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# CAMP KOREA 2023: Hangul

## INFO PACKAGE [English]

CITs: August 30 to September 3, 2023

Campers: August 31 to September 3, 2023

Camp Summit, Squamish, BC



Camp Korea is back! After returning from our 2 year hiatus, Camp Korea is back for year 16. We're thrilled to see some new faces and returning campers for another week of fun. We are returning to our core values of this unique Korean cultural camp, with exciting camp activities like high ropes, climbing, archery, outdoor living skills, and more. Join us as we carry on the momentum for another fun-filled, unique camp this year!

### Camp Korea's Purpose

- Campers (**Entering Grades 1 - 8**) – Fun and engaging Korean-Canadian cultural camp in Canada
- Counselor In Training (CIT) (**Entering Grades 9 - 12**) - Opportunities to root their unique Korean Canadian identity
- Counsellors (**College age & older**) - Networking event to enrich the Korean-Canadian Community (C3)

### This Year's Theme

Our theme for this year is Hangeul(한글), the Korean alphabet! Hangeul is an essential part of our language, and we are excited to delve deeper into its history and unique properties. Through this exploration, we also aim to gain a better understanding and appreciation for King Sejong the Great, the inventor of Hangeul, and his remarkable acts of generosity and empathy towards his people.

## LETTERS TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS

### Dear Parents/Guardians

We are excited to welcome your children to Camp Korea 2023, in celebration of Camp Korea's 16<sup>th</sup> year of operations! We look forward to the best Camp Korea yet.

This year features four days for campers and five days for CITs centered on this year's theme, Hangeul.

This information package will provide essential information to help you prepare for this year's Camp Korea. **Please sign and bring the attached authorization and waiver forms during the morning check-in.**

If you have any additional questions or concerns, please contact at [http://www.c3society.org/contact\\_us](http://www.c3society.org/contact_us).

**Camp Korea 2023 Leadership Team**



## CAMP KOREA 2023 VOLUNTEERS

### **Chief Ambassador**

Rachel Oh

### **Ambassadors (A-Team)**

Thomas Kim, Jeana Park, Luke Chung, Sean Min & Anna Jang

### **Camp Directors**

Arnold Han & Roelle Kim

### **C3 Board Members & Volunteers**

Mike Lee - C3 Chair

Ellen Hong - C3 Director

Kevin Choi - C3 Director

Stacey Lee - C3 Director

Roelle Kim - Graphic Designer

Kevin Kwok - IT Officer & C3 Director

**For more info, please visit [www.c3society.org/contact\\_us](http://www.c3society.org/contact_us)**



## PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE

### **CIT ONLY DAY – Wednesday 08/30/23**

1:30 PM - Check-in @ St. Andrew Kim Parish  
 3:30 PM - Bus Arrives at Camp Summit  
 4:00 PM - Welcome & Introductions  
 5:00 PM - CIT Activity & Games  
 6:30 PM - Dinner  
 7:30 PM - Free Time, Campfire, Talent Show Prep  
 9:30 PM - Lights Out

### **DAY 1 – Thursday 08/31/23**

8:30 AM - Check-in @ St. Andrew Kim Parish  
 11:30 AM - Bus Arrives at Camp Summit  
 12:30 PM - Lunch  
 1:30 PM - Welcome & Introductions  
 3:30 PM - Camper Games & CIT Activity  
 6:30 PM - Dinner  
 7:30 PM - Team Building Event  
 9:30 PM - Talent Show Prep & Lights Out

### **DAY 2 - Friday 09/01/23**

8:00 AM - Morning Exercise  
 8:30 AM - Breakfast  
 9:30 AM - Arts & Culture  
 12:30 PM - Lunch  
 2:00 PM - Camping Activity/Games Rotation  
 6:00 PM - Dinner  
 7:00 PM - Indoor Games  
 8:30 PM - Dance Party  
 9:30 PM - Talent Show Prep & Lights Out

