



## New England Frontier Camp

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[www.NEFC.org](http://www.NEFC.org)

# Things to know about your time at New England Frontier Camp!

**Arrival at NE Frontier Camp** - Plan to arrive between 2:00 and 4:00 pm on Sunday for registration located in front of A-Lodge (lakefront Building). Our friendly staff will direct you upon arrival as to where to park. ***Please note that registration will not begin before 2:00 PM.***

Upon arrival, your first stop will be to check in with our Health Team for a quick health check and to review medical forms and any medications that might be required. Next, a stop in with our Registrar to pay any balance due and ensure all paperwork is complete. The last stop to check in is with the Snack Shack to add funds (or confirm prepaid funds) on each camper's account for their use during the week or get their pre-purchased T-Shirt (if you choose to do that).

Once check-in is complete, campers will meet their counselors. At this point, drivers can unload each campers' belongings and say their goodbyes. Our staff will help campers bring their belongings to their assigned cabin and get settled in.

**Departure from Camp** - Pick-up and Departure takes place Saturday morning between 10:00 and 11:30 am. **All campers must check out with our Health Team, regardless of medications or health status. Please be on time for pickup.** *In the event that a pickup will be delayed, please contact our office as soon as possible to let us know so we can make alternate arrangements for your camper. (207) 925-6735.*

**Explorer Half-week Programs** The Explorer program consists of three day programs. If your Explorer Session begins on a Sunday, arrivals and check-in take place between 2:00 and 4pm, and check out and departures take place on Wednesday between 10:00 and 11:30am. If your Explorer Session begins on a Wednesday, arrivals and check-in take place on Wednesday between 2:00 and 4pm and check out and departures take place on Saturday with all the other campers between 10:00 and 11:30am.

**Campers staying over from one week to another** - If any camper is staying for more than one week, we have staff assigned to monitor them and activities to keep them engaged from Saturday morning until Sunday when they will join their new cabin mates.

**Laundry Services** For campers staying one week, be sure to pack enough clean clothing to last for the duration of their stay. Limited laundry services are available for campers during multiple week sessions. Please send laundry detergent with campers if they will be staying more than one week so their clothes and bedding can be laundered as necessary. Please supply a washable laundry bag with a drawstring labeled with your camper's name on it (No plastic trash bags please).



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**Communication while at Camp** Letters are highly encouraged! Many parents plan “mail” for the week and leave it with our staff at check-in for regular delivery throughout the week to avoid mail delays. Mail should be sent to the Camp street address listed at the top of this page, **NOT OUR P.O. Box!** The camp business telephone is not available for routine calls to or from campers. Should you need to contact your son in an emergency, do not hesitate to call NE Frontier Camp and ask to speak to the Camp Director or Health Director for the fastest response.

**Clothing and personal items** When preparing your campers clothing and gear for camp, **mark all items with their name** (in permanent laundry marker if possible) so it can be readily returned to them if misplaced. We have found that in most cases campers do not recognize their own clothes.

**Care Packages** Care packages and letters are encouraged! Campers love to get a package with an assortment of fun items in it. Please use your imagination, **but no food items please.** Because we are in a very wooded environment, we do not allow food in our cabins due to the wonderful wildlife friends we can have at Camp. Also, some food items may contain allergens that could affect others on camp.

**Please leave at home** - Matches, lighters, and fireworks are not allowed. If a camper wants to bring a pocket knife, it will be safely kept by their Counselor until such a time as it would be used. In keeping with the Frontier concept of Camp, we ask that all electronic devices (cell phones, music players, games, Kindles, etc.) be left at home for the duration of each campers’ stay with us.

**Bedding** - While many campers use a sleeping bag, many find it most comfortable using a fitted sheet set and blanket during their stay, particularly on exceptionally hot nights. If you choose this option, please bring a sleeping bag as well for camp-out nights. Don’t forget your pillow!

**Dietary Restrictions** - If your camper has special dietary restrictions, please communicate any concerns or needs prior to their arrival to our Kitchen Manager, Kathy Rivers, via email [KRivers@nefc.org](mailto:KRivers@nefc.org), or by calling the Camp Office at (207) 925-6735.

**Snack Shack** - While campers are here, they will have the opportunity to visit our Snack Shack each afternoon to get a cold soda or sports drink, candy bar, or ice cream. We do limit their purchases to three items each afternoon. Also, most mornings the Snack Shack is open, but only for one hot chocolate before breakfast. Campers will each have an account at the Snack Shack, so they don’t need to carry cash around with them. You can choose to add funds to your Snack Shack account with registration, add them later through our registration portal, or add funds at the day of check-in. All unused funds are returned at checkout before departure from NE Frontier Camp.

If at any time you have questions, comments or concerns regarding your experience with New England Frontier Camp, please feel comfortable contacting our Director by email at [Director@nefc.org](mailto:Director@nefc.org), or by phone on our Camp office line (207)925-6735.



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### **Travel to New England Frontier Camp**

If you are using a mapping software or GPS, you might want to check to avoid directions that have you arriving from the North side of Kezar Lake. The road from that direction is not always easy to travel for most vehicles and some GPS devices will try to bring you in that way.

#### **From the Boston Area:**

- Take I-95 North, New Hampshire/Maine
- Take exit 4 on the left to merge onto NH-16 North toward White Mts
- Continue on NH-16 North for approximately 76 miles
- In Conway, NH Stay straight to go onto E Main St/NH-113.
- Continue to follow E Main St as it turns into Route 302 East toward Fryeburg ME
- In Fryeburg, take a Left onto Route 5 North toward Lovell, ME
- Follow Route 5 North into Lovell for approximately 11.5 miles
- Turn left onto West Lovell Rd
- Take Sharp Right at Foxboro Rd to STAY on West Lovell Rd
- Bear Left at Vinton Rd to STAY on West Lovell Rd
- Turn Right onto Quite A Rd, follow our camp road 1 mile into main camp

#### **From Portland Maine Area:**

- Take I-95 to US 302 West
- Follow US 302 West for approximately 53 miles into Bridgton, ME
- Turn Right onto ME-93 North toward Lovell
- Turn Right onto ME-5 North in Lovell
- Turn left onto West Lovell Rd
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### **NE Frontier Camp Packing Checklist:**

- Bible (if you have one)
- Notebook and Pencil
- Stamped Envelopes
- Sleeping Bag
- Pillow and Pillowcase
- Fitted Twin size sheet
- Bathing Suit
- Bath and Swim Towels
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- Raincoat or Poncho
- Sweatshirt
- Hiking Boots/Shoes that can withstand rain
- Water bottle, canteen, or “camel” backpack
- Bathroom Supplies (Toothbrush & toothpaste, soap, shampoo, deodorant, hairbrush)
- Pants and Shorts
- Socks and Underwear
- Pajamas/sleepwear
- Long and Shortsleeve Shirts
- Jacket or Windbreaker
- Prescriptions (in original container)
- Dirty laundry Bag
- Bug Spray and Sunscreen
- Sport Sandals ( for waterfront/shower)
- Sneakers