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Long Lake Camp For The Arts is the perfect place to join in and create with new found friends. Boys (ages 8-16) and Girls (ages 8-16) can experience unlimited creative opportunities with an emphasis on fun and personal accomplishments. We provide the means for our campers to concentrate on what they like best while encouraging them to try new activities. At Long Lake you can develop existing talents and discover new ones! Our safe, warm and nurturing atmosphere welcomes beginners and experienced alike. Nowhere will you find a camp that combines important summer camping values and traditions, with a creative atmosphere that allows you to be you. For campers seeking all that we have to offer we have a 47-year history of providing the most incredible summers. Spectacular staff, majestic facilities, exciting challenges and meaningful friendships await you at Long Lake.

Campers who attend Long Lake do not want to be told what activities to do. Rather they wish to pursue their own interests at their own pace under our guidance and leadership. Our dedication to only 250 campers allows them to create their own program by choice. Our campers choose Long Lake for spectacular performing and fine arts with private lessons. The Long Lake experience is a rich full program with multiple performing experiences each week culminating in professional performances and demonstrations at the end of each session. Rounding out our campers' great summer they can take advantage of wonderful sports play and unlimited water fun!

Because our campers choose their schedule with our help, it develops critical life skills such as building confidence, learning how to make choices and how to create lasting friendships. Unique to Long Lake is the Unit Leader: a person dedicated to your camper and yourself. Unit Leaders are your eyes and ears at Long Lake, advocating for your camper and offering you unlimited direct access to know how your child is doing at camp. Unit Leaders offer you accountability and certainty that we are delivering all we promised. Unit Leaders - along with other staff - are proactive: they ask campers every day if they are getting everything they want.

The accent is on the affirmative. The dedicated staff who make up our faculty are creative professionals and passionate about their art form, as much involved with the technique and the doing as with the end product. Our staff are hand-picked from all over the world to share their knowledge with our campers in small groups or private lessons. We seek out highly trained staff who are friendly and compassionate and put the campers first. Our department heads have 18 years+ at Long Lake ensuring quality.

A majestic private estate nestled along the shore of a clear blue lake stretching 18 miles, Long Lake Camp For The Arts is a beautiful "summer home" for only 250 campers and 160 staff members. Both staff and campers come to Long Lake because they are interested in accomplishing much during the summer while having fun and making life-long friendships. Every year we have campers from all over the world so please do call us for names of families near you, who are familiar with all that Long Lake has to offer.

DATES AND TUITION FOR 2017 OUR FORTY-EIGHTH SEASON!

(Please call for availability of any session)

3 wks SUNDAY June 25-July 16\* \$5,950 3 wks MONDAY July 17-Aug 6\* \$5,950 3 wks MONDAY Aug 7-Aug 27 \$5,950

First 6 weeks SUNDAY June 25-Aug 6\* \$9,950 Second 6 weeks MONDAY July 17-Aug 27 \$8,950 PRICING IS VALID UNTIL DECEMBER 1, 2015

## <u>All fees include tuition, canteen, private lessons, craft materials and all programs of instruction except</u> <u>horseback riding.</u>

\*CAMPERS <u>FLYING</u> IN FOR THESE SESSIONS ARRIVE ON DAY 1 BUT DEPART A DAY AFTER THE SESSION ENDS IF WE ARE PROVIDING AIRPORT SERVICE. A limited amount of financial assistance is available for those who may qualify; please call us to discuss.

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## 2017 Parents' FAQ

Q. What is Long Lake Camp for the Arts all about?

We are a non-competitive performing and fine arts summer camp for boys and girls. We provide a program of the very best Theater, 20 Fine Arts studios, Music, Circus, Dance and Rock Bands, with a 100% customizable schedule for every camper. Our campers are surrounded by a spectacular Adirondack environment, with tremendous waterfront fun, sports, meaningful friendships and nurturing staff.

Q. Where is Long Lake Camp for the Arts and how do I get my children there?

New York State in the middle of the gorgeous Adirondack Park (Long Lake, NY 12847). We have busses coming from New York City, New Jersey, Westchester and Albany. We have campers fly into Albany international airport from all over the world and our most dedicated, long-time staff are there to receive them.

Q. How many campers and staff do you have each session?

Better than a 1:2 ratio, with 160 staff and 250 campers. Average age of our staff is 21-27. Ask yourself if you feel more comfortable with an 18-year old (like most other camps) or a 24-year old guiding your camper. They have degrees, experience working with children and are from all over the world. About 60% of our campers are from the East Coast; the rest come from all over America and the world.

Q. Why should we trust you - we just found you on the internet?

We have over 46 years of fun, safe summers and are accredited by the American Camping Association.

The New York Health Department is the strictest in the country and they visit us unannounced three

times a summer with inspections lasting 4 to 6 hours. All our staff undergo extensive background

checks and references before being hired by us personally. We uphold the best camping practices and

pride ourselves on running the safest camp possible. We have many references for you to call to hear

from other parents and children, not just us. Long Lake is all we do and we spend all year making

sure we are the best, most caring and responsive to our campers needs. All our department heads

have been with us over 18 years and many of our staff are with us 3 or more years.

Q. Who looks after my child?

The owners live on camp as do the camp's directors; between the 4 of us we have over 100 years' experience at Long Lake. Every bunk has counselors living with the campers. We have 3 registered NY State nurses on call 24 hours a day and our camp doctor is only 5 minutes away. Our Unit Leaders (unique to Long Lake) are an extra layer of supervision and caring and they make sure our campers are happy. Unit Leaders ensure parents are kept well informed and that your child is safe, eating well, happy, making friends and getting everything they want from camp. Our department heads have 10 to 20 years of experience with us ensuring consistency and stability.

Q. Can my child call home?

Yes, your child will call you once a week as will our Unit Leaders. You are able to call to chat to your child or Unit Leader as well.

Q. Explain your price please?

We have a very unique combination of a spectacular lakefront setting with a 1:2 staff ratio; only 250 campers, 4 theaters with full technical support, a 3-ring circus, 2-story fine arts complex, many music rehearsal studios, recording studios, 10 department heads (all multi-year returners), horse riding, 3

## tennis courts, sports department and a beautiful, fun waterfront plus exceptional accommodations, an unlimited food budget and much more....

Q. I have more than one child, one is into sports and adventure, can you help?

Yes, we have a sister camp called Long Lake Camp Adventures next door to our Arts camp. So your travel plans are easy with a camp for all your children's interests. Please find out more at <a href="http://www.longlakecampadventures.com">www.longlakecampadventures.com</a>