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### **Procedure on Peanuts, Tree Nuts & Shellfish Allergies**

YMCA Camp MacLean does not use peanut oil or other peanut, tree nut or shellfish products in its preparation of homemade entrée's and/or desserts. In addition, we do not purchase products that knowingly contain these allergens. If a product we purchase is found to contain peanuts and/or peanut oil, tree nuts or shellfish, it is removed from our inventory. Additionally, if food service or store products have labels that indicate the item may contain these allergens, the item will be removed from our inventory. The foodservice department does not keep peanut butter in the kitchen nor will we serve it upon request.

The camp store does not sell peanut/tree nut candies & ice cream. Some of our camp store items, pre-packaged foods, baked goods and mixes are processed in facilities that also process peanuts and other tree nuts. We cannot eliminate these items from our inventory. Ingredient summary sheets are available. Upon request we can help guests determine if a particular item was processed in such a facility. We will try to offer a substitute if requested. YMCA Camp MacLean does not allow guests into food preparation or storage areas.

Camp MacLean allows guests, campers and staff to bring and receive snack items from outside sources. Therefore, camp cannot be considered peanut-free or tree nut free. If we are notified that a child comes to summer resident or day camp with a life-threatening peanut or tree nut allergy, we will meet with his/her counselors and cabin/group mates to remove peanut and tree nut items and educate the group on safe food practices. Summer resident and day campers may not bring outside peanut or tree nut products to main camp meals. Rental groups are responsible for managing food allergies with respect to food not provided by camp. Food and snacks brought into camp by campers and guests cannot be stored in the camp kitchen or food storage areas unless approved with the foodservice department.

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