



## **Basic Be Ready Camp Information**

### **Program Objectives**

- Be Ready Camp is an educational camp designed to show students the importance of disaster preparedness.
- The students will learn first aid, light search and rescue skills, fire safety, triage, and incident command structure.
- At the conclusion of the week the students will participate in a mock disaster to test the skills they have learned.

### **Registration**

- Registration begins at 11:00 a.m. and continues until 1:00 p.m.
- Trainees will enter the Aviation Challenge facility through the drive through gate, and will be directed to the registration table underneath the AC Pavilion.
- Trainees will be directed to their room in Habitat 3, where they will pick a bed and locker.
- After trainees have finished the above, they will be put with a Be Ready Camp staff member until orientation at 1:30 PM.
- Trainees will check in any medication (including Tylenol, Advil, inhalers, etc.) in the Sick Bay. The nursing staff will dispense medication, and the medication can be picked up the morning of graduation.

### **Graduation**

- Any family members or friends that wish to attend graduation are welcome. Guests will enter the facility through the drive through gate and park in the gravel lot next to the AC Pavilion.
- Graduation will be held underneath the AC Pavilion at 9:30 a.m. on September 19, 2009.
- At the conclusion of graduation, parents will be required to show a photo ID to their child's team leader to sign out their child. The person wishing to sign out the trainee must be listed as an authorized pick-up person on the health form.

### **Miscellaneous**

- Trainees will not be able to receive phone calls during the day, but messages can be left for them in Camper Services at 1-800-63-SPACE, extension 185. If there is an emergency, please call 1-800-63-SPACE and dial 0 for immediate assistance.
- Trainees will be able to call home before breakfast and at bedtime by use of a calling card.
- Any trainee leaving the program before its conclusion must be signed out by an authorized pick-up who will need to show photo ID.

- Once on-site, trainees will remain on the U.S. Space & Rocket Center property until signed out.
- The Space and Rocket Center is happy to work with parents on ensuring the child's dietary restrictions are taken care of, as long as they have a 4-week prior notification of the child's needs. If the child needs to bring their own food due to dietary needs (children are not allowed to bring their own food except for this case), the Space and Rocket Center requires them to contact the Food Service Department at least 2 weeks prior to the start of camp. To contact the Food Service Department, call (256)-721-7139, or email at [specialdiets@spacecamp.com](mailto:specialdiets@spacecamp.com).
- Please reference the suggested list of items to pack to view restrictions in regards to personal media devices (iPods, video players, gaming units, cell phones, etc.).

### **Photo/Video/Film Policy**

**Note:** The SPACE CAMP<sup>®</sup> and AVIATION CHALLENGE<sup>®</sup> facility is occasionally visited by news media, video/film crews, or photographers hired by SPACE CAMP for the purpose of taking promotional or publicity photographs, video or film. There is a possibility that students and adults attending programs will be photographed.

When registering for a Space Camp/Aviation Challenge program, you are authorizing the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission or any entity or person authorized by it the use and reproduction of any and all photographs, video or film taken of the person whose record you are updating during training activities and related activities. There will be no compensation to you. All negatives and positives, together with said prints, video or film are the property of the U.S. Space & Rocket Center or the entity or person authorized or designated by it, solely and completely. You affirmatively release and discharge the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission from any responsibility for any distortion or manipulation, whether intentional or otherwise, of photos, video or film taken of trainee during visit.