

WATERFRONT SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

The lake at Camp McCumber is one of its most alluring and desirable attractions. The following requirements will help to ensure safe usage of the waterfront area:

1. Your group should have two certified water safety instructors or lifeguards: one for swimmers and one for boating use.

The swim lifeguard should have another adult working with them as a spotter. Keep swimmers within the marked swimming area. Two sets of eyes looking in both directions at all times. Become familiar with the rescue hook, throw ring, and other rescue equipment kept in the Oar House. Return these items to storage at the end of the day so they don't disappear during the night.

2. The boating lifeguard should have another adult working with them as a spotter. Lifeguard and spotter should be out in the lifeguard row boat at all times when boats are on the lake. Two sets of eyes looking in both directions at all times. Make sure that the throw ring with the rope is in the boat when on the lake. Keep your boat in close proximity to the group of canoes, row boats or paddle boats (i.e. on the same end of the lake).

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3. Consult with your insurance company when making arrangements for your group's liability coverage. For your increased protection, add an aquatic rider to your coverage if they provide one. Follow any directions or guidelines that your Insurer provides in addition to the recommendations outlined above.