

UC SANTA BARBARA

Department of Recreation

UCSB Department of Recreation Youth Programs
Surf & Kayak Camp Parent Information Packet
Summer 2021

Aloha Surf & Kayak Camp Parents and Guardians,

Please read this parent information packet thoroughly as it is very important all participants understand the rules, policies, and activities of camp. To view our complete Beach Camp Covid-19 Safety Procedures, please visit [here](#).

Camp Hours

Camp runs Monday through Friday from 1-5pm.

Pick-Up & Drop-Off Procedure

- Timing
 - Drop-off is between 12:30pm-1pm and pick-up is from 4:30-5pm.
- Location
 - The drop-off and pick-up location is the grass area in front of Santa Cruz Dorms (across from parking lot 6, see attached map), where UCSB Beach Camp Instructors will be present to check in campers and answer questions. Camp takes place at the UCSB Campus Point Beach.
- Face Coverings
 - All occupants of the vehicle will be required to wear face coverings during drop-off and pick-up.
- Physical Distancing
 - When dropping off campers, guardians should NOT exit their vehicle in order to reduce contact with staff and other participants. Staff will remain a safe physical distance from the vehicle when communicating with guardians.
- Daily Screening/ Symptom Check
 - Daily symptom screenings will be checked upon drop-off. Specific instructions will be emailed to you prior to camp.
- Identification
 - Guardians should be prepared to show proper identification (i.e. Driver's License or state issued ID). Campers will ONLY be permitted to leave with guardians whose ID matches the list of authorized pick-up person(s). Please make sure that information for authorized pick up person(s) is correct upon registration and notify the camp director ahead of time if this changes at any point throughout the session.
- Late Drop-Off/ Early Pick-Up
 - If campers need to be dropped off past the designated drop-off time or picked up earlier than the designated pick-up time, the guardian is responsible for checking in/ out their camper(s) at the Campus Point Beach. The same safety protocols in terms of face coverings, screening, and Identification checks will be required.
- Late Pick-Up

- If you are later than 5pm for pick-up you will be charged a late pick-up fee of \$10 for every 15 minutes late.

Parking

Two parking spots in lot #6 are designated for UCSB Beach Camp use and allow up to 20 minutes of parking. If these spaces are taken, it is your responsibility to pay for parking in an approved space. Lot 6 has limited visitor "Coastal Access" designated spaces but a fee is required to park in these spaces. Be sure to read all signs in the lot about parking restrictions. Please do NOT drive down the road to the Campus Point Beach. That road is designated for service and emergency vehicles only, violators are subject to a fine.

Provided Equipment

- Range of soft beginner surfboards long and short
- Kayaks (paddles, life vests, helmets)
- Stand up paddle equipment
- Body boards
- Various beach games (volleyballs, soccer balls, kick balls, etc.)
- Tents for shade
- First aid equipment
- Surf & kayak instruction

Things to Bring

- Face covering (plus a spare)
- Sun protection (sunscreen, hat, sunglasses, etc.)
- Full water bottle
- Warm clothes
- Towel
- Backpack
- Lunch and/or snacks (please use reusable containers, plastic bags are easily picked up by the wind and endanger wildlife)

Optional Personal Equipment

- Wetsuit
- Surfboard
- Bodyboard
- Aqua-socks
- Goggles
- Beach or sports equipment.

**If you bring your own surf or bodyboard or other beach equipment please make sure to mark it with your name. We will not take responsibility for any lost or broken equipment. In addition, we are unable to provide storage for personal equipment.*

Mondays

On Monday, after check-in, we will walk in our cohorts down to the beach. We will have a brief review of the camp rules, introduce the instructors, clarify camp boundaries and outline activities that will take place throughout the week. We will distribute rash guards then conduct a short swim test to ensure all the participants are comfortable swimming in the ocean.

The swim test consists of swimming out past the surf break (approximately 50 yards) to a lifeguard waiting on a surfboard, treading water for 1 minute and swimming back to shore. Following the swim test, there will be an on land surf lesson for those interested, others may begin regular camp activities.

Camp Rules

- Treat others like you would like to be treated
- Never leave the beach boundaries.
- Never leave trash or recyclables on the beach
- No fighting
- No bad language
- No mocking of others

Disciplinary Action

UCSB Recreation is committed to the idea that each camper should have a positive and enjoyable experience at camp, and the misbehavior of one camper, or a group of campers, should not be allowed to impact negatively on the experience of others. Please discuss the importance of good behavior before your child arrives at camp. Our discipline procedure is as follows:

1. Counseling
2. Time-Out
3. Parent Contact
4. Suspension
5. Termination

Contact Information

- Phone: 805-893-3913
- Email: camps@recreation.ucsb.edu
- Emergency Contact: Please contact the main camp office phone first, but in cases of "emergency only" when other options are unavailable, you may call the Rec Cen lifeguard Office at 805-893-7213. This line is not to be used for general questions regarding registration or camp information.

Mahalo,

Mike Reeves

UCSB Surf & Kayak Camp Director

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Surf & Kayak Camp
Jr. Lifeguards

UCSB Surf & Kayak Camp and Jr Lifeguards will take place at Campus Point Beach. There is no fee to park during scheduled drop off and pick times as you will not be exiting your vehicle. Check your parent packet for details on our 20 minute parking option to be used outside of scheduled drop off and pick up windows.

If you want to park and you do not possess a Staff or Faculty campus permit and the 20 minute camp space is taken, you will need to use a "Coastal Access" space and pay the fee to avoid being ticketed.

UCSB Parking Permit required at all times. Short-term permits may be purchased from permit dispensers throughout campus. Payment options are Visa, MasterCard or cash. A short-term permit entitles you to Visitor parking status.

Take care to observe parking signs as parking violations are subject to citation. Do not park at any time in spaces marked "Enforced at All Times," "Reserved" or "Restricted".

For updated parking information, please visit www.tps.ucsb.edu

Drop off and pick up of campers is in parking lot 6 for Jr Lifeguards and the grass area in front of Santa Cruz Hall for Surf & Kayak Camp NOT on the beach

DO NOT ENTER
Do not drive past this point on Lagoon Rd. Access is for authorized University vehicles ONLY. Violators subject to fines.

Campus Pt Beach



Please Observe
Posted
Speed Limits

- Accessible Parking
- Parking
- Permit Dispensers