free time. Each day, a variety of activities will be offered in the morning, afternoon and evening.

## THE ACTIVITIES

- Waterfront activities on Boulder Lake including canoeing, sailing, kayaking, fishing and swimming.
- Overnight and day-trip canoe adventures through some of the hundreds of Vilas County lakes and rivers.
- Program areas to participate in:

Nature Activities	Swimming	Trail Biking
Archery	Climbing Wall	Arts & Crafts
Riflery	Biking	Canoeing/Kayaking
Horseback Riding	Sailing	
- Relaxing beside an evening campfire, laughing along at skit night, or simply enjoying the Northwoods' night sky.



### Aug. 16 (Thur.) - Aug. 21 (Tue.)

Ages 13+: \$ 610.00

Ages 3-12: \$ 300.00

Under 3 – no charge

- Minimum cabin fee is \$2,420 if you want a private cabin.



## **IMPORTANT FAMILY CAMP INFORMATION:**

**REGISTRATION PROCESS:** Please complete, sign, and return the admission application to the Camp office along with the required deposit. The deposit is credited toward the camp fee if you are accepted. Applications are considered on a first come/first serve basis. Reservations can be made over the phone with a credit card, as long as the application is completed at the same time with a Manito-wish staff member. A confirmation letter will be sent upon receipt of the application. Spaces are limited. In the event that Family Camp is full, you will be placed on a **waiting list** and advised of alternatives. As cancellations occur, applicants will be accepted off the waiting list in the order they were received. An information packet will be mailed to all registered participants prior to arrival in August. This packet will include directions, what-to-bring list, cabin assignment, etc.

**PAYMENT AND FEES:** Camp fees include all program areas, meals and lodging. *Full payment of the camp fee along with an accurate list of names and ages of participants is to be received **on or before April 30, 2012.*** Failure to meet payment schedule may forfeit application. Spending money for camp store souvenirs is additional. We do not offer pro-rated fees. A cabin minimum of \$2,420 per cabin is in place to reflect the true costs of delivering a quality Camp Manito-wish YMCA Family Camp program. In addition, through encouraging families to share cabins with others, we hope to serve more families who in the past may have been placed on a waiting list. In meeting the \$2,420 minimum, you may guarantee a cabin exclusive to your family group.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** If your family cancels:

1. Before Feb.1 Camp Manito-wish will retain \$100 of deposit.
2. Between Feb. 1 and June 1, Camp Manito-wish will retain the full deposit.
3. In the event of cancellation on or after June 1, Camp Manito-wish will retain 100% of the session fee unless a medical condition (confirmed by a physician) occurs, Manito-wish will retain \$100 and refund the pro-rated balance.

**COMMUNITY STANDARDS:** Camp Manito-wish YMCA is a non-profit organization dedicated to developing spirit, mind, and body. Camp is open to all without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, age, or handicap. This is an adventure where participants are encouraged to participate in the whole program. We will be working, living, and growing together as a community. In the Manito-wish community, we realize that all of our actions affect each other. Participants are expected to demonstrate the core values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility. Camp Manito-wish is a non-smoking facility. Application signifies acceptance of these standards.

**CLOTHING AND LINENS:** Northwoods weather is unpredictable. We strongly suggest that you come prepared for a wide range of temperatures. Some items to include: long pants (required for horseback riding) wool sweaters, warm jacket, swim suit, suntan lotion, rain gear, grubby clothes, flashlight, and shoes that can get wet and be used on the waterfront (required for boating and sailing). Linens are not provided by Camp. Please bring your own twin-sized sheets, blankets, pillows and towels.

**SPECIAL CONCERNS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN:** Children under ten should bring a life vest or swimming aid for waterfront use. Swimming takes place in Boulder Lake. Parents are responsible for supervising children on the waterfront. Other suggested items include a booster or high chair, and favorite games, toys or books. If bringing bicycles, helmets must be worn when on camp property. Youth sized bicycles will not be provided by Camp Manito-wish YMCA.

**MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS:** Camp Manito-wish YMCA is not responsible for any medical or surgical charges. Each person is responsible for his or her own medical care and coverage. If you need medical help, the Howard Young Medical Center is located in Woodruff, approximately 20 miles from Camp Manito-wish.

**DIRECTIONS:** Travel North on Highway 51 through Minocqua/Woodruff, Wisconsin. Turn right onto County Highway M. Travel approximately 10 miles into the town of Boulder Junction. Keep to the left and exit town on West County Highway K. Camp is one mile west of town on Highway K.

