

**RE: Staff Check-In & Parent Meeting, CRM**

**February 15, 2023**

TO: All 2023 Camp Rainey Mountain Summer Camp Staff Members and Parents

It is our greatest pleasure to congratulate and welcome you to the 2023 “Highly Motivated, Truly Dedicated” Rainey Mountain Staff! We are excited for the opportunities that this summer has to offer. This summer, nearly 5,000 scouts from around the nation will enter through the valley, and we want you to know that we could not do this without you. This year we will check-in staff through a staggered approach to staff check-in and our annual parent meeting. Our Parents / Staff meetings will be your best opportunity to meet the scouts your son or daughter will be working with this summer, as well as Department Directors, Area Managers, and Key Council Leadership. Please make sure to plan accordingly, as this is a change from previous summers.

Check-In for each department will go as followed:

- CRM Directors will check in on Sunday, May 21st, 2023 beginning at 7:00 PM.
- Shooting Sports, Waterfront, High Adventure (COPE/Climbing & Xtreme Skills), Dining Hall and Trading Post staff members will check in on Friday, May 27th, 2022 beginning at 6 PM and ending at 7 PM.
  - A Parents’ Meeting for these staff members and directors will begin at 7:00 PM following Check-In.
- Life Skills, Handicraft, Sci-Tech, Scout Skills, Nature Lodge, and TNT staff members will check in on Saturday, May 27th, 2023 beginning at 2 PM and ending at 4 PM.
  - A Parents’ Meeting for these staff members and directors will begin at 4:30 PM following Check-In.
- Launch CITs will check in as determined by our Launch Director.
  - Parent communication will be provided upon acceptance into the program before the arrival of each Launch class.

Your 2023 Leadership team is available to answer any questions. We are confident that our camp and our staff are prepared for a safe and fun summer. Our staff is the heart of our camp operation, and we cannot thank you enough for your tenacity. If you have any questions regarding the content of this letter, please do not hesitate to reach out to Phil Nichols, Council Program Director at [phillip.nichols@scouting.org](mailto:phillip.nichols@scouting.org).

We are excited to be working with such a talented and dedicated individual such as yourself. We recognize the potential for excellence within you, and are looking forward to this summer to impact the lives of all of our scouts that enter our gates.

Yours in Scouting,

<b>Collin McGinnis</b> 2023 Program Director	<b>Ethan Creager</b> 2023 Lead Commissioner	<b>Brandon C. Parham</b> 2023 Camp Director	<b>Phil Nichols</b> Council Program Director
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