

2021 Family Cabin Rental Program

General Information

The Family Cabin Rental Program is designed to welcome families back to RKY Camp for a largely self-led get away from home this summer. RKY Camp will provide each group with two cabins in proximity for a 5-night experience on Eagle Lake, 50 minutes north of Kingston.

Food service will be provided by RKY's incredible kitchen staff, though whether it is delivered as in-person dining or outdoor take out will be determined in the coming months with guidance from local public health.

Please read through the following guide carefully as it should answer most question you have!



Please note that this program is subject to cancellation due to the on-going pandemic conditions and local public health restrictions.

Currently, we are unable to welcome families from outside of Ontario.



What is included?

- Traditional camper cabin with bunk beds/single sized mattresses (cabins have electricity but
 no running water or washrooms inside) from 4pm on the arrival day through noon on
 departure day. Bedding and pillows are not provided by RKY. There are 5 camper cabin
 bookings available each week.
- Families can also rent the 'Wellness Cottage' (traditionally our nurse/health care station) which has two bedrooms, sleeps 5, has a bathroom, kitchen and private dock. Wellness Cottage rentals are subject to a \$500 premium charge. There is only 1 cottage rental available each week.
- RKY's kitchen will provide tasty meals during your stay they will start with dinner on arrival day and end with brunch on departure day. You can include any dietary restrictions on your registration form after booking your spot online.
- Picnic table at your cabin and assigned campfire pit (campfires will be allowed depending on the fire rating https://www.centralfrontenac.com/en/living-here/burn-status.aspx?mid=17909).
 Additional wood may be purchased on site.
- All guests will be subject to COVID screening upon arrival.
- Daily scheduled and supervised one-hour boating or archery program.
- Additional programming may be provided by RKY staff, though forthcoming guidelines could prohibit some activities this summer.
- Swimming areas to be used unsupervised and at your own risk throughout daylight hours. Physical distance from other renting families must be maintained.
- Washrooms will be cleaned and disinfected twice a day (minimum). Wellness Cottage private bathroom will only be cleaned before arrival and after departure. Cleaning supplies provided for families to maintain cleanliness during their stay.
- Garbage and recycling services.

Available Programs (included in fee):

- Swimming (Unsupervised during daylight hours)
- Kayaking/Canoeing (RKY supervised if using our kayaks and canoes)
- Archery (RKY supervised)
- Evening programs safely led by RKY staff
- Disc Golf
- Campfires (depending on local fire ban)
- Hiking (information about nearby provincial parks also available)
- Fishing (bring your own equipment, catch and release only license required)
- Families are invited to bring their own equipment, such as bikes, paddleboards and make your own fun as well!



What is NOT included?

These are very important to keep everyone safe and meet health requirements. With our compact site size (15 acres), these need to be followed to ensure the success of these rentals and keep everyone on site safe.

- No access to any other buildings on site beside assigned cabin/cottage and washroom.
- No bedding or toiletries will be available. Hand soap, toilet paper and paper towel will be provided in all washrooms.
- Families are invited to bring their own additional food but please note there will not be access to refrigeration (unless renting the Wellness Cottage).
- No close interaction with other rental families. Of course, you may cross paths with other families but public safety measures must be respected. It is important to only be in program areas that you have booked or been assigned, and travel in your family group.

RKY Family Cabin Rental Rates 2021		
(All rates are subject to 13% HST)		
Adults (17 and older)	\$500	
Youth (3 to 16 year olds)	\$250	
Under 3 years old	Free	

For families renting the Wellness Cottage (includes bathroom and kitchen), a premium of \$500 will be added to the final invoice.

2021 Family Cabin Rental Dates		
July 13-18	July 20-25	
July 27-August 1	August 3-8, 2021	
August 10-15	August 17-20*	

*Rates for August 17-20		
(All rates are subject to 13% HST)		
Adults (17 and older)	\$300	
Youth (3 to 16 year olds)	\$150	
Under 3 years old	Free	



How do I book a cabin rental for one of the above weeks?

Cabin rental bookings will be placed through our online registration software here beginning Wednesday June 2 at 8am. Families will be able to claim an available spot and will have to pay a non-refundable \$50 booking deposit.

