

## April 2021 SSDC Update:

Great news! After reviewing our <u>2021 SSDC PARENT'S COVID-19 SAFETY GUIDEBOOK</u> the Bucks County Health Department has given us the thumbs up for this summer. We urge you to take a close look at the Guidebook and review any pertinent items with your campers.

We already are rounding the turn and heading full speed ahead toward the start of our 2021 SOUTHAMPTON SUMMER DAY CAMP SEASON! Our pools have been uncovered and are in the process of being prepared for the summer, all our OCC elements, (Climbing Walls, Zip Lines, Ninja Course, Ropes Courses, and equipment), have been successfully inspected and our Bungee Trampoline inspector is flying in from Utah in early May! New tents are on their way and will be installed as they arrive.

As you all may know, we have been here for 48 years but what do we call this upcoming season? Since, considering recent events it will be our 47<sup>th</sup> season, we need to add a bit of sunshine to our lives, and we will affectionately be referring to this season as "SSDC season 48 minus one!"

We cannot wait to get rolling and we are asking everyone, if you haven't already, to complete a few online forms for your camper(s) by going to our website, (Current Families, Camp Forms), and submitting the following online forms:

## **Camp Forms**--(click this link to fill out our online forms)

- 1) "Permanent" Camper Registration Form (Yes, this is different than the initial enrollment form)
- 2) Official Camper Resume Form
- 3) Hampy's Kitchen Participation Form (Hampy's Kitchen, which is where campers prepare their own treats from prepared recipes, may not happen but we will be ready to go if it can!)
- 4) Camp Gear Order Form (This is key for us to prepare our camp shirt size order!)

You will receive a link in the coming days to our 2021 Camper Medical Form as well as a 2021 COVID-19 WAIVER AGREEMENT form. Both will be required to attend SSDC this summer.

SSDC ENROLLMENT FOR THE 2021 IS ESSENTIALLY FULL. While we would love to welcome everyone and return to our camper enrollment numbers of past years, we must maintain the safety and quality of the

SSDC experience designed for this year. We will be using our waitlist for any additional enrollment for 2021. The waitlist process and related information will be available directly on our website.

We will be sending final invoices via email shortly. Balances are due in full on May 1, 2021. All previous bank and / or Credit Card information has been removed and discarded from our database thus, as always, we will not be taking any final payments automatically. You can pay your camp bill online by clicking on the secure link provided on your email, you can send in a check by mail, you can pay by phone, or you can arrange to pay in person by calling me at 267-246-2693.

We wish everyone a healthy, bright, and warm spring season and cannot wait to see everyone back here at SSDC! As always, please do not hesitate to call me at 267-246-3693 anytime!

Thank you,

Rick and Jacque Blum