

## **Staff: What to Wear and Bring to Magnolia Farm**

Staff should wear comfortable clothes that it's okay to get dirty. Please **label EVERYTHING: all clothes, shoes, water bottles, backpacks and other items with your name.**

### **To Wear Daily:**

- Short sleeve shirt, preferably solid color (No sleeveless or spaghetti straps please) or Camp shirt if provided
- Long pants (blue jeans), riding pants (any color) or khaki shorts. Belts (if pants have belt buckles). Short length: below fingertips (no short shorts).
- Hat (any type) and sunglasses (optional). Baseball hats may be worn with visor facing front.
- Riding boots or shoes with a heel, and socks (Required if you will be riding or Assisting with horses.) Sneakers are fine if you will NOT be riding or assisting with turn out/feeding/ etc. around horses.
- Sun screen, bug spray, deodorant applied at home
- On "Tie Dye Tuesday": Wear your camp Tie Dye Shirt, and shorts or pants, socks and shoes you don't mind getting **permanently** tie dyed! Or bring a smock (a large old t shirt works well!)

### **To bring in a Backpack Daily:**

- Lunch and snack in insulated lunch box.
- Reusable Water bottle, filled with extra ice and water in the morning
- Sunscreen and bug spray\*
- Rain jacket with hood, preferably waterproof\*
- Pen or pencil and notepad
- Light weight long sleeve shirt (optional)\*
- Shorts and sneakers to change into after assisting with riding (optional)
- Water shoes (closed), to be used while creek stomping and fishing. Must have an attachment around the ankle; no flip-flops. Old sneakers work great.\*
- Small towel\*
- A complete **change of clothes** in a plastic bag\*
- Brush, comb, hairbands.
- \*NOTE: You may leave some of the items in your "bin" at camp for the season if easier, or in the trunk of your car (less likely to get lost!)

### **To Leave Locked in your car:**

Wallet

Prescription medication (in the bottle from the drug store with your name on it) or over the counted meds. OR they may be locked in the designated area. Do not carry unlocked in your backpack. EXCEPTION: If you have a prescription for an Epi-pen, insulin, or have a medical condition where you need to have meds close to you for possible emergency reasons.

### **Appearance:**

Staff is to dress and appear professional. Please remember that even though we want the campers to think of this as a place to come and play, run around and get messy over their summer vacation on the farm, YOU the STAFF are coming to work! The “just roll out of bed and throw a baseball cap on backwards” look won’t do!

Everyone should have: Clothes that are clean, wrinkle free, and without tears in the fabric. Hair should be clean and brushed; shower the night or morning before work. No dramatic change in hair color during camp, no new tattoos. No long dangling jewelry; such as necklaces, bracelets or earrings (small earrings are fine.) Ladies: Light or no makeup is fine (your choice), hair tie (required for riding, optional otherwise.) Gentleman: Clean shave daily.

**Please do NOT bring:**

Electronic devices, such as iPods, computers, electronic games; large amounts of money; any valuables, including valuable jewelry; sports equipment; stuffed animals or toys; pocket knives, controlled substances.

**Cell phones:**

Please be sure it is fully charged (useful for emergencies) but turn your cell phone on vibrate during camp. It should be kept in your backpack, which you may take with you around camp. If you need to use your cell phone/check messages, please try to do so during a brief break away from campers. We stay very busy, so this may just be several times a day. Let your friends and family know the hours you are working, and that you will not be able to text as you might otherwise during this time. Please let the Director know if you feel you have a special situation and therefore need greater access to your phone on a certain day. You may give friends and family the Camp Magnolia number of 770.337.4785 in the event they need to reach you urgently while you are at work, and any messages will be delivered to you.

**Lost or Stolen Items:**

Camp Magnolia is not responsible for lost or stolen items from your car or elsewhere on the property. Please leave all valuables at home! We will have a lost and found table during the Parent Open House on Friday. All unclaimed items will be donated to charity at the end of camp.