

Outdoor Adventure – Program Readiness Camp Parents’ Program



August 18-19, 2024

PARENTS’ PROGRAM is designed to introduce parents/families of Outdoor Adventure students to a first-hand look at both the Wilderness Tours campus in Foresters Falls, the Waterfront Campus in Pembroke, and to learn more about this exciting post-secondary program of study. We want to answer any questions you may have and better prepare you for what to expect from the Outdoor Adventure program. Part of the experience will allow participants to watch the students head down river in rafts, run, bike, and rappel.

Please register for the **Parents’ Program**. This is an overnight event from Sunday to Monday. Overnight accommodations are available on-site. Please see below for further details.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE			
SUNDAY, AUGUST 18		MONDAY, AUGUST 19	
Morning	Arrive at Wilderness Tours (1260 Grants Settlement Road, Foresters Falls, ON) and register. Sign on-site waivers for Wilderness Tours.	6:30 am	Breakfast at the Pavilion
12:00 pm	Lunch with representatives of Wilderness Tours & Algonquin College at the Pavilion.	7:15 am	Leave for tour of Algonquin College along Pembroke’s waterfront (<i>please note: responsible for own transportation</i>). Tour is 1 hour and then return to Wilderness Tours.
12:30 pm	Tour Wilderness Tours facilities & Outdoor Learning areas (transportation provided).	10:00 am	Observe Mini-Triathlon and Rappelling at Wilderness Tours.
2:30 pm	Break	11:30 am	Gear Briefing with Program Technologist
3:00 pm	Algonquin College presentation including review of course of study, introduction to the many support services, and general parent information about the program and Algonquin College.	12:00 pm	Lunch in the Pavilion with departure early afternoon.
5:00 pm	Meet with Program Co-ordinator for industry information and question period.	<i>Please Note: Parents are simply distant observers. Interaction between the parents and students must be kept to a minimum while they participate in the Program Readiness Camp. This includes the overnight camping. Students camp with other students and will not be staying in cabins with parent(s).</i>	
6:00 pm	Dinner at the Pavilion		
Evening	Free time to make use of Wilderness Tours facilities and socialize.		

REGISTRATION

- **Cost:** \$119/parent plus tax which includes campsite Sunday night and also includes 4 meals from Sunday lunch through Monday lunch. Bring your camping gear. You can also rent other accommodation from Wilderness Tours at a 20% discount on Sunday night. There are a variety of choices.
- **Reservations:** Call Wilderness Tours **1-888-723-8669** to reserve the Parents’ Program with a credit card. Please indicate the date and time you plan to arrive.
- **Cancellations:** Full refunds will be provided up to 14 days prior to the Program Readiness Camp (PRC). No refunds or cancellations will be accepted within 14 days of the PRC start date.
- **What to Bring:** Please wear appropriate clothing and footwear for mild hiking. Bring a hat, sunscreen, water bottle, and insect repellent. Please have a notepad with pen or an electronic device to record important information.
- **BOOK EARLY! We look forward to sharing this wonderful opportunity with you.**