

## Reserve your spot for Summer Camp Now!

To ensure a spot on the list of campers for 2010, please send in this form today. Due to limited openings, please make your reservations as soon as possible.

Camper's name:

Address:

Guardian's name:

Address:

Phone:

**Send this Form to:**

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## Dodge Pond Summer Vacations

**August 2-7, 2010**

**August 9-14, 2010**

*Sponsored by Jefferson and  
St. Lawrence County Rotary Clubs*



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## Dodge Pond Summer Camp

Dodge Pond Summer Camp is owned and operated by St. Lawrence NYSARC. The main office is in the Village of Canton, New York. The phone number is (315) 379-9531.



## Program Description

This co-ed camp accepts individuals with disabilities in the age range of eight through twenty-one years old.

The first week of camp runs July 28—August 2, 2008. The second week of camp runs August 4-9, 2008.

Dodge Pond has a capacity of 50 individuals and is wheelchair accessible. Both weeks are funded by Jefferson and St. Lawrence County Rotary Clubs, with sponsorships from The Foundation of St. Lawrence NYSARC. Thanks to these funds, we are able to offer the camp free of charge for every camper.

## Activities

Indoor and outdoor group activities are used to develop leadership and fair play. We strive to have all campers and counselors participate in activities in a non-competitive manner with an emphasis on team-building. Participation in all activities is optional.

## Activities Include:

- Arts and Crafts
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Boating
- Campfires
- Ceramics
- Dancing
- Fishing
- Hiking
- Karaoke
- Kickball
- Live Music
- Movies
- Nature Hikes
- Scavenger Hunts
- Skits
- Swimming
- Wildlife Workshops
- Volleyball

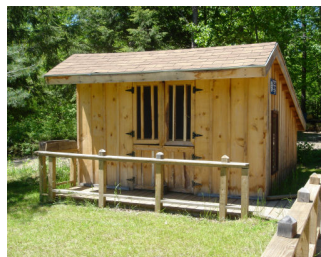


## Accommodations to Suit All Needs

Dodge Pond provides tents, lodge accommodations, or Adirondack style lean-tos.

The main lodge is a two-story facility with the first floor designed for campers who use wheelchairs or have ambulation challenges. There are enough bunks in the lodge for 30 campers. Ambulatory and non-ambulatory showers and toilets are available in the lodge.

Within easy access to the main lodge are four tenting campsites with one lean-to in each site. Tents and lean-tos are fully



furnished for the comfort of our campers. Our campsites all feature outdoor facilities, including a fully equipped shower house.

The main lodge has a fully equipped commercial kitchen, office space, health lodge and a lounge for rainy days.

The kitchen staff is qualified to prepare not only hot, nutritious meals and picnic lunches, but can also easily adhere to specialized diets, upon request.

## Staff

Most staff members are college students who are currently studying to work in the disability field. Staff are certified in First Aid/CPR and trained on how to interact with individuals with varying disabilities. A fully qualified lifeguard and water safety instructor patrols the beach on the 25-acre pond. Each counselor is assigned specific campers who provide 24-hour care and supervision.

## Medical

Dodge Pond has a Registered Nurse on duty during the vacations. Certified medical staff are always available for unexpected emergencies with backup services at Clifton-Fine Hospital.

## Permits

Dodge Pond obtains a permit to operate a Summer Camp from the New York State Department of Health. The camp is required to be inspected twice throughout the season by DOH and the Office of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities.