

July 13, 2020

Dear Campers,

Camp Paw 2020 is fast approaching, and we have a few updates to share with you.

We have continued to follow the events surrounding COVID-19 and are staying abreast of the current state and federal guidelines and regulations regarding social gatherings and events. In light of those requirements and with an overwhelming desire to maximize safety for our attendees, we have made the following decisions and preparations:

- We have canceled this year's BBQ dinner and will unfortunately not be able to provide any food to attendees
- We may potentially be required to impose a limit on the number of attendees we can allow at Camp
- We have set a final go/no-go decision date of July 31st, which is when sponsor registration closes

We will announce the decision to hold or cancel Camp Paw 2020 no later than August 1st.

Montana is currently in phase two of its state-wide reopening plan. During phase two, the size of group gatherings has been increased to 50 people, with a potential allowance for more, provided that proper physical distancing can be maintained. While we are currently evaluating the feasibility of appropriate physical distancing at Camp, we are operating under the assumption that an attendance limit will be in place by the end of the registration period.

To help facilitate this process, and to make it more convenient for our attendees, we have enabled a new pre-registration feature. Registrants are now able to pre-register for Camp Paw, which will reserve a spot for them without charging any fees until registration closes. Only then will we process pre-registrations, charging the appropriate fee based on registration level to the payment method on file.

Unfortunately, we are not able to convert existing registrations into pre-registrations.

If an attendance limit is in place, attendance spots will be assigned by order of registration until the limit is reached. Any registrations past this limit will be canceled and fully refunded.

As always, if you are unable or no longer wish to attend Camp Paw this year, you may cancel your registration at any time before registration closes at noon on August 14th. This can be done by either accessing your account at <https://camppaw.org/acount> or emailing reg@camppaw.org with a request to cancel and the full name that you registered with.

We look forward to seeing as many of you all as safely possible and having the best camping weekend we can!

- The Camp Paw Staff