



**2024
CAMPAURORA**

**registration
package**

Welcome!



Camp Aurora serves youth who are between the ages 14-17 by the first day of camp who can identify as Two-Spirit, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, questioning (2SLGBTQ+), and allied. Established in 2007, Camp Aurora programming aims to build capacity, resilience, and community of 2SLGBTQ+ youth. Camp is the ultimate highlight of the summer! We understand the transformative benefits of a positive camp experience - making new friends, learning new skills and understanding more about oneself and the world around them.

Camp Aurora is organized by a team of staff from Rainbow Resource Centre. This year we are also partnering with 2Spirit Manitoba to run our 2S and Indigiqueer spaces. 2Spirit Manitoba is a community-based non-profit organization that focuses on helping 2Spirit & Indigenous LGBTQIA+ holistically improve their circumstances.

In addition to our planning team, Camp Aurora is supported by community volunteers including: kitchen team, nurses, workshop facilitators, trained cabin leaders, a canoe instructor, a lifeguard, a team of program support staff. Together, are a wonderful team of primarily 2SLGBTQ+ people, with the intention of providing the campers with a monumental experience.

Camp Aurora is located in the Whiteshell at Camp Brereton.

Meet the Planning Team!



Hi! I'm Alice (she/her) and I have the pleasure of being the Camp Coordinator once again this year! I'm responsible for ensuring that everything runs smoothly before, during and after Camp. I will be your main go-to person. We are aiming to build on the great year that we had last by offering different workshops while keeping programming that the youth have known to love and look forward, to like the talent show and dance.



Hello! My name is Madison Neapew/ Blue Thunderbird Ikwe (they/she), and I'm the Youth Program Coordinator at Rainbow Resource Centre. I'm in charge of planning and facilitating programming here at the centre as well as our summer camps! I'm most looking forward to all the activities and seeing everyone get together as a community.



This is Jonah (He/Him), Volunteer Coordinator for Rainbow Resource Centre. As part of the camp team, my role is to address matters relating to volunteers at camp. My jobs include hiring, training and supporting volunteers. My aim at camp is always to ensure that volunteers are given the tools they need to thrive, enjoy the experience, and learn alongside the campers that they are responsible for. I'm most looking forward to the talent show, a time when we get to see campers come out of their shell, show us what they've been working on, and share with us a part of themselves we didn't get to see before.



Hi! I'm Tia (they/them), and I'm the Youth Support Counsellor at Rainbow Resource Centre. At Camp, I'm the go-to person for mental health support and crisis. My aim is that all folks who come to Camp have a welcoming, fun, and memorable experience. I'm most looking forward to watching the talent show!



Tansi! My name is Sunday Queskekapow (They/Them), I work with 2Spirit Manitoba and will be one of the folks hosting the Two-Spirit space. I aim to ensure that the Two-Spirit space is a safe, creative, and connecting space for folks to be amongst community as well as learn traditional teachings. I'm most looking forward to seeing the creation and talents of the campers!

We will also be joined by 3 emerging adults to act as Program Support throughout the duration of Camp Aurora. Thank you for entrusting us with your child's care. We're glad you've chosen to spend your break with us, and you have our commitment to do our very best.

Camp Aurora Dates:

Sun, August 25th - Thurs, August 29th 2024



GENERAL APPLICATION INFORMATION

We typically receive more applications than we have space. Therefore, applications are generally accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

Camp Aurora recognizes that some population groups typically have less access to opportunities for 2SLGBTQ+ specific programming and resources due to the way they have been marginalized. Spirit Day Camp believes in creating more equitable opportunities for our campers, and will be prioritizing camper applications from BIPOC youth and/or youth in care.

All applicants are notified of their status after the registration deadline.

Applications are only considered received when all information required is completed.

CAMP AURORA OBJECTIVES

1. To create safe(r) spaces by challenging all forms of discrimination such as homophobia, transphobia, biphobia, racism, sexism, classism, ableism, ageism, fatphobia, xenophobia and the ongoing impacts of colonization;
2. To engage with and learn from positive role models and connect with 2SLGBTQ+ peers;
3. To provide opportunities for campers to build new skills through experiential learning;
4. To encourage community engagement, participation, and volunteerism;
5. To facilitate social inclusion for campers from rural, northern and urban settings;
6. To foster and strengthen youth leadership skills;
7. To ensure the youth-centered content, spirit, and longevity of the camp;
8. To ensure camp is accessible to all youth, regardless of socio-economic status;
9. To celebrate all aspects of identity; and
10. To foster existing, and establish new community relationships

WHERE IS CAMP?

