



Where Kids Can Be Kids

Privacy Policy

At Country Life Kids Camp, families trust us with their most precious gift: their children. We take that trust seriously, and that includes the information you share with us. This policy explains, in plain language, what we collect, why we collect it, and how we keep it safe.

Effective date: January 1, 2027

Who We Are

Country Life Kids Camp ("CLKC," "we," "us," or "our") is a 509(a)(2) non-profit Christian summer day camp located on 19 acres at 7003 W. Smith Rd, Medina, Ohio 44256. We have been serving families since 2008.

This policy covers our website, **countrylifekidscamp.com** (including our blog), and the information we collect when you register a camper for Summer Day Camp (ages 6–13, including After Care), Wilderness Club (ages 7–14), or Jr. Pickleball Clinics (ages 7–14), apply for tuition assistance, apply to join our team, or contact us.

Children's Privacy

Our programs serve children, but our website is meant for parents, guardians, and adult applicants. We collect information about campers **from their parents or guardians**, not directly from children online.

Our website is not directed at children under 13, and we do not knowingly collect personal information directly from children under 13 online. Consistent with the Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA), if we learn that a child under 13 has sent us personal information through our website without a parent's consent, we will delete it promptly. If you believe this has happened, please contact us at admin@countrylifekidscamp.com. (At camp, phones/electronics are for emergencies only and stay in campers' backpacks in their cubbies, not carried during programming. Violations may mean the device goes home with a parent with a written warning.)

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What We Ask For, Why & How We Use It

We only ask for what we need. Every piece of information we request has a clear purpose, and almost always it comes back to keeping your child safe and well cared for. We use your information only for these camp purposes.

WHAT WE ASK FOR	WHY WE NEED IT
Parent/guardian contact details Names, address, phone numbers, email	So we can reach you right away if your child is sick, hurt, or needs you during the day, and keep you updated with confirmations, schedule changes, and weather news.
Camper's name, age & birthdate	To place your child in the right age group, confirm they can safely join age-limited activities like the zipline (ages 7–9), and help our staff know every camper by name.
Emergency contacts	If we can't reach you, we need a trusted adult who can make decisions or come for your child quickly.
Health, allergy & medication information	So staff can care for your child well: planning a safe lunch at 12:00 around food allergies, giving medications exactly as you direct, and responding fast and correctly if a reaction or emergency happens.
Authorized pickup people	So your child only ever leaves camp, including After Care, with an adult you have approved.
Payment information	To process tuition, fees, and any refunds accurately. Card details go straight to our secure payment processor.
Tuition assistance financial information	To make fair, needs-based decisions so assistance reaches the families who need it most. Applications are reviewed confidentially by a small committee of our board and staff.
Job & volunteer applicant information Contact details, work history, references, background check details	Every adult who works with campers must be someone families can trust. References and background checks help us make sure of that.
Photos & video of campers	The Release and Waiver of Liability you sign at registration grants permission for promotional use, so we can share camp life through advertising and publicity on our website, social media, and print.

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What We Ask For, Why & How We Use It (continued)

WHAT WE ASK FOR

WHY WE NEED IT

Security camera video

To protect campers and staff, prevent theft and misconduct, and keep camp safe and secure. Security footage is never used for promotion.

Website data

Cookies, basic analytics

To keep our website working securely and to learn which pages families find helpful, so we can make the site easier to use.

Website Usage & Cookies

Our website is hosted on **Wix**, which processes site data, form submissions, and cookies on our behalf. When you visit, basic technical information may be collected automatically, such as your browser and device type, IP address, pages viewed, and how you arrived at our site. We may use analytics tools, such as those built into our website platform, to understand how families use our site.

Cookies are small files a website stores on your device. Wix uses cookies the site needs to work securely and may use cookies that help us understand site traffic. You can block or delete cookies in your browser, though some features may not work as well.

Photos & Video for Promotion

Camp is full of joyful moments, and we love to share them. Our staff may take photos and video of campers during camp activities for Country Life Kids Camp promotional materials, such as our website, blog, social media, and printed materials.

