## Voyageur Day at Camp 2023!

For over thirty years Camp Metigoshe has offered week long programming for teens and adults with physical and intellectual disabilities. We have created age-appropriate programming which has allowed campers to use their abilities to grow spiritually, individually, and emotionally.

Unfortunately, for some of our campers, limitations of mobility, age, or free time have made it no longer feasible for them to attend. We also have many potential campers who would like to try out our voyageur program, but would rather get a taste of the program before spending a week at camp. Seeing these two needs, our longtime campers and potential campers, we dreamed of a program which would still encompass the camp essentials but would allow for these populations to participate at camp.

This dream became a reality in 2017 when we piloted a new program – Voyageur Day at Camp. This program has been a great asset for many campers for the last three summers and many are excited to see it continue. The 10am to 3pm day allows for campers to come up for one day while still providing enough time to pack in the essentials of camp - worship, Bible study, games, food, campfire, and even some time at the lake!

In 2023 we will offer one date for Voyageur Day at Camp, **July 19, 2023**. Scheduled programming will be from 10am to 3pm with registration taking place from 9:30 – 10:00am. Space is limited to 15 participants. <u>To register, please return the one page registration form and the \$50.00 registration fee.</u> Pre-registration is required and are accepted on a first come first serve basis.

We ask that each camper be accompanied by staff members at a ratio that is typical for that camper or would be needed in an outdoor setting. The staff member accompanying the camper will be responsible for assisting with personal needs and for distributing medications. Our summer staff members will provide the programming for the day.

If you should have any questions, please give our office a call at 701.263.4788. We hope that you will join us for this fantastic growing program.

In Christ,

Katie Vogel

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