Camp Aurora is located at [Camp Brereton, Block 7, Lot 9, Brereton Lake, Whiteshell Provincial Park](#) (about 2 hour drive east of Winnipeg). Camp Brereton is accredited by the Manitoba Camping Association, and owned by Variety, the Children's Charity of Manitoba. We are able to use this space for Camp Aurora thanks to an in-kind donation from Variety. Although Camp Brereton has paved many of their walkways, the ground may be uneven.

WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT AT CAMP?

- An opportunity to connect with the land including canoeing, hiking, and swimming
- Living in a gender-inclusive and supportive environment
- Workshops that explore wellbeing, art, drag, and more
- The annual camp talent show, drag showcase, and dance
- New friendships and connections
- Communal meals
- Gender-inclusive cabins and washrooms. Sleeping arrangements are single-sized mattresses on bunk beds. Cabins are air conditioned.

TENATIVE SCHEDULE

Please note that this schedule is subject to change.



Time	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
7:00 - 7:30		Polar Bear Swim	Polar Bear Swim	Polar Bear Swim	
7:30 - 8:00					
8:00 - 8:30		Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	Start Packing Bags in Cabin
8:30 - 9:00		Flag Raising + Smudge	Flag Raising + Smudge	Flag Raising + Smudge	Flag Raising + Smudge
9:00 - 9:30		Chores	Chores	Chores	Craft Pick Up in MPR 1
9:30 - 10:00		Breakfast + Dishes	Breakfast + Dishes	Breakfast + Dishes	Breakfast + Dishes
10:00 - 10:30					
10:30 - 11:00	Welcome to Camp Aurora! Cabin Assignment, Bag Drop, Cabin Introductions in Cabins	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	Cabin Clean-Up
11:00 - 11:30		CHOOSE ONE	CHOOSE ONE	CHOOSE ONE	Camp Clean-Up <i>Note: If Campers finish early and are awaiting inspection, you can start book signing</i>
11:30 - 12:00	Expectations and Schedule in MPR1	WORKSHOP A	WORKSHOP C	WORKSHOP E	
12:00 - 12:30		WORKSHOP B	WORKSHOP D	WORKSHOP F	
		CANOE	CANOE	CANOE	Clean-Up Inspection and Touch-Ups
		BIPOC SPACE Only open to those who identify as Black, Indigenous and/or a person of colour	2S + INDIGIQUEER SPACE Only open to those who identify as First Nations, Inuit or Metis	BIPOC SPACE Only open to those who identify as Black, Indigenous and/or a person of colour	
12:30 - 1:00	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	Lunch (Disposable Dishes)
1:00 - 1:30	Lunch + Dishes	Lunch + Dishes	Lunch + Dishes	Lunch + Dishes	Changeover
1:30 - 2:00					Evaluations
2:00 - 2:30	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	
2:30 - 3:00	Cabin Time Cabin Leaders do Camp Tour from 3:30 - 4:00	CHOOSE ONE	CHOOSE ONE	CHOOSE ONE	Closing Activity
3:00 - 3:30		WORKSHOP A	WORKSHOP C	WORKSHOP E	Book and Flag Signing
3:30 - 4:00		WORKSHOP B	WORKSHOP D	WORKSHOP F	
		CANOE	CANOE	CANOE	
		2S + INDIGIQUEER SPACE Only open to those who identify as First Nations, Inuit or Metis	BIPOC SPACE Only open to those who identify as Black, Indigenous and/or a person of colour	2S + INDIGIQUEER SPACE Only open to those who identify as First Nations, Inuit or Metis	Gather Snacks and Board Bus
4:00 - 4:30	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	
4:30 - 5:00	Full Camp Workshop	Free Time (swimming, Button Making, Cross-Stitch, Rock Painting, Talent-Show Prep)	Free Time (swimming, Button Making, Cross-Stitch, Rock Painting, Talent-Show Prep)	Free Time (swimming, Button Making, Cross-Stitch, Rock Painting)	
5:00 - 5:30		<i>Note: No Campers in Cabins at this time. There will be a designated napping cabin if campers need.</i>		<i>Note: No Campers in Cabins at this time. There will be a designated napping cabin if campers need.</i>	
5:30 - 6:00			Changeover	Changeover	Changeover
6:00 - 6:30	Dinner + Dishes	Dinner + Dishes	Dinner + Dishes	Dinner + Dishes	
6:30 - 7:00					
7:00 - 7:30	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	Changeover	
7:30 - 8:00	Bringing Camp Together <i>Note: Quiet Space in Dining Hall is available from 7:30-9:30</i>	Movie Night <i>Note: Quiet Space in Dining Hall is available from 7:30-10:00</i>	Talent Show <i>Note: Quiet Space in Dining Hall is available from 7:30-10:00</i>	Drag Show	<i>Note: Quiet Space in Dining Hall is available from 7:30-10:30</i>
8:00 - 8:30					
8:30 - 9:00					
9:00 - 9:30	Cabin Time				
9:30 - 10:00	Bedtime Prep + Cabin Debrief, Lights Out	Indigenous Storytelling at the Campfire or Stretching in MPR1	Indigenous Storytelling at the Campfire or Stretching in MPR1	Dance	<i>Note: Quiet Space in Dining Hall is available from 7:30-10:30</i>
10:00 - 10:30		Bedtime Prep + Cabin Debrief, Lights Out	Bedtime Prep + Cabin Debrief, Lights Out		
10:30 - 11:00				Bedtime Prep + Cabin Debrief, Lights Out	