Once your spot is confirmed online, you can complete the registration form available on our website and identify how many family members/ages of each will be a part of your group. This will allow us to create an accurate invoice in advance of your arrival at RKY Camp in July/August 2021.

Any fees paid towards your campers' 2021 cancelled camp can be applied to this program. A final invoice will be sent to you in advance of your arrival to allow for credit card or cheque payment.

Families who were awarded campership subsidy for the cancelled 2020 and 2021 summer camps will be able to apply that same percentage to their 2021 Family Cabin Rental. If you had not previously applied for subsidy but need assistance with these fees, you can apply to have a percentage of your fees subsidized by emailing director@rkycamp.org.

Families that wish to visit at RKY Camp at the same time will have to coordinate their online bookings together. We will work to assign requested families cabins in closer proximity.

Families may also choose to come for less days, however, to ensure this program remains financially viable we will not be able to prorate individual fees for time not spent at RKY during the booking.

If you have any questions, concerns, or suggestions please contact us directly at fun@rkycamp.org.



Cancellation Policy

- Requests for cancellations or refunds must be made in writing and submitted to RKY Camp at fun@rkycamp.org.
- Cancellation requests received at least 14 days before the arrival date will receive a refund of 50% of the total rental fee. Cancellation requests received with at least 7 days' notice will receive a refund of 25% of the total rental fee.
- Cancellation requests received less than 7 days prior to the arrival date will not be refunded. Refunds are not granted for inclement weather. Refunds take 2-3 weeks to process.
- In the event that RKY is not permitted to offer these rentals due to local public health unit or provincial orders, all fees except the \$50 booking deposit will be refunded.

Arrival and Departure Information

Check-in

Check-in is after 4pm on your first night's arrival. Dinner will be served by the RKY kitchen at 6:30pm. Please let us know if you will be arriving after this time for us to make the appropriate accommodations.

Upon arrival at RKY Camp, families will check in at the parking lot in front of the new Homestead dining hall facility. Guests will be greeted by an RKY Camp staff and will be asked to complete an electronic health screening form (including a temperature check and rapid COVID-19 test).

Check-out

Check-out time for cabins and the cottage will be at 12 noon on your last day.

General Rules

- To participate in cabin or cottage rentals at RKY Camp, all guests on each reservation must belong to one immediate family. Different families can coordinate booking during the same week; however, they will not be allowed to share cabins.
- Health screening (including pre-screening questions and temperature checks) will be required upon arrival for all guests at the time of check-in. All adult guests will be required to provide contact information for contact tracing purposes, should it be required.
- The maximum occupancy for a Camper Cabin is 10 individuals. The Wellness Cottage has 5 beds and an additional cabin nearby with 3 more beds. The primary reservation holder must be at least 25 years of age, remain on site for the duration of the booking, and is



- responsible for the supervision of any minors. Children are the responsibility of their parent/guardian and must be always supervised while on site.
- There is no minimum number required for booking a cabin rental as all fees are based on each individual guests' ages.
- For your safety and the safety of others, a face mask or face covering will be required for all enclosed public spaces (this does not include your family's cabin).
- Please always respect physical distancing with other families and camp staff while using the RKY property.
- Small camp stoves (single and double burner) and charcoal/briquette BBQs are permitted. Fuel must be kept and stored away from the open flame of any campfire.
- Any pets brought to site must remain on leash and may only enter your designated family cabin. Proof of rabies and any other vaccinations is required. We recommend all dogs have protection against ticks as they are present in the woods around RKY throughout the warmer months. If animals cause a disturbance to other guests or wildlife, they will not be allowed to stay on site.
- Smoking is only allowed outdoors, near your cabin areas or in the parking lot by your vehicle. Please dispose of butts responsibly.
- No alcohol or drugs are permitted outside of the private camping areas. All illegal drugs are prohibited.
- Access to program areas and equipment is prohibited if a guest has consumed any drugs or alcohol.
- No hunting is permitted.
- The use of fireworks or firecrackers of any type is prohibited.
- Centrally located washrooms and hand-wash stations are available for all cabin rentals.
 Cottage rentals will have their own washroom. Please only use the washroom and handwash station assigned to your cabin during your stay.
- Please only build campfires in campfire pits provided. Water bucket, firewood and kindling will be provided for each cabin and cottage rental. Fires must be always attended and must be thoroughly extinguished when no longer required.
- A parking permit will be provided upon arrival. Please place this on the dashboard during your stay. You will be permitted to unload vehicles in the centre of camp for an easier move in and then move your vehicle to the designated parking lot.
- Pool toys will not be provided for swimming feel free to bring your own if you need/want them.
- Campers are able to bring their own bikes and helmets on to our site.
- Cabin and cottage rentals will access potable water at their assigned washroom/handwash station.
- During your visit (including overnight) if you require emergency assistance, RKY staff can be reached at the following number: 613-539-0036 or 613-484-2185. Please do not hesitate to call in an emergency situation.
- Campers are responsible to ensure their cabin is clean and animal proof at all times.
 Food, coolers, and cooking materials must be stored in vehicles, cabins, or airtight food barrels at all times when not in use.
- In the case of inclement weather, please shelter in your cabin/cottage. In case of an extreme weather event, RKY staff will provide direction and a safe shelter space.