### **DAY 3 – Saturday 09/02/23**

8:00 AM - Morning Exercise  
 8:30 AM - Breakfast  
 9:30 AM - Arts & Culture  
 12:30 PM - Lunch  
 2:00 PM - Camping Activity/Games Rotation  
 6:00 PM - Dinner  
 7:30 PM - Skits & Talent Show  
 10:00 PM - Lights Out

### **DAY 4 - Sunday 09/03/23**

8:00 AM - Morning Exercise  
 8:30 AM - Breakfast  
 9:30 AM - Open House Prep  
 11:00 AM - Open House  
 1:30 PM - Time to Say Goodbye  
 2:00 PM - Bus Departs Camp Summit  
 5:00 PM - Arrive @ St. Andrew Kim Parish

\*C3 Society is a non-profit, non-partisan, non-religious organization. We thank St. Andrew Kim Parish this year to utilize the parking lot for camp and for that purpose only.



## CIT DAY DETAILS & CHECK-IN OPTIONS

We are hosting a separate CIT-ONLY mentorship on August 30<sup>th</sup> at Camp Summit. CITs will be able to come one day early and bond with just counsellors. Incoming Grade 9 - 12 participants are encouraged to register for the camp as CITs and enjoy this extra day of relaxing and connecting with older audiences to share meaningful experiences.

### **CIT Day Check-in Options**

Wednesday, August 30th

#### **Option 1 - Bus to Camp Summit**

- Meet **1:30 PM** @ St. Andrew Kim Parish, Surrey. Check-in with Camp coordinator.
- BUS LEAVES AT 2:00PM SHARP
- See **page 9** for directions to St. Andrew Kim Parish
- Lunch will not be served

#### **Option 2 - Drop off at Camp Summit**

- **4:00 PM** @ Camp Summit, Squamish
  - See **page 8** for directions to Camp Summit
  - Lunch will not be served
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## CAMPER CHECK-IN OPTIONS

Thursday, August 31st

#### **Option 1 - Drop-off at Camp Summit**

- Meet **8:30 AM** @ St. Andrew Kim Parish, Surrey. Check-in with the Camp coordinator.
- BUS LEAVES AT 9:00 AM SHARP
- See **page 9** for directions to St. Andrew Kim Parish, Surrey

#### **Option 2 - Drop off at Camp Summit**

- **11:30 AM** @ Camp Summit, Squamish
  - See **page 8** for directions to Camp Summit
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## OPEN HOUSE INVITATION

**C3 KOREAN CANADIAN SOCIETY CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO ATTEND OUR  
16TH ANNIVERSARY CAMP KOREA OPEN HOUSE**

**SUNDAY, SEPT 3rd 2023 AT 11:00 AM**

The Open House is an opportunity to learn more about C3 Korean Canadian Society and the Camp Korea program. Performances and presentations will be followed by BBQ lunch at 12 pm. Please note, we ask that each attendee will cost \$10.00 for BBQ lunch provided by Camp Summit.



The Open House marks the end of Camp Korea 2023. Parents/guardians, you have the option of picking up your children from Camp Summit after the Open House. Otherwise, bus transportation will be provided back to St. Andrew Kim Parish, Surrey.



## THINGS TO BRING

- Sleeping bag
- Pillow
- 3-days worth of:
  - Towels (beach towel and shower towel)
  - Toiletries (toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, shampoo)
  - At least 2 pairs of shoes (including 1 pair of runners)
  - Clothes (weather appropriate) & several pairs of socks
- Swimwear
- Warm jacket
- Hat or cap
- Flashlight
- Sunscreen
- Umbrella
- Plastic bag for dirty laundry
- Bug repellent
- Any required medication with specific instructions for counselors
- Talent show props



## THINGS **NOT** TO BRING

- No snacks please. Wildlife can be attracted.
- Peanuts and any nut products - Camp Korea is **NOT** a peanut-free site. Please advise staff of any allergies or dietary restrictions.
- No electronic devices - We will check your bags and return electronics to parents/guardians.
- Hazardous materials (weapons, lighters, flammables)
- Drugs and alcohol



There will be no cellular reception at the camp. We will always stay in the loop as we shall contact you via landline in times of need. Please help us help your kids experience simpler days of true camping.



