



Lakeview Villages

2024 Family Fun Days

Information Packet

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Are you ready for a day at one of the best places on earth? We can't wait to welcome you and your family to camp for a super-charged awesome memory-making fun-filled day at Lakeview Villages!

This packet contains important information for you to read as you prepare for camp. I will also be sending you a Pre-Camp Email one week before the start of your session, with any updates to this information and final details to know before leaving for camp.

If you have any additional questions that are not answered here, please contact me. I am here to help! Our website (lakeview.camp/fun) is also a great resource.

It's going to be a great day!

In Christ,

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ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE INFORMATION

SATURDAY ARRIVAL

You can arrive at camp beginning at **9:00 am**. Staff will be available to check you in between **9:00-9:45 am** at the Village Lodge on the Lakeview Villages side of camp. If you plan to arrive outside of this window, simply call or email us ahead of time to let us know. [Please note that prior to 9:00 am our staff will be meeting together and will not be available to direct you.](#)

We'll kick things off for the day with **Opening Devotions + Orientation** at **10:00 am** at the Devo Site.

DEPARTING

Your day at camp will end with Closing Devotions at **4:30 pm**. We ask that all families depart from camp no later than **5:30 pm**. If you want to leave before then, that is fine as well!

CHECK-IN PROCESS

When you arrive at camp you will check-in with our staff in the Village Lodge. We'll collect your waiver, do a quick health screen, and go over what you need to know for your day at camp.

Do the following **TWO WEEKS** before the start of your session to help the check-in process go as smoothly as possible:

- [PAY YOUR BALANCE](#): You can do this by logging in to your online account and clicking "Make a Payment".
- [UPDATE ONLINE FAMILY MEDICAL FORM](#): You filled this form out when registering, but please go back and **update** your family's health information as needed in the Medical section of your online account.
- [PRINT AND FILL OUT FAMILY WAIVER](#): **This form can NOT be filled out online. Please fill out prior to arriving at camp.** This form can be found at the end of this document.

During morning check-in the camp store will be open if you wish to purchase camp apparel or souvenirs.

FOOD INFORMATION

A hot dog and brat cookout lunch will be provided during your day at camp. The camp canteen will also be open in the afternoon to purchase candy, chips, ice cream, or pop. **The canteen is cash only.** All items in the canteen are around \$1.

You are welcome to bring snacks along with you. You will have access to a fridge for anything that needs to be kept cold. You will also have access to a fire pit if you want to try any campfire cooking as a family!

Food Allergies

If there are any food allergies we need to be aware of, **please make sure they have been added to the “Medical” section** of your online dashboard.

We are able to provide alternative food options for **Dairy, Egg, Gluten, and Nut** allergies. For more extensive allergies, we recommend you bring supplemental food items to camp. Our kitchen staff is able to help prepare any supplemental items brought.

Please reach out to our kitchen team (food@lakeview.camp) **at least TWO WEEKS** in advance of your arrival to talk through specific food needs or to find out more information about our menu options. We can also provide a **menu** for your time at camp to help you better plan and prepare.

For more details on our food allergy practices and procedures, go to lakeview.camp/food.

HEALTH SAFETY POLICIES

Here are some of the general actions we take to safeguard the health and well-being of our campers during their time at camp:

Health Screen during Check In

During check in we will conduct a brief health screen where we will ask if anyone in your family is feeling sick in any way, if you have been exposed to any communicable disease in the prior 2 weeks, and if you have any recent injuries we should know about. **If anyone in your family has a fever or is currently sick they will not be allowed to attend the retreat.**

Camper Illness Policy

In general, campers with a fever lasting for more than 4 hours, suffering from vomiting, or suffering from diarrhea will need to head home for the well-being of the group.

Health Routines

Due to the communal living aspect of camp we have many routines set up to keep our campers and staff healthy during their stay. This includes such things as cleaning all common areas (bathrooms, dining areas) at least once a day and having everyone to wash their hands before meals and canteen times.

