

South Dakota Wildlife Federation - Youth Conservation Camp

Camper Application Form - 2026

Camp Dates: June 7-13, 2026

Please include the following information for each camper that you are sending to the SDWF Youth Conservation Camp. One application and one behavior contract per camper. Make more copies of this application as needed. **Thank You!**

Camper Name: _____ DOB (MM/DD/YY): _____ Sex: M / F

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Parent Cell: _____ Work: _____ Email: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____ Returner? (years attended): _____

Name of High School Camper Attends: _____

Will this camper need bus transportation to and from camp? (check one) Yes _____ No _____

If yes, camper preferred point of pickup: _____ Shirt size: _____

SDWF Youth Conservation Camp - Behavior Contract

Our goal is to ensure every camper has a safe, positive, and enjoyable experience. We ask that parents or guardians review this contract with their child so everyone understands the expectations and consequences. By signing, you acknowledge and agree to the guidelines outlined below.

1. All campers must respect their fellow campers, staff, volunteers, and anyone affiliated with the camp, as well as themselves.
2. Campers must also respect camp property and the personal belongings of others. Adherence to all camp safety rules is required at all times.
3. Profanity, fighting, hitting, hazing, bullying, threatening behavior, or any other disruptive behavior will not be tolerated during the SDWF Youth Conservation Camp, including during transportation on camp buses.
4. Smoking, vaping, and the use of drugs or alcohol of any kind are strictly prohibited at camp and on the bus. Firearms are strictly forbidden at the conservation camp.
5. Campers are expected to actively and appropriately participate in all scheduled activities.

If a camper violates any of these rules, camp staff will determine the appropriate consequences.

1. For minor infractions, consequences will be determined by camp staff and directors.
2. For major infractions, campers may be suspended from camp, and parents or guardians will be required to pick up their son or daughter. Future attendance at camp may be denied.

By signing below, both the camper and parent/guardian confirm that they have read, understand, and agree to the terms of this Camp Behavior Contract.

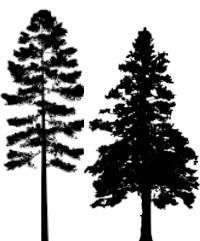
I, the undersigned, agree to the terms stated above.

Signature of Camper

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date



The camp fee is \$600.00 per camper. Please return this complete form along with camp fee to:

Reservations can be canceled and the camp fee refunded in full up to May 15th, at which time no refunds will be made

SDWF Youth Conservation Camp
PO Box 1175
Aberdeen, SD 57402

Direct all questions to:

Bob Schaeffer 605-380-0125 / Kemari Blumhardt 605-216-9046
Jayden Halsey 605-290-5128

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Parent/Guardian Permission, Waiver of Liability, Indemnification, Photo & Medical Release

Please print and complete the following:

Name: _____ DOB (MM/DD/YY): _____ Sex: M or F

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Parent Cell: _____ Work: _____ Email: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____

Said undersigned camper/parent or legal guardian does hereby represent that he/she is, in fact, acting in such capacity and agrees on behalf of the participant and his/her executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors, and assigns to;

- (a) Waive, release and discharge from any and all liability for participant's death, disability, personal injury, property damage, property theft or actions of any kind which may hereafter accrue to participant and his/her estate, the South Dakota Wildlife Federation, the State of South Dakota, the Nature Conservancy, their officers, agents, employees, volunteers; and
- (b) Indemnify and hold harmless the South Dakota Wildlife Federation the State of South Dakota, the Nature Conservancy, their officers, agents, employees, volunteers from and against any and all liabilities and claims made by other individuals or entities as a result of participant's participation or actions during this activity or event; and
- (c) Authorize the use of participant's photograph in all forms and media and in all manners, including composite or other representations, for any lawful purposes, and waive any right to approve the finished product; and
- (d) Authorize consent for medical treatment to the participant which may be deemed advisable in the event of injury, accident, or illness during this activity.

IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF CAMPER'S MEDICAL INSURANCE CARD TO THIS RELEASE.
It's strongly recommended that the camper has his/her tetanus vaccination updated before coming to camp.
Medical condition(s) camper is currently being treated for include:

- _____
Please note: Any camper with a diagnosis of asthma is to bring full (new) inhalers to camp and is to carry a rescue inhaler on their person at all times.

Camper is allergic to (please list agent and type of reaction camper has had):

- _____

The release and waiver shall be construed broadly to provide a release and waiver to the maximum extent permissible under applicable law.

I, the undersigned, acknowledge that I have read and understand the above Release and give permission for camp activities for the person named above.

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if camper is under 18) : _____

Signature of Camper: _____ Date: _____

Please contact the camp nurse, Mikaela Blumhardt RN, at (605) 252-6398 in the weeks prior to camp to communicate additional information as needed to ensure proper care.

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Gun Raffle

All proceeds will be donated to the SDWF Youth Conservation Camp and will help to sponsor a lucky camper! Participation in the gun raffle is **completely optional** and helps support the SDWF Youth Conservation Camp. Raffle entry fees should be sent with camper application, but are not included in the cost of the \$600 camper fee. If needed, raffle submissions can be mailed separately in the form of a check to SDWF Youth Conservation Camp, PO Box 1175, Aberdeen, SD 57402.

Raffle drawing will be held on the last day of camp, June 13th, 2026, and the winner will be called the following week. Raffle entries are non-refundable. Participants must be 18 years old or older at the time of entry!

Optional Raffle Entry

A beautiful, gently used, Remington 11-87 Premier 12ga shotgun with elegant engravings that can fire both 2 ¾" and 3" shells. Boyt Leather & Canvas case included!

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Please select one option below if you would like to participate in a chance to win:

- \$25** – 1 chance to win
- \$60** – 3 chances to win
- \$100** – 7 chances to win
- No, thank you** – I do not wish to participate at this time