

# 2010 Camp Chikopi Canoe Trips

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Each summer Chikopi participates in a very exciting canoe out tripping program. We include each and every camper and staff member on the trips. Our canoe tripping leader is very skilled and highly experienced in organizing this annual event.

The process is a simple one, during the summer each camper receives instructions on canoe and camping skills. Our Trip Leader determines the skill level of each member of camp and designates a trip that suits him. Staff choose from a selection of three or more trips offered by the Trip Leader, but the final decision is that of the Directors and the Trip Leader.

During the summer, every member of camp receives instructions on the safety precautions that must be observed while using any of Chikopi's water craft. Below is a list of them for your knowledge and for you to review. In order to participate in the Canoe trips Chikopi requires you and a parent/guardian (if under 18), to sign that you have read and understood these safety rules prior to arriving at Chikopi.

## Canoe, Kayak, Sailboat, Motorboat, Wind-surfer, Knee-surfer, Hobie-cat, Competitive Canoes

1. Lifejackets must be worn and correctly fastened at all times when on a water craft.
2. Water shoes, (not flip flops), must be worn at all times on water craft.
3. Always wear a whistle attached to your life jacket.

By signing this sheet, you and your parents/guardians, (if under 18), acknowledge on your behalf that any use of water craft owned by Chikopi/Ak-o-Mak will be operated by you in the correct manner as outlined in the safety measures provided. Any accident resulting to you after failure to adhere to these safety measures shall be the sole responsibility of you and your parents/guardians.

I acknowledge that Chikopi is located in Ontario and that the Ontario Courts shall have jurisdiction over any claim, legal dispute or cause of action arising out of an accident or alleged negligence or other claims that lead to a legal proceeding against Camp Chikopi. I hereby agree that if I commence any such legal proceedings, they will be held only in Ontario and I hereby irrevocably submit to the jurisdiction of the Ontario Courts. I agree that the resolution of all disputes arising with camp shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of Ontario.

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Signature Of Parent/Guardian

Signature

Date

**This form must be signed and returned to the Chikopi office.  
Failure to do so will result in you being unable to participate in the canoe trips.**