Preparing for Camp



WHAT TO BRING!

- Multiple blankets
- Fitted Sheet for twin Bed
- Pillows + pillow cases
- Towel(s)
- Bathroom items including soap, toothbrush, toothpaste and deodorant and other necessary toiletries (eg: shaving supplies, make up etc.)
- Indoor and outdoor shoes and sandals. Include a pair of shoes that are good for outdoor activities. We also encourage folks to bring water shoes!
- Clothes for 5 days and all weather
- Outdoor jacket, rain gear and umbrella/poncho
- Sunscreen
- Bug spray
- Any necessary medications in original packaging or blister pack. All medications need to be recorded on the medicine + health information form. **Note: If cannabis is prescribed for medicinal purposes you must provide an accompanying prescription. We request that the tool used for administering cannabis be glass free (eg. pre-rolls, pens, etc.).**
- A flashlight
- Phone charger
- A book
- Anything that might help you feel comfortable at camp
- Your own snacks (**Note: we have snacks provided throughout the day, but we also encourage campers to bring some of their favourite snacks. These snacks must be peanut free.**)
- Items for talent show/free time
- Headphones
- Swimwear (**Note: A top must be worn at all times, including swimming, while at camp. Rules for bodies with breasts say that nipples must be covered. We know that these rules are rooted in sexism and transphobia. It is not within our control to change this rule. In an effort to be inclusive and fair to all, we have chosen to apply this rule to all bodies. This means all campers must always wear a swimsuit top, sports bra, binder, t-shirt, and/or tank-top when swimming.)**

CAMP AURORA IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST, STOLEN OR DAMAGED ITEMS.

We **DO NOT** allow the following items at camp. Any camper found with these items may require a guardian pick-up.

- Knives or weapons of any kind
- Alcohol, non-prescription drugs or drug paraphernalia

Questions?

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us at any time at campaurora@rainbowresourcecentre.org



CAMP TRANSPORTATION

Camp Aurora provides a bus to get to and from Camp. It leaves/arrives from Polo Park. All campers must take the bus as there is no space for cars or parking at Camp. If campers are not at the bus before the departure time, they may miss camp. Bus tickets are available by request to aid campers in getting to Polo Park. If you require support with the cost of travel into Winnipeg from rural or Northern communities, please contact us to discuss available options: campaurora@rainbowresourcecentre.org

Leaving for Camp: Sunday, August 25th

- Campers must meet in the South parking lot near the T.D building + Joey Polo Park (facing Portage Avenue) at **Polo Park Mall at 7:45 am. The bus leaves at 8:30 am**

Coming Home: Thursday, August 29th

- The bus will drop off campers at the same location at **Polo Park at approximately 6:00 pm. Legal guardians assume liability of the camper at the point of bus drop-off.**

LEAVING EARLY?

If for whatever reason, a camper wishes to leave camp early they must agree to follow the following procedures. This is to ensure camper safety.

- Inform their cabin leader that they wish to leave camp
- The cabin leader will inform the Camp Coordinator and Youth Support Counsellor
- Together the camper, Camp Coordinator, Youth Support Counsellor and Cabin Leader will discuss the reason for the camper wishing to leave early. Camp staff will support and encourage the camper to re-engage in the Camp experience.
- If the camper is unable to re-engage back into Camp, the campers parents/guardians will be contacted
- After discussing with campers parents/guardians, the Camp Coordinator will create a plan of action for picking up the camper

ILLNESS

For the health and welfare for all campers and staff, campers are required to be in good health to attend camp. Unexpected illness is a reality for all families with children in group care, including Camp. If your child is ill and not attending Camp please let us know so we can contact the next person on the waitlist.

