

# Keeping In Touch

Below you'll find great ways to follow along with the action taking place on The Shores! Parents can ALWAYS communicate directly with Camp. This includes nurses, administration staff, Lauren, and Ty—via phone calls or emails. We will return all calls and emails within 24 hours.

## Kawaga's Contact Information

- The Camp Line (715) 356-6262
- For Quickest Response: [parents@kawaga.com](mailto:parents@kawaga.com)
- Ty's Email: [ty@kawaga.com](mailto:ty@kawaga.com) Lauren's Email: [lauren@kawaga.com](mailto:lauren@kawaga.com)
- Crow's Nest Email (Health Questions): [nurse@kawaga.com](mailto:nurse@kawaga.com)

## Communicating With Your Camper

The best way to stay in touch with your son, and with the day-to-day ongoings of Camp, is via our **Camp Kawaga App**.

1. **Search for Kawaga in the iOS App Store or Google Play.**
2. If you are new to Kawaga, click SIGN UP and use the invitation code: **KAWAGA2023**.
3. If you are a returning parent, when you next log into your app you will be prompted to select a new session for your son, and you'll be asked if you would like to update their photo or purchase a new bundle.

*NOTE: Our mobile app is powered by Bunk1. During the summer, you will have the option to purchase a paid package that includes premium features such as facial recognition and Bunk Notes. If you choose to purchase, charges on your card will appear from "Bunk1 Summer Camps".*

## Email

Via our Camp Kawaga App, you have the ability to "email" your camper as often as you would like. These emails are called "Bunk Notes". We receive a pdf at 9:30 am CST each day containing all Bunk Notes received in the last 24 hours. These are then printed and delivered to your camper after lunch each day.

You can select an option that allows your camper to provide a handwritten note back to you - these are called "Bunk Replies". When a camper turns in a "Bunk Reply" to our office, these are scanned in that evening. Those handwritten notes will then appear in your Camp Kawaga App. You will receive a notification any time you receive a handwritten reply.

When getting ready for the summer, there are a number of ways to prepare to use this email service.

- 1. Unlimited stationery can be purchased in a bundle OR under the Bunk Replies tab.
- 2. Print the stationary (Bunk Replies tab) and send your preferred amount with your camper to camp OR attach an individual piece to be delivered with your Bunk Note (0 credits if Unlimited).
- 3. Make sure your camper knows to write on the barcoded stationery and hand it in to a camp staff member.
- 4. Camp staff will collect Bunk Replies and send them to Bunk1. Bunk1 will then scan the barcode & send the reply to your account under the Bunk Replies tab.

## Mail

TO SEND MAIL THROUGH A MAIL CARRIER, PLEASE USE THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:

Camper's Name  
Camp Kawaga  
10,000 Kawaga Road  
Minocqua, WI 54548

## Camp Photos

All photos from the summer will be available via the **Camp Kawaga App**.

Once you have set up your account, you can navigate to the "gallery" located on the bottom toolbar to see all of our photos. The drop-down in the top right-hand corner will allow you to select the year that you would like to view.

The allows you to:

- **Save Your Favorite Photos** for easy access to pictures of your camper all year round.
- **Be Notified Via Facial Recognition** when a photo of your camper is uploaded.
- **Share Photos** to social media or email a photo to family member.
- **Customize Unique Photo Gifts** such as photo books, mugs, calendars, phone cases, and more.
- **Order High-resolution Digital Downloads or Prints.**

## **Kawaga's Blog and Newsletters**

All of our blogs and newsletter will be available under the "news" section of our Camp Kawaga App. They will also be available on the Camp Kawaga website [here](#).

- Ty's Take - Reflective and relevant stories of the magic we get to see at camp
- Lauren's Letters - Camp through the eyes of our camp Mom!
- Saturday Sermons - Written sermons from our staff delivered during our Saturday service.
- Weekly Pineneedle - Kawaga newspaper written by campers, edited by counselors sent electronically on a weekly basis, and in print at camp.

## **Social Media**

We would love for you to follow us across our platforms to stay up to date while camp is in session and year-round with the latest from Kawaga.

FOLLOW US ON:

- Instagram <https://www.instagram.com/campkawaga>
- Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/campkawaga>
- Twitter <https://twitter.com/CampKawaga>
- Vimeo <https://vimeo.com/kawaga>

Kawaga Videos – [www.vimeo.com/kawaga](http://www.vimeo.com/kawaga) Video updates will be published on our Vimeo page and cross-posted on social media.