- RKY Camp assumes no responsibility for loss of property however caused or damage to vehicle or theft of contents.
- Guests are financially responsible for any damage to RKY property over and above that incurred through reasonable use. Damages assessed at time of checkout will be charged to credit card used to book the rental.
- To respect other guests and the local cottage community, quiet hours are from 10:00 pm 7:30 am.

Food Service by RKY Camp

While we are still awaiting public health guidance on how meals will be served for Family Cabin Rentals, we are prepared to provide you with well balanced, tasty, and family-friendly meals during your stay.

RKY can meet most dietary restrictions and food allergies with enough notice (vegetarian, vegan, no diary, gluten free, etc.). The form where you will list names/ages of family's members will also include space to list any dietary restrictions you need accommodated during your stay.

Arrival day will provide you with dinner and departure day will provide a later brunch before your departure. All days in between (Wednesday through Saturday) we will provide 3 meals per day.

Snacks will not be provided during the day, so we welcome you to bring your own to store in your cabin in animal proof containers. Please note that only Wellness Cottage renters will have access to a fridge in their cabin.

First Aid and Medical Emergencies

While RKY Camp staff are on call for advice and assistance, the health and wellbeing of your group is in your hands. All families are required to bring a first aid kit and ensure that they have the appropriate skills to provide basic first aid.

In the event of a life-threatening emergency, please call 911 and then immediately call the oncall RKY phone (provided during on-site check-in) so that we can coordinate with emergency services. In the event of a non-emergency first aid situation where you require assistance, please call the on-call phone.



While uncommon, it is possible that you will encounter wildlife while on our property. The best way to avoid an unwanted encounter is to store food, garbage, and any other scented products carefully.

Ticks

We do have ticks at certain times of the year around our site, and while uncommon, it is possible that you will come across one. The best defence against ticks is to avoid long grassy areas and small trees/bushes, wear light-coloured long-sleeves and pants tucks into socks, and to use bug repellant. We recommend doing a daily "tick check" to make sure there are no ticks on your body.

Raccoons

Raccoons are commonly found trying to break into food barrels and garbage storage at nighttime but will also come out during the day if food is left unattended. The best way to keep them out of your site is to ensure your food is stored appropriately at nighttime, or when you are away from it. They can be scared off by loud noises, like by banging pots and pans together.

Porcupines

Porcupines are often seen wandering the site in the evenings and nighttime. They are quite skittish but can easily get their quills stuck into skin, especially with animals such as dogs and pets. For this reason and there being no nearby emergency veterinary clinic, we are asking guests to not bring pets to RKY.

Black Bears

While unlikely to be spotted on RKY property, it is possible that you may come across one in the area. If you come across a black bear that hasn't spotted you yet, back away slowly and call the on-call phone number. If the bear notices you, remain calm and gather your group together. Make loud noises (like banging pots and pans, clapping, making animal noises) to scare the bear away, and alert an RKY staff. This way we can keep tabs on our visitor and alert other guests in the area.

If ever you are unsure of what to do or feel unsafe at any time during your stay, call the on-call RKY phone at (613) 539-0036 or (613) 484-2185.