Note: If for any reason, a camper needs to leave Camp while it is in duration, the legal guardian is responsible to arrange transportation.

Camp Expectations



CONTRABAND POLICY

Non-prescription drugs, weapons, or alcohol of any kind are not permitted at camp and may result in being sent home.

BLACK BAG POLICY

If drugs, weapons, or alcohol were brought by mistake to Camp, the Camp Staff offer a black bag to place that item in. The black bag is then held in a secure locked location until the end of Camp, with no questions asked, and returned at that time. These items must be turned in on the first day. Individuals found to have items at a later time will not be given the 'black bag privilege' and may risk being sent home. Black bags can also be used for valuables that individuals do not want left in the cabin.

ELECTRONICS POLICY

We ask that campers are mindful of electronic use including cell phones, music, tablets, or personal gaming systems. We understand that electronics are used for stimulating or to support camper's focus. We provide sensory items and notebooks during our workshops, but will allow electronic use during programming as long as it is not a distraction and is being used to help regulate a camper.

LANGUAGE POLICY

While we recognize everyone's right to express themselves, we request that language is kept respectful. We ask that everyone be mindful of using profanities as much as possible/check in with those around you. We simply ask to be aware of the language you are using around others. Language that is derogatory, discriminatory or hateful in nature will not be tolerated.

BED RULE

All campers must remain one to a bed. Sharing of beds is not permitted.

GRAFFITI POLICY

As of 2019, no graffiti or writing of any kind allowed on walls or bunk beds in any cabin. Signs are posted on the outside of each camper cabin and we will be charged \$500 for any writing or graffiti found.

CABIN VISITORS

Campers may only enter the cabin that they belong to. Cabins are everyone's home for the week, and should be treated as such. We ask that campers from other cabins wait outside for friends and not enter a cabin that does not belong to them.

Camp Expectations



LEAVING CAMPGROUNDS

Campers/Cabin Leaders are not permitted to leave the campgrounds without permission. In the event of an emergency, a request to leave campgrounds may be given to the Camp Staff who will decide if that camper can be escorted off the grounds or not. This does not include leaving for medical treatment, planned programming off site, or campers leaving with a parent or guardian.

SMOKING AREA

Cigarettes or vaporizers may only be used in the dedicated smoking area and may only occur during free time.

SWIMWEAR (NIPPLE POLICY)

All nipples must be covered, including swimming, while at camp. Considering the age-range of Camp, this is a rule that everyone must adhere to. Not doing so would jeopardize Camp Aurora's existence.

CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELF

We ask that everyone keep their personal space, as well as all common areas, clean throughout camp. If you are using camp supplies, please put them away immediately after you are done with them so that the next person can use the space. Take all dishes back to the dining hall and wash your own dishes.

INCLUSION RULE

Include everyone in camp activities and help ensure that no one feels excluded by remaining in small cliques during camp. Campers are encouraged to get to know new friends, while spending time with current friends or partners.

INTIMACY POLICY

While we understand that young people want to be close to people that they develop attractions to, we ask that physical intimacy be reserved for times outside of camp. Safer sex supplies are provided for campers to take home. Verbal consent should always be obtained before any physical intimacy occurs, including hugging, kissing, or handholding.

WATER POLICY

No campers may be in the water, either at the beach or dock, without the presence of a lifeguard or other approved supervision.

HARASSMENT

Harassment in any form will not be tolerated at camp and will result in guardians being called to pick you up from Camp.

Registration Form

Please print clearly



CAMPER INFORMATION

Please call me:

Full legal name:

Pronouns: Age:

Date of Birth : / /

Month/Day/Year

Email:

Phone:

Spirit Day Camp recognizes that some population groups typically have less access to opportunities for 2SLGBTQ+ specific programming and resources due to the way they have been marginalized. Spirit Day Camp believes in creating more equitable opportunities for our campers, and will be prioritizing camper applications from these population groups.

Do you identify with any of the following population groups:

- Black, Indigenous and/or youth of colour
- Youth in Care (currently involved in the CFS system)
- Live in a Rural or Northern Manitoba

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Full legal name:

Address:

Email:

Note: Registration confirmation will be sent to this email address

Phone: Can we leave a message? Yes No

What name + pronouns do you want Camp Aurora to use for you (the camper) when contacting this person?

