

Ryde Lake Family Camping Information and Guidelines - 2017

The following guidelines are for your safety and enjoyment.

1. **Arrival:** Arrival is after 3 pm. Please check-in at the dining hall. Dinner is included on arrival day. Balance of fee (cheque or e-transfer preferred) is payable at time of check-in.
2. **Departure:** Departure is by 2 pm (check-out from cabins by 1pm) Lunch is included on departure day
Please note: additional charges may be incurred for late departures
3. **Meal times:** **Breakfast 8:30 am** **Lunch 12:30 pm** **Dinner 5:30 pm**
The daily meal rate is a flat fee and includes three meals. Picnic lunches are available for campers who are hiking on our site (4 hr. notice please). No refund for missed meals. We are able to accommodate basic vegetarian diets.
Advance notice of vegetarian campers is required.
4. **Day Visitors** are welcome. Daily rate/visitor is \$5.00 plus meal charges. 24 hour notice for meals, if possible, please.
5. **Accommodation** is in cabins.
6. **Telephone:** 705-687-2912. Please note that the camp phone is intended for camp business and emergency only.
7. **Parking:** In the interest of camp safety, we ask that all vehicles, once unloaded, be parked in the designated parking areas at the dining hall.
8. **Waterfront:** Waterfront is unsupervised. Swimming in the designated area only. No swimming or watercraft activity after sunset. Families are responsible for their own safety. Children must be accompanied by an adult (18 yr and over).
9. **Fishing:** Lots of great fishing spots! Please note: for everyone's safety, no fishing from any of the waterfront docks. We can suggest other suitable areas. Be advised that "Ontario Recreation Fishing Regulations" apply to all fishing. Ryde Lake Camp encourages "catch and release" practices.
10. **Canoes, kayaks, paddleboats, lifejackets, and paddles** are provided.
Lifejackets must be worn when using any watercraft on our site: boats, canoes, kayaks, or paddleboats.
11. **The Natural Environment:** Please help preserve Ryde for the future. Leave plants/flowers for others to enjoy. Protect and do not disturb wildlife. "*Leave only your thanks and take nothing but photographs and memories.*"
12. **Campfires:** Campfire Rock, dining hall, and waterfront firepit areas are available for evening campfires.
Due to the proximity of the waterfront firepit to the sleeping cabins, use of this firepit is restricted to before 9:45 pm. For later campfires, please use either the Campfire Rock or dining hall firepits.
13. **Noise:** In consideration of others, no excessive noise after 10 pm.
14. **Ryde Lake Camp is an alcohol-free site.**
15. **Smoking in designated areas only:** Picnic tables at kitchen and waterfront firepit areas.
16. **Electrical outlets in cabin** - our wiring can handle light use only, ie. phone recharging.
17. **Laundry facilities** are not available to campers. We are happy to provide info on nearby laundromats.
18. **Kitchen facilities:** For camp food service only. Due to public health regulations we are unable to provide freezer/fridge space for camper's personal use. Small fridges are provided in the Ryde House and Infirmary cabins.
19. **Garbage and Recycling:** Please deposit litter/recyclables in the appropriate containers.
20. **No pets please**
21. **Ryde Lake Camp is not responsible for accidents or property loss.**