How permission is given: Every parent or guardian signs our Release and Waiver of Liability at registration. By signing it, you grant Country Life Kids Camp permission to use your child's photograph, image, or likeness, with or without your child's name, on their own or with others, for advertising and publicity only.

This permission is part of enrollment through the waiver; it is not a separate opt-in or opt-out under this Privacy Policy.

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Security Cameras

Our Release and Waiver of Liability also explains the video surveillance cameras at camp:

- **Why we use them:** to protect campers and staff, to prevent theft and other misconduct, and for safety and security.
- **What they capture:** cameras are placed in the areas used for camp programs, so your child's image and likeness may be recorded.
- **Never in private areas:** cameras are never placed where campers and staff have a reasonable expectation of privacy, such as restrooms and changing rooms.
- **Stored securely:** footage is stored on computer servers with appropriate security, and only authorized personnel may access it.
- **When footage may be shared:** to investigate complaints, to monitor camp operations, at the request of law enforcement, or for use in civil or criminal proceedings.
- **Not for promotion:** security footage is never used in our promotional materials. Promotional photos and video are covered separately, as described above.

We never sell your information. We do not sell, rent, or trade personal information about you or your child to anyone.

When We Share Information

We share information only as needed to serve your family:

- **Service providers** who help us run camp, such as our website host (Wix), our payment processor, our email service, our registration system, and background check providers. They may use your information only to provide services to us.
- **Medical emergencies:** with emergency responders, doctors, or hospitals when needed to care for your child.
- **Legal requirements:** when required by law, regulation, court order, or licensing and health authorities, or when needed to protect the safety of a child or others.
- **With your permission:** in any other situation, only when you have asked or agreed for us to share.

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How We Keep Information Safe

Secure online systems

Our website host (Wix) and payment processor use password-protected systems with encryption, and our website uses secure HTTPS (SSL) connections.

No stored card numbers

Card payments are handled by our payment processor. Camp never stores full card numbers.

Need-to-know access

Only staff who need information for their role can see it. A camper's health details are shared with the staff caring for that camper.

Locked paper records

Paper forms are kept in locked storage. During camp, campers' medical information stays with staff on-site for emergencies, then is secured again.

Trusted, trained staff

Our staff are background-checked and trained to keep family information confidential.

Strong passwords, limited accounts

We use strong passwords and keep the number of people with access to our accounts small.

Secure disposal

When records are no longer needed, paper is shredded and digital files are deleted.

If something goes wrong

If a breach ever affects your information, we will act quickly to contain it and notify affected families promptly, as required by law.

An honest note: No system is 100% secure, but we take protecting your family's information seriously. If you ever have a concern, please contact us at admin@countrylifekidscamp.com or 330-723-5532.

Data Retention

We keep personal information only as long as we need it for the purposes in this policy and to meet our legal, insurance, and recordkeeping obligations. Tuition assistance documents and applications from candidates we do not hire are kept for a limited time. When information is no longer needed, we securely shred or delete it.

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Your Rights & Choices

As a parent or guardian, you may:

- **Access:** ask to see the information we have about you or your child.
- **Correct:** ask us to update information that is inaccurate or out of date.
- **Delete:** ask us to delete information, unless we need to keep it for safety, legal, or recordkeeping reasons.
- **Email opt-out:** unsubscribe from newsletters and promotional emails at any time. We will still send important messages about your camper's registration, safety, and billing.

To make a request, email admin@countrylifekidscamp.com or call 330-723-5532. We may need to confirm your identity before acting on a request, and we will respond within a reasonable time.

Other Websites & Policy Updates

Links: our website and blog may link to other sites, such as social media pages. We are not responsible for their privacy practices, so please review their policies.

Updates: we may update this policy from time to time and will post the new version here with a new effective date. We will let families know about important changes by email or on our website.

Contact Us

Questions about this policy or your information? We would be glad to help.

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