Registration Form

Please print clearly



EMERGENCY CONTACT #1 (DIFFERENT THAN PARENT/GUARDIAN)

Full legal name:

Relationship to camper:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

Can we leave a message? Yes No

What name + pronouns do you want Camp Aurora to use for you (the camper) when contacting this person?

EMERGENCY CONTACT #2 (DIFFERENT THAN PARENT/GUARDIAN)

Full legal name:

Relationship to camper:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

Can we leave a message? Yes No

What name + pronouns do you want Camp Aurora to use for you (the camper) when contacting this person?

CAMP AURORA WILL CONTACT YOUR PARENT/GUARDIAN FIRST FOLLOWED BY YOUR 1ST EMERGENCY CONTACT, THEN YOUR 2ND EMERGENCY CONTACT

Personal Health Information

Please print clearly



Your child's safety is our first priority - We require accurate medical information for the safety of campers. All information is kept confidential. We cannot process your registration if there is missing information.

.Camp staff are trained and certified in First Aid and CPR and will carry a basic First Aid kit to address minor injuries and ensure your child can enjoy the rest of their day. In a medical emergency, we reserve the right to call emergency medical services and/or arrange for your child to be transported to the nearest hospital. We will also make every effort to contact you or your authorized/emergency contact(s), and will stay with your child until you arrive.

CAMPER HEALTH INFORMATION

6 Digit Health Card Registration Number:

9 Digit PHIN number:

Are you living with / navigating any of the following?

- | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ADD/ADHD | <input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety | <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Bipolar Disorder |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Depression | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy/Seizures | <input type="checkbox"/> Migraines |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mobility Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Panic Attacks | <input type="checkbox"/> Schizophrenia | <input type="checkbox"/> Autism |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) | <input type="text"/> | | |

Do you have any current thoughts about suicide or self-harm? Yes No

If you have current thoughts about suicide, do you have any current plans to harm yourself or end your life, or means to carry out that plan? Yes No

Do you have any allergies? Yes No

If yes, please list your allergies (including environmental/ insect allergies)

Do you require allergy medication? Yes No

Personal Health Information

Please print clearly



Do you carry an epi-pen or ana kit? Yes No

If yes, for what allergies:

Do you have any physical, developmental, psychological, behavioral or emotional conditions and/or needs that may affect your ability to participate in Camp activities? Please describe below.

Do you require medication for this? Yes No

COMMON MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION

Do you consent to your child receiving the following in case of a headache or minor pains?

Advil (Ibuprofen, extra strength) Yes No

Tylenol (Acetaminophen, extra strength) Yes No

Aleve (Naproxen) Yes No

Pepto-Bismol (Bismuth) Yes No

Signature of parent/guardian

Date

If you have any prescription or non-prescription medication, or specific health management needs (such as for an allergy), please fill out the medications and health management form on the following page.

Medications Form

Please print clearly



All medications that required throughout the day are brought to Camp and must be in their original container with the prescription, the camper's name, the name of the medication, and the dosage on the container. If possible, please bring medications in a blister package. Most pharmacies are able to accommodate this request.

All medications are stored and administered by Camp's Staff Member and provided to them upon arrival to camp and returned at drop off.

List all medications you will be bringing to Camp, including over-the-counter medications (e.g. Advil, Tylenol, Gravol, vitamins etc.). Also, please indicate when medications are to be dispensed (listing specific days/times as needed), the dosage, and any special notes.

Camper's full name:

Medication Name (e.g. Tylenol)	Dosage (e.g. one pill, 1mg)	Time (e.g. lunch time)	Notes: (e.g. with water)

If you have indicated any medical needs, but you do not have medication for it (e.g. allergy to bees), how is this need managed?

IF NEEDED, PLEASE ATTACH ANOTHER SHEET OF PAPER

Additional Information Form

Please print clearly



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Is there anything else we should know about the camper to help in creating a welcoming space (e.g. accessibility needs, notes on sleeping/sharing space, routines, etc.)?

DIETARY NEEDS

Do you have any dietary considerations that the staff at Camp Aurora need to be aware of when preparing meals? (e.g. vegetarianism/veganism, food allergies, medical illness, religious requirements, etc.)

