



August 11, 2020

Hello Camp Community and Family,

While Camp St. Andrews 2020 didn't exactly work out the way we'd planned, expected, or hoped, it was gratifying to see and hear everyone who participated in our Virtual CSA programs. Special thanks to Nick and Sara-Catherine for spearheading our online events, and to the rest of the Camp Leadership Committee (CLC) for constantly adapting to the situation-at-hand.

While we've all learned important lessons about the pandemic's unpredictability, we're hopeful that a year from now, conditions will be such that we'll finally be able to celebrate CSA's 50th year of camp, from July 25 – July 31, 2021.

To that end, we must still hold our annual election, at which our community selects the following year's Camp Director, Medical Director, Scarf Director, Chaplain, Registrar, and one Member-at-Large (three-year term). This (online) meeting is extremely important as it ensures that the CLC truly represents the many voices of our camp community, so we hope to see everyone online. The Zoom call will be held at 10 a.m. on Oct. 10, 2020, and votes will be collected electronically (instructions to be announced). Anyone who has held a position on the Camp Leadership Committee or attended camp in a staff or LT/PA position in the past three years may vote.

If you would like more information on any of the above positions, or to nominate yourself for any of 2021's community-elected positions, please send an email to nominations@campsaintandrews.org. **Self-nominations must be received no later than Friday, September 11, 2020.**

In October, after the community-elected members have been chosen, those interested in a Camp Director-appointed position (Asst. Camp Director, Operations Director, Spirit Director, Program Director, Archery Director, and Bookkeeper) will be able to send in their self-nominations.

The tentative schedule summary for 2021 camp events and meetings is included with this letter. All are invited (and encouraged!) to attend meetings, however, only Camp Leadership Committee members are *required* to be present.

Again, THANK YOU to everyone who contributed or helped make our Virtual CSA so much fun, especially the CAMPERS who make all our efforts worth it.

Sincerely,

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