Sharkheads Shark Fest Residential Travel Form

Transporting your residential student to and from camp in a safe and effective manner is our top priority. Travel forms must be completed and returned NO LATER THAN MAY 24th. All changes to this form must be approved by the camp coordinator; no changes may be made after May 24th. If your plans are unknown prior to this date, please contact the camp coordinator to let us know your intended date for our approval.

Camp specific travel information (arrival/departure times, locations, unaccompanied minors, etc.) are available in the handbook and should be reviewed by both parent/guardian and camper prior to travel.

Camper’s Full Name: _______________________________________

First Middle Last

Parent/Legal Guardian Name: _______________________________________

First Middle Last

Please check the following mode of transportation your camper will be taking to arrive and depart from camp:

**ARRIVAL VIA CAR (SUNDAY JUNE 21st)**
Arrival Time: 12:00 – 2:00 PM
Location: Friendship Oak Villages [522 East Railroad St. Long Beach, MS 39560]
List the full name, phone number, and relationship of the person(s) dropping camper off:

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**DEPARTURE VIA CAR (FRIDAY JUNE 26th)**
Departure Time: 4:00 PM
Location: Friendship Oak Villages [522 East Railroad St. Long Beach, MS 39560]
List the full name, phone number, and relationship of the person(s) picking camper up:

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**ARRIVAL VIA FLIGHT (SUNDAY JUNE 21st)**
Arrival Time: 12:00 – 3:00 PM
Location: Biloxi-Gulfport International Airport (GPT)
Airline and Flight #:
Unaccompanied Minor? Yes No
List the full name, phone number, and relationship of the person(s) dropping camper off:

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DEPARTURE VIA FLIGHT (FRIDAY JUNE 26th)
Departure FLIGHT Time: 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Location: Biloxi-Gulfport International Airport (GPT)
Airline and Flight #:
Unaccompanied Minor? Yes  No
List the full name, phone number, and relationship of the person(s) picking camper up:

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TRAVEL REMINDERS:
- Valid photo ID will be required to pick up your camper.
- Be sure all medications are clearly labeled in their original packaging and include instructions. These should be packed in a zip-lock bag labeled with the camper’s name and easily accessible so they can be given to counselor upon arrival.
- Flights
  - Campers are required to have a reserved airline ticket; please no standby flights.
  - A case-by-case basis will be discussed for those needing to fly out the day after camp conclusion.
  - Please be aware that some airlines charge for extra or overweight luggage; please send money with your camper accordingly, as airlines generally do not accept payment by phone for these services.
  - Airport pick-up and drop-off procedures must be carefully followed to provide your camper with a safe and positive traveling experience:
    - Marine Education Center staff will wear a MEC logo shirt and nametag when meeting arrivals and escorting departures.
    - Upon arrival and departure, parents will be notified that their camper has arrived/departed safety.

CONTACT INFORMATION:
Marine Education Center (Camp Sponsor)
(228) 818-8095 Main Office
(228) 818-8091 Summer Camp Coordinator Office

The University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Park Campus (Location of Camp)
730 East Beach Boulevard
Long Beach, MS 39560

Friendship Oak Villages (Residential Accommodations)
522 E. Railroad Street
Long Beach, MS 39560
(228) 220-4768 Office

Biloxi-Gulfport International Airport (GPT)
14035 Airport Road
Gulfport, MS 39503
(228) 863-5951
- Two beds per room
- Multiple lounge areas
- Quiet study area
- Fully accessible
- Laundry facility
- Full kitchen with range/oven, fridge and microwave
- Free high speed wireless
- Utilities included
- Cable TV available
- Gated Pool
- Picnic/Grill Areas
- Controlled Access to Parking Lot
- Onsite security
- Walk to class in minutes
- Handicap accessible rooms