

## PROGRAM AREAS

**Volunteers are expected to get to their program areas a few minutes early to help set up crafts, nature, etc. If you are ill, please tell another volunteer to relay the message to the appropriate program leader. Counselors are expected to get the campers to their program areas on time. Counselors are expected to help you and the campers. Don't let them sit off to the side and talk.**

**Crafts:** Craft sessions meet in the craft hall. Campers create a variety of projects each week and these projects will stay in the craft hall. Be sure campers place their craft item in their bag or in front of it when their session ends. They will take their bags home when they check out on Saturday morning. Volunteers in Crafts are expected to assist the campers in setting up and making their projects, and cleaning up to get ready for the next session. If you want to make a craft for yourself, be sure there are enough materials for you to do so and make your craft on your free time. Supplies may be carefully planned for the week and there may not be extras. THE AIR CONDITIONING UNITS MUST NOT BE SET LOWER THAN 78 DEGREES.

**Nature:** Nature sessions meet on the porch of Nature Hut. The nature session may include various activities such as nature photography, hiking, animal tracking, etc. The session begins on the porch and usually will move out on the trails or roads. Counselors are expected to participate in the activity and to assist the campers. Safety is an important issue. Keep your eyes open to children getting too hot or dehydrated, touching hazardous plants or wildlife, or getting lost. Closed-toed shoes and socks must be worn at all times, BY EVERYONE!

**Swimming:** You may drive to the springs during your free time. Be sure to sign out and back in. If you wish to swim in the pool, check with the waterfront director or camp directors to see if there will be a lifeguard on duty at 4:00 during the campers recreation hour. While at the camp pool, volunteers are expected to follow the camper dress code (one-piece bathing suits, shoes). No one may enter the pool area without a lifeguard on duty.

**Recreation Hour:** Camper Recreation hour starts after canteen, usually at 4:00. Recreation hour may include team sports, or Wekiva Rivalry. At the end of the week, we will have The Great Wekiva Race and each cabin earns points for their group.

**7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grades/Critter Camp:** These are specific programs which do not follow the same schedule of the 3-6<sup>th</sup> grade campers. If you have volunteered for these areas, the program coordinator for the program will advise you about your schedule and duties.