



**Camp Fire USA  
Central Puget Sound Council  
PERMISSION FORM for WATER ACTIVITIES**

To ensure that the parents/guardians are completely informed about specialized activities, we ask parents/guardians to read and sign this form.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

**To be completed by Activity Supervisor:**

Planned Activity: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Public Pool  | <input type="checkbox"/> River/Stream | <input type="checkbox"/> Lake/Pond |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Private Pool | <input type="checkbox"/> Puget Sound  | <input type="checkbox"/> Ocean     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Park   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other:       |                                    |

Lifeguard Provided by:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Facility | <input type="checkbox"/> Activity Supervisor | <input type="checkbox"/> Activity does not require a lifeguard |
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Activity Supervisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**GENERAL INFORMATION:**

- Parents are required to provide this signed form and the Camp Fire Special Activity Permission Form to the Activity Supervisor prior to their child playing in the water, wading, swimming, or boating.
- Children under 5 may not participate in swimming unless directly supervised by their parent/guardian in the water with them. That parent/guardian may not be included in the supervision ratio for the group.
- Youth must be supervised one on one by an adult in the water with them, unless they can stand and walk securely in the beginning swimming area or can swim at least 30 feet.
- Children are required to wear a Coast Guard approved Personal Floatation Device to go boating.

**CHECK ONE BOX BELOW:**

- My child is not allowed to go in the water but may play on the beach or other designated play area.
- My child can go wading to the knees and play in the designated play area.
- My child needs one on one adult supervision in the water.
- My child is a non-swimmer and should not be in water over his/her shoulders. (Includes hot tubs.)
- In my judgment, my child is able to pass a swim test consisting of treading water for one minute and swimming at least 75 feet, and may swim in water over her/his head and/or go boating.

Do you have any concerns about your child participating in water activities? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Comments \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Authorization**

I understand that swimming and water activities have inherent risks. My child/ward has permission to participate in water activities as written above. I will assure that my child is properly prepared for water activities including having proper clothing and equipment, being in good health and willing and able to participate at the level designated above. I understand that reasonable measures will be taken to safeguard the health and safety of all participants and that I will be notified as soon as possible in case of emergency. In case of medical emergency, after every reasonable effort has been made to contact me, the family physician or one of the contacts listed on the Special Activity Permission Form: I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the Supervising Adult to secure and administer treatment, including hospitalization, for the child named above, and agree to have the Supervising Adult arrange necessary related transportation for my child, and agree to be responsible for expenses incurred in these measures.

**I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE STATEMENT AND GIVE PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD TO PARTICIPATE IN WATER ACTIVITIES WITH CAMP FIRE USA AS WRITTEN ABOVE.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Printed Name(s)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

