

# Sky Ranch Camper FAQ

## 1. What are camp's policies & protocols for Covid?

- a. We are working closely with State and County officials to update our camp policies and procedures with regards to Covid-19. These policies and procedures can be found on the Registration Forms page of the website:  
<https://www.skyranchcolorado.org/registration-forms>

## 2. What time should I drop off/pick up my camper?

- a. Plan to arrive between 2pm and 4pm on Sunday afternoon. Upon arrival, participants will check in with staff, receive a nametag and housing assignment, and be introduced to their camp counselors and cabin mates.
- b. Camp concludes on Friday after with lunch at 11 am. We ask parents to arrive around 11 am and campers will be released around 11:30 am.
  - i. If your camper is in the Round Up Program, camp concludes on Tuesday at 11 am.

## 3. Driving directions to camp.

- a. From Fort Collins, drive North on US-287
- b. Turn left onto the Poudre Canyon Road. You will see a Shell gas station. This is your last place for gas and cell service!
- c. After following the Poudre Canyon Road for 26 miles, turn left onto County Road 63E (also known as the Pingree Park Road).
- d. Stay on the gravel road for 16 miles.
- e. Turn right onto Forest Service Road 145. You will see signs for Tom Bennett campground and Sky Ranch. If you reach the CSU Mountain Campus, you've gone around 2 miles too far.
- f. After 2 miles, arrive at Sky Ranch!
- g. Directions and map can be found [here](#).

## 4. Are scholarships available?

- a. Yes, Sky Ranch strives to be fully accessible to all participants, regardless of financial means. No proof of income or other documentation is required. If you are affiliated with a Lutheran congregation, the church will often fund a portion of the camp fee as well. **Our biggest goal is getting everyone to camp!** If you need assistance for your child to come to camp, please complete the campership request form [here](#) and our staff will contact you to discuss your needs.

## 5. What forms are needed for my child to attend camp?

- a. We require three forms from ALL Campers and Adult Sponsors planning on staying at camp. They can be found [here](#).
  - i. Participant Release Form
  - ii. Health Form (3 Pages)
  - iii. Immunization Record (Page 3 of the Health Form)

iv. Please Note:

1. All fields must be filled out.
2. Participants under 18 require their guardians' signature
3. Participants under 18 must have a **doctors' signature** on our Health/Immunization forms

a. **School/district/sports health forms will not be accepted**

- b. Forms can be mailed to our office at:  
Sky Ranch Lutheran Camp  
Attn: Camp Registrar  
805 S Shields St  
Fort Collins, CO 80521
- c. Forms can be emailed: [registrar@skyranchcolorado.org](mailto:registrar@skyranchcolorado.org)
- d. Forms can be faxed: 970-493-7960

**6. My camper has severe food allergies, do you accommodate?**

- a. Yes, we work with all types of food allergies and take necessary precautions to keep your camper safe, happy and fed.
- b. If your child has a specific diet, please do not hesitate to call our office.

**7. Is there a store?**

- a. Yes, we have a camp store that will be open daily to all campers! We sell t-shirts, sweatshirts, water bottles, stickers and ice cream treats. We recommend you send no more than \$50 with your camper but \$10 is more than enough to get a couple ice cream treats and a sticker!

**8. What to pack?**

- a. Weather at camp can be extreme and vary wildly throughout the day. Please see that What to Pack list on the Registration Forms page of the website:  
<https://www.skyranchcolorado.org/registration-forms>

**9. Can my child hold onto their medications?**

- a. Daily medication is held by the nurse, emergency medication can be held by your child. When you drop off your child, a discussion can be had with the nurse to decide what the best course of action will be for your camper.

**10. Can I camp during the week at Sky Ranch?**

- a. As a licensed child-care facility, **our campground is closed to the public during the hours of operation of our summer camp season.** This means beginning June 13, 2021, through August 13, 2021 our campground is closed Sunday, 12 pm through Friday, 4 pm.
- b. Campground/rentals are available on the weekends throughout this time frame. Please check our website: <https://www.skyranchcolorado.org/individual-bookings>.

**11. Can I stay at camp while my camper participates in their program?**

- a. In addition to the above FAQ, **we strongly discourage this.** Through our experience, campers with a parent's present (or even known presence) tend to

act out and not participate as openly in group settings/cabin settings as if their parents were not present.

- i. Please call the office if you have further questions.

**12. What is your refund policy?**

- a. Sky Ranch requires a \$100 non-refundable to register for summer camp.
- b. We will honor full refunds due to Covid.