Yes No

Please provide full details here:

If your dietary needs change before camp, let us know as soon as possible. Food is ordered one week before camp. Any changes after food has been ordered will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

CAMP AURORA T-SHIRT

All participants receive a Camp T-shirt. Let us know what size you need. We suggest choosing one size larger than you normally wear to ensure it fits.

ALL T-SHIRT SIZES ARE UNISEX ADULT

Small Large 2X-Large 4X-Large
 Medium X-Large 3X-Large 5X-Large

Participant Agreement

Please read carefully



FOR PARTICIPANT/CAMPER:

I, _____, agree to participate in Spirit Day Camp to the best of my abilities and agree to adhere to all rules and behavioral guidelines (on page 7 + 8). I understand that failure to follow these standards will result in my guardian being asked to pick me up from Camp.

As a youth between the ages of 14 to 17 and identify as 2SLGBTQ+ and/or an ally. I will promote inclusivity, equality and respect for myself, my peers, volunteers and the Camp staff. I will respect the space that has been donated for Camp Aurora to use.

I will show up and be as present as possible by being an active participant through the duration of Camp. I will be engaged in workshops and activities. This may include trying out experiences and activities that may feel new for me, knowing that I am in a safe environment.

While I am at Camp, I understand that we are all learning together as a community, and will take responsibility of my own actions, and I will not leave the camp area for any reason. I will communicate with Camp staff should any conflicts or concerns arise so that they may help me find resolution.

If I wish to end my Camp experience early. I will follow the procedures for Leaving Early (noted on page 6). I have read and completed the registration package in full and will notify the camp directors of any changes to my needs (health, dietary, etc.) between completing this form and attending Camp Aurora

Signature of participant/camper

Date

Signature of parent/guardian

Date

Parent/Guardian Agreement

Please read carefully



BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, YOU WILL WAIVE LEGAL RIGHTS,
INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE

FOR PARENT/GUARDIAN:

I, _____ (full legal name), authorize my child to attend Camp Aurora. I have read and completed the registration package in full, and will notify the camp directors of any changes to my child's needs (health, dietary, etc.) between completing this form and attending camp. I agree to allow the Camp Staff to secure medical treatment for my child (or ward) when appropriate, including but not limited to: medication, X-ray, hospitalization, anesthesia, and/or surgery. If for any reason my child (or ward) receives such medical attention or special medication beyond that furnished by the Camp, I agree to be responsible for all expenses incurred.

I, _____ (full legal name), assume liability of my child at the point of bus drop off in Winnipeg, Manitoba, on August 30th, between approximately 5:30 -6:00 PM. If for any reason, my camper needs to leave Camp while it is in duration, I, the legal guardian am responsible to arrange transportation.

I, _____ (full legal name) am aware that in Manitoba it is everyone's legal obligation to protect children. The law requires that any suspicion of child abuse (neglect, emotional, physical, sexual) must be reported to the Child and Family Service's All Nations Coordinated Response Unit (ANCR). Camp Staff have a responsibility and duty to report suspected child abuse if, in their honest judgment, they believe that a child may not be safe.

Signature of parent/guardian

Date

Payment Form

Please print clearly



PAYMENT WILL BE HELD UNTIL THE CAMPER HAS BEEN NOTIFIED OF THEIR ACCEPTANCE TO SPIRIT DAY CAMP AND WILL BE PROCESSED OR DEPOSITED AT THAT TIME.

Camp Aurora works hard to make sure camp is accessible to as many youths as possible. Any financial support that can be provided to cover costs is greatly appreciated and helps to ensure Camp Aurora's sustainability.

The cost for one camper is approximately \$450.00 per camper, including the \$50.00 registration fee.

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

- I am able to pay the full camper cost of \$450.00
- I am able to pay part of the camper cost, amounting to: \$
- I am able to pay for part or all of the camper cost of \$450.00 but will pay in two installments of \$225 on Friday, July 26 and Friday, August 9.
Please let us know if you would like to set up an alternate installment plan.
- I am able to pay the \$50.00 registration fee.
- I am requesting the full amount to be waived.

PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN THE FORM OF A CHEQUE, CREDIT/DEBIT CARD AND CASH.