## DIRECTIONS TO CAMP SUMMIT

1. Follow the TransCanada Hwy 1 west from Vancouver. As you near Horseshoe Bay (near the BC Ferries terminal), take the exit for Highway 99 North to Squamish/Whistler (follow signs to Squamish/Whistler).
2. Continue on Highway 99 North – you will pass through the communities of Lion’s Bay, Furry Creek, & Britannia Beach. Enjoy the views along the way – but be careful of traffic and construction on route.
3. As you arrive in Squamish you will pass through several sets of traffic lights as you continue northwards on Highway 99. Continue through all of the traffic lights – you will pass the McDonald’s, Tim Hortons, Walmart, Canadian Tire, and Burger King as you drive along the highway. Continue on Highway 99 North – you will be leaving Squamish.
4. A few minutes after the last set of lights in Squamish, you will pass by the Welcome to Brackendale sign on the left hand side of the highway. At this point you be driving up a long straightaway subtle hill on the highway – keep to the left hand lane. When you are nearing the top you will see an intersection – you will want to turn **LEFT** here on to **Squamish Valley Road**. (Landmark: the sign for Alice Lake Provincial Campground is on the right hand side of the highway at this intersection).
5. Follow Squamish Valley Road (do not turn off of it) – you will pass a large section of powerlines, then you will cross railway tracks and shortly after you will cross over a bridge. Directly after the bridge you will come to a Y intersection – **continue following Squamish Valley Road to the LEFT**. (Paradise Valley Road is to the right – DO NOT go this way).
6. From the Y Intersection it is 16 kms (approximately 15 mins driving at 60km per hour) to reach Camp Summit. It is paved the entire way. Along the way you will pass a large yellow smiley face ☺, you will cross a one lane bridge, and then you will pass by Glacier Valley Farm & Squamish Valley Campground on the left hand side – at this point you are nearing Camp Summit. Look for our sign on the LEFT hand side of the road.

*Feel free to call us en route if you need clarification or further directions. Please note that you will not have cell phone reception past the yellow smiley face ☺ in the Upper Squamish Valley.*

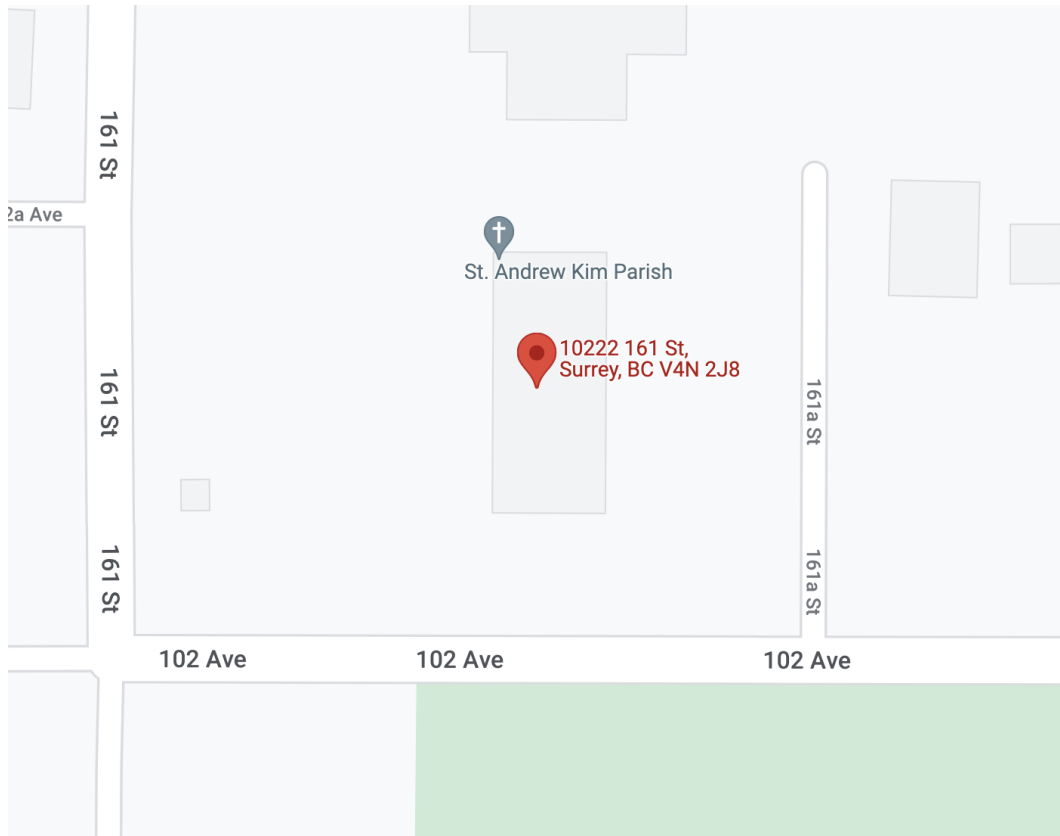
**CAMP SUMMIT & SUMMIT OUTDOOR EDUCATION CENTRE Mile 18, Squamish Valley Road, Squamish BC**  
**Office tel: 604-898-3700 Toll free: 1-866-550-1118**





