

Camp Quest of the Smoky Mountains

Permission to engage in specific activities

FOR CAMPING YEAR _____

I (we) am (are) the _____ of _____, a camper at Camp Quest of the Smoky Mountains.

Understanding that certain activities have a degree of risk and uncertainty involved, and understanding that all reasonable efforts will be made by the staff of Camp Quest to see that these activities are carried out and supervised in a competent and responsible manner, permission is hereby given or denied as individually indicated below for the camper above named to participate in the activity. **Activities vary from year to year, and not all of these will be offered.**

Swimming in the West Prong of the Little River

This popular activity is well supervised by camp staff and only when river conditions are appropriate. Floatation vests are available for poor or non-swimmers.

Permission granted _____ Permission denied _____

Horseback Riding

This activity is offered by the staff of the riding stables in Cades Cove or Townsend under supervision of the staff of Camp Quest. There is no additional charge to the camper.

Permission granted _____ Permission denied _____

Canoeing on the Little River

A short trip down a portion of the Little River. Canoeing instruction and floatation vests are provided.

Permission granted _____ Permission denied _____

Media Interviews

Certain media organizations may come to camp for camper and staff interviews with prior permission and invitation of Camp Quest. Images, voice, and/or quotations resulting from interviews may appear in the respective media, but campers will not be identified beyond their first name. Campers may be interviewed, but only if the child wants to be interviewed.

Permission granted _____ Permission denied _____

Overnight Camping (being considered again)

A 2-mile hike after dinner, from Tremont along the West Prong Trail over Fodderstack Mountain to a GSM Park campsite on the West Prong of Little River. Stay overnight and return early before breakfast. No amenities, participation limited. Hiking and camping equipment needed.

Signed _____ Date _____