PAYING WITH CHEQUE BY MAIL

Please make cheques are made out to "Rainbow Resource Centre" and put, "Camp Aurora for [Insert child's first and last name]" in the memo line. Cheques can be delivered to:

Attn: Camp Aurora

545 Broadway, Winnipeg Manitoba, R3C 0W3

Payment will only be taken **AFTER** we have sent out a confirmation email, accepting your camper into Camp Aurora. Please expect this email after the registration deadline between the dates of **June 24 - June 28, 2024.**

If your camper is **NOT ACCEPTED** into Camp, your payment method will be shredded. Please expect this email between the dates of **June 24 - June 28, 2024.**

Payment Form

Please print clearly



PAYING ONLINE WITH CREDIT CARD, GOOGLE PAY OR APPLE PAY

We will send you a link with an invoice to pay for camp registration based on what was indicated on your payment form.

Please indicate what email address you would like us to send the invoice link to below.

Email Address:

The invoice will be sent **AFTER** we have sent out a confirmation email, accepting your camper into Spirit Day Camp. Please expect this email after the registration deadline between the dates of **June 24 - June 28, 2024**.

If your camper is **NOT ACCEPTED** into Camp, you will not receive an invoice link.

Please expect this email between the dates of **June 24 - June 28, 2024**.

PAYING IN PERSON WITH CASH/DEBIT/CREDIT/CHEQUE

This can be done in person at Rainbow Resource Centre (545 Broadway, Winnipeg MB) during open hours. We are open to public on Monday to Thursday from 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM, and from 1:30 PM - 5:00 PM.

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Demographic Information

This form is optional to fill out



The following information is collected to better understand who is accessing our services at Rainbow Resource Centre and is **optional** to fill out. This data is saved in a spreadsheet for the program and is used for planning, reporting and funding purposes.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this form, please contact Joseph Moore (Director of Services) at JosephM@rainbowresourcecentre.org.

1. What best describes your **gender identity**? (Please select all that apply)

- | | | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agender | <input type="checkbox"/> Gender Creative* | <input type="checkbox"/> Indigiqueer | <input type="checkbox"/> Queer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cisgender | <input type="checkbox"/> Genderfluid | <input type="checkbox"/> Man or Boy | <input type="checkbox"/> Questioning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Demiboy | <input type="checkbox"/> Gender Non-Conforming | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Binary | <input type="checkbox"/> Two-Spirit** |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Demigirl | <input type="checkbox"/> Genderqueer | <input type="checkbox"/> Pangender | <input type="checkbox"/> Transgender |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not Listed: _____ | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Woman or Girl |

** this term is typically used to describe children exploring their expression of gender*

*** this is a culturally significant identity for First Nation, Inuit and Métis folks*

2. What best describes your **romantic and/or sexual orientation**? (Please select all that apply)

- | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asexual | <input type="checkbox"/> Demiromantic | <input type="checkbox"/> Lesbian | <input type="checkbox"/> Queer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aromantic | <input type="checkbox"/> Gay | <input type="checkbox"/> Omnisexual | <input type="checkbox"/> Questioning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bisexual | <input type="checkbox"/> Heterosexual | <input type="checkbox"/> Pansexual | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Demisexual | <input type="checkbox"/> Indigiqueer | <input type="checkbox"/> Panromantic | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not Listed: _____ | | | |

3. Do you identify as **BIPOC** (Black, Indigenous, and/or a person of colour)?

- Black
- Indigenous (First Nations, Inuit and/or Métis - regardless of status)
- Person of colour *

** we are aware this term is not an officially recognized race or ethnic group, please feel free to expand on your identity below*

Feel free to share more about your racial, ethnic and/or cultural identities, if you wish:

Media Release Form

This form is optional to fill out



Camper's full legal name:

Name of guardian:

Email:

Phone:

To Rainbow Resource Centre (Please check all that you are comfortable with):

- I hereby agree to the use of a photograph or photographs in a card, brochure, and/or promotional piece to be used by Rainbow Resource Centre. This may be in print and/or electronic format.
- I also agree to any videotaping to be used in future in promotional material created for Rainbow Resource Centre. Rainbow Resource Centre shall have the right, among other things, to telecast this segment on any television station one or more times.
- Rainbow Resource Centre shall have the right to use and license others to use my name, portrait, picture and biographical material to publicize and advertise the Rainbow Resource Centre as well as other Centre activities, in broadcast, print and electronically.
- I agree to allow Rainbow Resource Centre to provide Variety, the Children's Charity of Manitoba (Camp Brereton Manager and Sponsor) with video, audio, and/or images for the purposes captured in points 1 through 3 above.

By checking any of the checkboxes above, I understand that the purpose of the printed materials, electronic and/or television segments is for charitable purposes and that I am not entitled to any remuneration. I release Rainbow Resource Centre and their licensees from all liability for any claim of infringement of publicity or privacy rights that I might otherwise have had in connection with the use of my likeness, or a representation of my likeness.