SCHEDULE

Our Family Fun Days are designed with a relaxed and flexible schedule. Most (or all) of your day can be spent enjoying activities that your family can do on your own, like swimming in the lake or hiking in the woods. **A complete list of the Self-Led Activities available to you is provided at the end of this packet.**

There will also be **Staff-Led Activities** sprinkled throughout the day to enjoy. Each Family Fun Day we'll have **BB Guns and Hatchet Throwing, a Horse Barn Visit, Hiking, and Devotions**. We'll also have additional fun activities depending on the ages we get for the day and the staff we have working. Examples of some of these possibilities include things like the **Climbing Tower, a Cornhole Tournament, a game of Steal the Bacon, or Water Balloon Volleyball.**

Bottom line, your family is going to have a blast at camp. And if there's something you're really hoping to be able to do during your day at camp, let us know-we'll see if we can set it up!

[A sample schedule for the weekend is included at the end of this packet.](#)

STORMY WEATHER POLICY

In general, as long as it is not thundering, we will continue with all of our normal activities. In the event of stormy weather, keep in mind that activity options will be limited and water activities will NOT be allowed until 30 minutes after thunder was last heard. We always have board games and puzzles as a backup option!

If the weather forecast is calling for significant storms, we may make the decision to cancel the Family Fun Day. **This decision will be made at least 24 hours before the start of the retreat and communicated to you via email.**

PACKING LIST (WHAT TO BRING)

THINGS TO BRING:

- Water Bottle
- Athletic Shoes for hiking
- Cash for the canteen
- Bug Spray, Sun Screen
- Swimming Suit and Towel
- Sweatshirt, Rain Jacket, Umbrella
- Beach Sandals
- Hat, Sunglasses
- Bag/Backpack, Plastic bag for wet items
- Snacks
- Beach Chair
- Recreation Gear (Fishing Poles, Inflatables, Swim Goggles, etc.)

THINGS TO LEAVE BEHIND:

- Technology
- Knives or weapons
- Drugs or alcohol
- Valuables (jewelry, electronics, etc.)
- Work, worry, stress

LOST ITEMS

We will attempt to return lost items to their owners while they are still at camp. Lost items will be kept until the fall, at which time they will be donated. [If you have an item you believe is lost, please email our camp office with your name, the session you attended, and a detailed description of the item.](#)

CANCELLATION POLICY

Refunds will be granted 14 days prior to your scheduled arrival for all but \$25 of your deposit. Cancellation within 14 days of your scheduled arrival will forfeit your deposit, but all additional payments will be refunded. In cases of **illness, injury, or family emergencies** a full refund may be issued.

Please call us as soon as you know you will not be attending your session! Many sessions have a waitlist in case a spot opens up. The sooner we know of a cancellation, the more likely we will be able to move someone off the waitlist.

Well done-you made it through!

Get excited for your time at camp-it is my deepest prayer that your day here encourages you, fills you up, and gives you awesome memories with your family.

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions about the summer.

See you soon!

In Christ,

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Family Fun Days Sample Schedule



*Bring your ENTIRE family out to camp to spend a Saturday at **Lakeview Villages**. Enjoy a relaxed schedule with a variety of self-led activities as well as awesome experiences led by our camp staff. Great for families of all ages and church groups.*

Saturday

9:00-10:00a	Check In at the Village Lodge Shirt Shack Open Choose Your Own Activities OPEN
9:30-10:00	Hike around Camp
10:00	Opening Devotions + Orientation
10:30	Staff-Led Activity Option #1
12:00-1:00p	Lunch Cookout at the Village Lodge Point
1:30-2:30	Staff-Led Activity Option #2
3:00-3:30	Canteen and Shirt Shack Open
3:30-4:30	Staff-Led Activity Option #3
4:30-5:00	Closing Devotions at the Devo Site
5:30	Goodbye! Choose Your Own Activities CLOSE

Choose Your Own Activity Options:

- Basketball
- Bouldering Wall
- Canoeing
- Field Games
- Fishing
- Gaga Ball and 9-Square in the Air
- Hiking
- Kayaking
- Paddle-boating
- Sand Volleyball
- Swimming (NO LIFEGUARD)
- Tetherball
- Tire Playground