Primary Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 If you are a Manito-wish alum, what years were you a camper/staff? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maiden/Given name? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If not, how did you learn about Manito-wish? \_\_\_\_\_

**INFORMATION ON ALL (INCLUDING PRIMARY CONTACT) FAMILY/GROUP MEMBERS WHO WILL BE ATTENDING FAMILY CAMP:**

Full Name	Birthdate (MM/DD/Year)	Manito-wish Alum? (Y/N)	Address (if different than above)
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Please attach additional sheet if you need more room.

**Cabin Preference:** A map is included; please list three cabins and we will do our best to honor your preference.

1.) \_\_\_\_\_ 2.) \_\_\_\_\_ 3.) \_\_\_\_\_

<p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES, we will share a cabin with another family.</b></p> <p>_____ Adults (age 13+) @ \$610.00 = _____</p> <p>_____ Children (age 3-12) @ \$300.00 = _____</p> <p>_____ Children under 3 @ no charge = _____</p> <p><b>TOTAL CAMP FEES =</b> _____</p> <p><b>TOTAL =</b> _____</p> <p><b>Less deposit of 50%=</b> _____ (due with registration)</p> <p><b>Balance Due =</b> _____ (due by April 30, 2012)</p>
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<p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO, we would like a cabin exclusive to our family group.</b></p> <p>_____ Adults (age 13+) @ \$610.00 = _____</p> <p>_____ Children (age 3-12) @ \$300.00 = _____</p> <p>_____ Children under 3 @ no charge = _____</p> <p><b>CAMP FEES =</b> _____</p> <p><b>Cabin Minimum= \$2,420.00</b> (equivalent to 2 adults &amp; 4 children)</p> <p>TOTAL is which ever is greater: the "CAMP FEES" or "Cabin Minimum"      <b>TOTAL =</b> _____</p> <p><b>Less deposit of 50%=</b> _____ (due with registration)</p> <p><b>Balance Due =</b> _____ (due by April 30, 2012)</p>
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<p><b>Please bill my :</b> <input type="checkbox"/> VISA® <input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard® Amount: \$ _____ Entire Camp Fee or _____ Deposit (fill in amount)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Check enclosed (payable to Camp Manito-wish YMCA)</b> check amount \$ _____ Check # _____</p> <p><b>I would like to participate in the following payment plan:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Invoice me for the remainder of fee in March      <input type="checkbox"/> Charge my credit card monthly* We will contact you to make payment arrangements.</p> <p>Credit Card # : _____ CSV code (three digits on back of card) _____ Exp. Date: ____/____</p> <p>Cardholder Name: _____ Daytime phone number: _____</p> <p>Card billing address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____</p> <p>Person financially responsible: _____ Phone: _____</p> <p>Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____</p>
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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Both sections below must be signed for registration to be accepted.

**Cancellation policy/agreement:**

I hereby apply to attend Camp Manito-wish YMCA. Enclosed you will find the **required deposit of 50% of total fees** which I understand will be credited toward the Camp fee if I am accepted for enrollment. **I agree to pay the total fee on or before April 30, 2012, along with an accurate list of names and ages of participants.** I understand that in the event of my family's cancellation: 1) Before Feb.1, Manito-wish will retain \$100, 2) Between Feb.1 and June 1, Manito-wish will retain the full deposit 3) On or after June 1, Manito-wish will retain the full fee unless the exceptions stated in the cancellation policy are met. I understand the terms covering payment of fees and hereby give my approval and consent to this application.

**Photo/image-use information:**

I hereby give permission to use any video, photographs, or written statements from my family's experience in public relations materials including the internet without compensation.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Waiver information:**

I understand that although Camp Manito-wish YMCA has taken reasonable steps to provide my family with appropriate training, equipment and skilled staff for their experience, I acknowledge that some inherent risks cannot be eliminated without destroying the unique character of these activities. Such risks include, but are not limited to, those associated with canoeing, portaging, backpacking, sea kayaking, waterfront activities, horseback riding, wildlife, vehicle transportation, and other components of the camp experience and wilderness travel.

Aware of the risks and willing to assume them, I hereby waive, release and agree to hold harmless the Camp Manito-wish YMCA Inc., their representatives and successors for all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my family's participation in this camp experience. I have read the descriptions of the session, understand the requirements for participation, and give my family permission to participate. I assume and accept full responsibility for their participation.

**IN CASE OF SURGICAL EMERGENCY**, I hereby give my permission to the physician selected by the Camp administration to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and order injection, anesthesia or surgery for members of my family. I accept responsibility for medical/surgical treatment charges which may be incurred on my family's behalf.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Application must be signed (both cancellation and waiver statements) to be accepted.

**Please send application or fax both sides of application to: (715) 385-2461**  
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