

# YMCA CAMP LAKE HELENA

## Transportation Information

### ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE TIMES

Please have your camper at their bus stop 5-10 minutes early.

SITE	AM	PM
LDS Church	8:10 am	3:25 pm
Artondale Elementary	8:00 am	3:45 pm
Tom Taylor YMCA	8:20 am	3:20 pm
Harper Park & Ride	8:20 am	3:20 pm

### CONTACT INFORMATION

Camp Office 360-895-5390  
Makenzie Good, Camp Director 253-460-8903

### Remind App information:

Download the Remind App  
Text *@lakehelena* to 81010 and follow prompts to join Camp's class as a parent, and receive messages via the app.

### Changes in the schedule

The camp staff will notify the YMCA branch front desk staff if there are any changes to the schedule (i.e. running late).

If you need to contact the staff or are running late please use the Remind App to send a message.

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

- Please wait for camp staff at the designated gathering spot for each location:
  - **LDS Church**- 1102 S Pearl St, Tacoma, WA 98465
  - **Tom Taylor Family YMCA** – In front of the main entrance, safely away from the curb
  - **Artondale Elementary** – Drop off loop in front of school, safely away from the curb
  - **Harper Park & Ride** – Southwest corner of park and ride lot.
- Allow the vehicle to come to a complete stop before approaching.
- Families must wait with their child until the driver checks each child onto the bus (at pick-up). Families are responsible for campers until they are on the bus (AM), and as soon as they are off the bus (PM).
- Adults authorized for pick up must be present upon arrival at the YMCA (PM).
- Campers will only be released to adults that are on the release waiver. (Please bring ID every day.)
- Safety rules for transportation will be explained by the driver.
- Campers not following safety instructions or vehicle rules will not be allowed to participate in transportation to/from camp.

### BUS EXPECTATIONS

1. Be courteous to the driver, to other passengers, to other vehicles and those passing by.
2. Sit in the seat assigned by YMCA staff.
3. Face toward the front when the vehicle is running.
4. Remain seated while the vehicle is in motion until the engine is turned off and the driver gives permission to exit the vehicle.
5. Seatbelts, when available, should be buckled before departing and remain buckled until the engine is turned off – one person per seatbelt.
6. Do not eat in the vehicle unless the driver gives permission.
7. Keep windows and doors closed unless the driver gives permission.
8. Keep hands, arms and head inside the vehicle.
9. Do not throw anything out the window.
10. Keep feet off of seats.
11. Do not obstruct the view of the driver.
12. Animals other than service animals, firearms, weapons and other potentially hazardous materials are not allowed on YMCA vehicles.
13. Cross in front of YMCA vehicles or as instructed by the driver, when necessary to cross the road.