Possible Staff-Led Activities

- Archery Tag
- BBs and Hatchet Throwing
- Climbing Tower
- Camp Craft
- Horse Barn Visit
- Steal the Bacon
- Water Balloon Volleyball



Self-Led Activity Options at Lakeview Villages

We hope you enjoy your family enjoys your day in God's Creation! Here are some of the great self-led activities that are available to do at camp:

- **9 Square, Ga Ga Ball, and Horseshoes** - These group games are located up the hill by the athletic field shed. Balls for these games are located in the wooden bin next to the Ga Ga ball pit or in the Athletic Field Shed.
- **Athletic Field Games** - The Athletic Field Shed contains an assortment of sports equipment for playing kickball, Ultimate Frisbee, dodgeball, etc.
- **Basketball** - The basketball hoop is located right outside the Village Lodge.
- **Board Games and Puzzles** - These are available to borrow from camp. Ask a staff member to get some for you!
- **Bouldering** - The bouldering wall by the climbing tower is able to be used as long as no other groups are using the climbing tower. Make sure to always boulder with a partner spotting you and keep your feet below the appropriate line.
- **Fire Pit** - You are able to build fires in designated fire pits for enjoyment during their stay at camp. Wood boxes are located near each fire pit area.
- **Fishing** - Fishing is allowed on the lake WITHOUT a license (it is a private lake). Extra fishing equipment can sometimes be found in the Boat Shed. Please no fishing in the swim area!
- **Game Room** - The game room is located in the lower level of the Village Lodge and includes air hockey, bumper pool, carpetball, foosball, and ping pong tables to enjoy.
- **Hiking** - A hiking trail goes all the way around the lake. The trail location can be found on your camp map.
- **Kayaking, Canoeing, or Paddle Boating**- Lifejackets and paddles are located in the Boat Shed. Lifejackets are required when boating. Please make sure to return all equipment neatly to where you found it, to hang up life jackets carefully, and to turn kayaks upside down to drain.
- **Swimming** - Down at the waterfront we have water basketball, a rope swing, a Rock-It inflatable, and a floating raft. Lifejackets are required when using the rope swing and Rock-It. Please obey all posted rules down at the waterfront.
- **Tire Playground** - The tire playground is located behind the climbing tower in the woods.
- **Volleyball** - There is a sand volleyball court located by the waterfront. Volleyballs are located in the Boat Shed or the Athletic Field Shed.

2022 Family Program Release, Indemnification, and Hold Harmless Agreement

(print, sign, and bring with you to check-in)

Executed On Behalf Of Family

I execute this Release, Indemnification and Hold Harmless Agreement ("Agreement") on my behalf and on behalf of my spouse, children and other family members (my "Family") who are attending the family camp/retreat ("Camp") with me at Lakeview Ministries. I certify that I am at least 18 years of age and the custodial parent and/or legal guardian of my child(ren) and have full legal authority to execute this Agreement on behalf of my Family, my heirs, representatives, successors, executors, administrators and assigns.

Hold Harmless Agreement

I agree, on behalf of each member of my Family in attendance at Camp, my heirs, representatives, successors, executors, administrators and assigns, to FOREVER RELEASE, INDEMNIFY, DEFEND, AND HOLD HARMLESS South Central Lutheran Camp Association of Indiana, Inc., doing business as Lakeview Ministries, and its agents, servants, employees, volunteers, patrons, officers, and directors (collectively, "Lakeview"), from any and all actions, claims, demands, suits, liabilities, assertions of liability, losses, costs, judgments, and expenses, including but not limited to attorney fees, reasonable investigative and discovery costs, and court costs, which in any manner may arise or be alleged to have arisen, or resulted, or alleged to have resulted, from (i) the participation of any member of my Family in Camp, or (ii) the presence, activities, acts or omissions (whether negligent, intentional, or otherwise) of Lakeview. This includes, but is not limited to, all actions, claims, demands, suits, liabilities, assertions of liability, losses, costs, judgments, and expenses on account of personal injury, property damage, death or accident of any kind, arising out of or in any way related to the participation in Camp, of any member of my Family, however the injury or damage is caused, including but not limited to, the NEGLIGENCE of Lakeview.