## DIRECTIONS TO BUS CHECK-IN & PICK-UP

**St. Andrew Kim Parish**  
10222 161 Street, Surrey, BC, V4N 2J8



### Check-In

**CITs** - Wednesday, August 30th @ **1:30 PM**

Bus leaves 2:00 PM SHARP

**Campers** - Thursday, August 31<sup>st</sup> @ **8:30 AM**

Bus leaves 9:00 AM SHARP

### Pick-Up

**CITs and Campers** -

Sunday, September 4<sup>th</sup> @ **5:00 PM**



## CAMP KOREA 2022 AUTHORIZATION AND WAIVERS

**PLEASE PRINT, FILL IN, AND RETURN AT CAMP CHECK-IN - Total 4 pages**

I hereby acknowledge that participation in Camp Korea and camp-related activities is at the sole discretion and judgment of the parent or guardian and involves an inherent risk of personal injury.

I, on behalf of my son/daughter, hereby assume all such risk. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless Camp Korea, C3 Korean Canadian Society ("C3 Society") and its volunteers from all claims, actions, damages and liabilities for personal injury or damage relating to or arising out of any camp activity except where the injury or damage is caused by the gross negligence of the camp's volunteers.

In allowing my child to attend Camp Korea, I, the undersigned, permit my child to participate in the full range of camp activities and authorize the Camp Director or his/her appointee, in the event of a serious accident or illness affecting this above named camper to authorize on my behalf all procedures, including admission to hospital and necessary treatment therein, as he/she may deem essential for the care and well-being of the camper. Such action is only to be taken when immediate contact with the undersigned cannot be made. It is understood that Camp Korea is not responsible for medical care costs.

AGREED AND ACCEPTED BY:

Name of participant (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



## CAMP KOREA 2022 PHOTO/VIDEO/AUDIO RELEASE FORM

I hereby grant permission to C3 Korean Canadian Society (“C3 Society”) the right to reproduce, use, exhibit, display, broadcast, distribute and create derivative works of the images of me taken through video, audio or photography during Camp Korea (event) for use in connection with the activities of C3 Society or for promoting, publicizing or explaining C3 Society or its activities.

This includes, without limitation, the right to publish such images, video and audio on the C3 Society website, for use in PR/promotional materials, such as marketing publications, newsletters, fundraising materials and other C3 Society- related publications.

These images may appear in any of the wide variety of formats and media now available to C3 Society and that may be available in the future, including but not limited to print, broadcast, videotape, CD-ROM and electronic/ online media. Individuals over the age of 18 may sign for themselves; individuals under 18 must have this release signed by a parent or guardian.

AGREED AND ACCEPTED BY:

Name of participant (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_