Note: The Variety, the Children's Charity of Manitoba Media Release Waiver Form is attached to the Camp Aurora Registration Package and is separate to the Rainbow Resource Centre Media Consent Form

DATED THIS, _____ DAY OF _____, 2024

IN THE CITY/TOWN OF _____ MANITOBA.

PRINT NAME _____

SIGNATURE OF DESIGNATE _____

Note: Other campers may bring their own personal cameras or recording devices and may take photos or videos of one another for personal use. Media consent takes effect when this application package is signed.

Media Release Form - Variety

This form is optional to fill out

Variety, the Children's Charity of Manitoba
Unit 2 – 1313 Border Street
Winnipeg, MB R3H 0X4
(204) 982-1050



(Hereinafter referred to as Variety)

TO VARIETY:

1. I hereby agree to your use of a photograph or photographs in a card, brochure, and/or promotional piece to be utilized by Variety, the Children's Charity of Manitoba. This may be in print and/or electronic format.
2. I also agree to any future videotaping for use in promotional material created for Variety, the Children's Charity of Manitoba. You shall have the right, among other things, to telecast this segment on any television station on or more times.
3. You shall have the right to utilize and license others to use my name, portrait, picture and biographical material to publicize and advertise Variety, the Children's Charity of Manitoba, as well as other Variety activities, such as, but not limited to: broadcast, print and electronically.
4. I understand that the purpose of the printed materials, electronic and/or television segments is for charitable purposes, and that I am not entitled to any remuneration.
5. I release Variety, the Children's Charity of Manitoba, and their licensees from all liability for any claim of infringement of publicity or privacy rights that I might otherwise have had in connection with the use of my likeness, or a representation of my likeness.

I have read and fully understand the intent and purpose of this document and am signing it without reservation.

DATED THIS, _____ DAY OF _____, 2024

IN THE CITY/TOWN OF _____ MANITOBA.

PRINT NAME OF DESIGNATE(S): _____

SIGNATURE OF DESIGNATE(S): _____
parent/guardian if under 18

Thank You for your Support!

Together we nurture inclusive spaces for 2SLGBTQ+ folks to thrive!



PLEASE CONSIDER SUPPORTING CAMP AURORA WITH YOUR DONATION.

This valuable experience is available to youth because people like you help us out. The requested fee is \$450 (and we can waive that fee if we need to). The remaining costs associated with camp are covered by grants and contributions from generous donors. Keeping camp costs to a minimum gives us the opportunity to have EVERY youth at camp, regardless of financial restrictions and that is incredibly important to us. It may only be a five-day camp, but for many of our youth this is enough keep them going throughout the year. Camp builds confidence, creates feelings of acceptance, and fosters positive and lasting friendships. Camp is building a generation of 2SLGBTQ+ youth who will be proud leaders.

Subscribe to our newsletter to learn about the latest news, events, and programs Rainbow Resource Centre offers.

<http://www.rainbowresourcecentre.org/stay-connected>

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS, PLEASE EMAIL
CAMPAURORA@RAINBOWRESOURCECENTRE.ORG
OR CALL THE FRONT DESK AT
204-474-0212, EXT. 201**

Please send your completed Camp Aurora registration forms to:

**Attn: Camp Aurora
c/o Rainbow Resource Centre
545 Broadway
Winnipeg, MB R3C 0W3**

You can also scan your registration forms to:

campaurora@rainbowresourcecentre.org

Application Checklist



- I have read the Camp Registration Package
- I am keeping pages 1-8 for future reference
- I have completed the following forms:
 - Registration Form (pages 10 and 11)
 - Personal Health Information (pages 12 and 13)
 - Medications Form, if needed (page 14)
 - Additional Information (page 15)
 - Participant + Parental Agreement (pages 16 and 17)
 - Payment Form (page 18 and 19)
 - OPTIONAL: Demographic information Form (page 20)
 - OPTIONAL: Media Consent for Rainbow Resource Centre (page 21)
 - OPTIONAL: Media Consent for Variety, the Children's Charity (page 22)

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR FORMS ARE FULLY COMPLETED.
REGISTRATION IS NOT CONSIDERED RECEIVED UNTIL ALL
REQUIRED INFORMATION IS PROVIDED**

**Camp Registration Deadline is:
Friday, May 31st 2024**

**Acceptance/waitlist letters sent out between:
Monday, June 24th to Friday, June 28th**