Inherent Risk

I fully understand and acknowledge that certain elements of Camp may be physically hazardous and that by participation in Camp, the members of my Family face the risk of accidental and/or other injury. There risks include, but are not limited to, (i) loss or damage to personal property, (ii) injury or fatality due to and/or related to walking, running, jumping, swimming, handling athletic equipment, horseback riding, zip lining and/or other physical activity, (iii) head, neck, arm, leg and/or back injuries, (iv) exposure to inclement weather, outdoor terrain and all the risks inherent therein, (v) slips and falls, and (vi) any other aspects related to Camp. I have fully investigated the nature of Camp and assume the risks of my Family's participation in Camp. I agree that my Family's participation in Camp is entirely voluntary and that no member of my Family is under any obligation to take part in Camp. I am fully aware that any member of my Family may suffer these or other injuries arising out of participation in Camp. However, I voluntarily assume these risks on behalf of my Family so they may participate in Camp.

Legal Release

In further consideration of myself or my family participating in Camp, the undersigned hereby agrees to the following: The undersigned, on his or her behalf and on the behalf of such participating children, hereby releases, waives, discharges and covenants not to sue Camp or any of its respective directors, officers, employees, volunteers and agents, or any fellow participants or their family members from all liability to the undersigned or such participating children and all personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin of the undersigned or such participating children (or any person who may contract COVID-19, directly or indirectly, from the undersigned or such participating children) whether caused by the negligence, active or passive, of Camp or otherwise while the undersigned or such participating children and family are in, upon, or about the premises of any facilities or using any equipment of or participating in any program of or affiliated with Camp.

Photo and Video Consent

I also consent to Lakeview's use of photographs and/or video images of any member of my Family for official Lakeview promotional purposes, including print, internet, social media, video, and other media. While the image of a member of my Family may be captured, I understand that my Family's name will not be shared. I further understand and acknowledge that I am entitled to withdraw my consent to the use of photographs and/or video images of any member of my Family, by providing a request in writing along with a photo or photos of the members of my Family to Lakeview.

Governed Under

This Agreement is to be governed by and construed under the laws of the State of Indiana. In the event that any term or provision of this Agreement is found to be unenforceable or void, in whole or in part, the term or provision concerned shall be construed as valid and enforceable to the maximum extent permitted by law, and the balance of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect. I agree that exclusive venue for any dispute arising between Lakeview and me involving this Agreement shall be in Bartholomew County, Indiana.

Statement of Belief

I hereby affirm that I have read and reviewed the Statement of Belief and all of the policies as provided in Lakeview Ministries website and I discussed its policies with my family. I certify that I consent to and will submit to all of the governing policies of the camp. I understand that the standards of the camp do not tolerate profanity, obscenity in word or action, dishonor to the Holy Trinity and the Word of God, disrespect to the personnel of the camp, or continued disobedience to the established policies of the camp.

Mutual Consent

I understand that the services of the camp are engaged by mutual consent, and that either the camp or I reserve the right to terminate any or all services at any time. I understand that these policies do not contractually bind Lakeview Ministries, and are subject to change without notice by decision of the camp's governing body. Admission to the camp is a privilege, not a right, and that any behavior which is not consistent with the camp's standards could result in the loss of that privilege.

Printed names of all minor children attending the program: _____

Signatures of Adult Attendees:

Printed name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

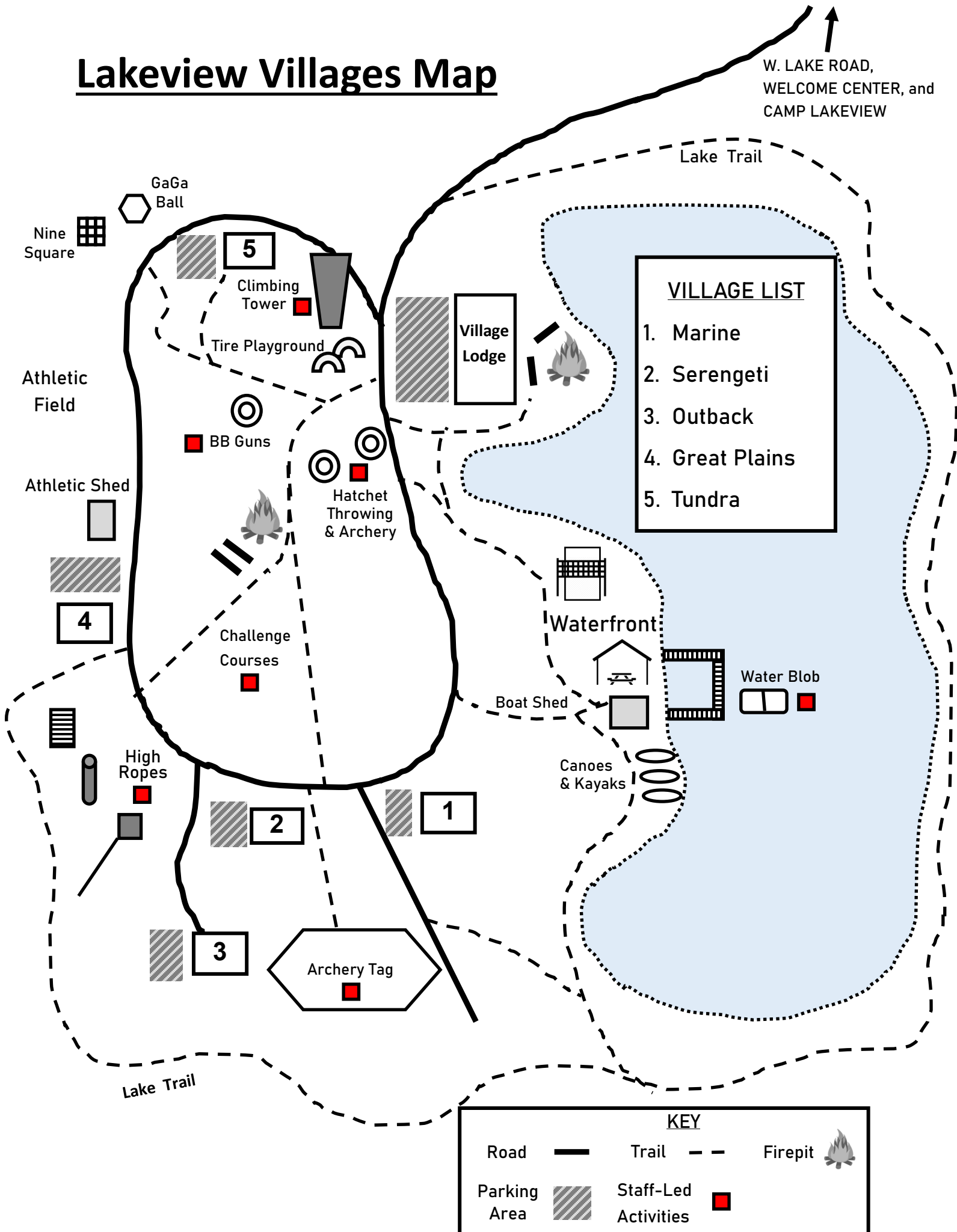
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Lakeview Villages Map

W. LAKE ROAD,
WELCOME CENTER, and
CAMP LAKEVIEW



DIRECTIONS TO CAMP

From I-65 take the Ogilville exit (Exit 64). Go WEST on SR 58 for 8 miles. At Waymansville, turn sharp right (look for the giant “Lakeview Ministries” sign) onto 930 S (also called “W Lake Rd”). Go 1.5 miles on W Lake Rd until you come to the camp entrance.

- **Camp Lakeview side:** Turn RIGHT
- **Lakeview Villages side:** Turn LEFT
- **Welcome Center/Main Office:** Turn RIGHT

(This is the house immediately at the entrance by the large Camp Lakeview sign.)

All guests, visitors, and groups should check in at the Welcome Center. If dropping your camper off for check-in, please head to the side that their session is taking place.

