



## ACTIVITIES

All activities are weather permitting and waterfront activities are dependent upon water levels  
( ) – indicates the minimum number of staff required to run that activity.

Activities are 50 Minutes PLUS 10 Minutes for Changeover  
Group sizes to be kept at a maximum of 12 people per activity

### Instructor costs for activities:

Half Day 1 Instructor - \$150 x number of instructors needed (for three hours)  
Full Day 1 Instructor - \$250 x number of instructors needed (for five hours)

### Use of Gym:

Half Day (for four hours) - \$200  
Full Day (for eight hours) - \$300

\* If booking the gymnasium – please have participants wear white soled shoes\*

### Swimming Pool (subject to availability)

Our newest facility at the Ranch is a 40ft X 80ft therapeutic swimming pool and hot tub complete with an interactive water feature. Our western-themed pool and hot tub facility is a fantastic way to wind down after a day full of activities.

### Use of Pool:

3 Hour Session w/ certified lifeguard - \$300  
Hot Tub use is an additional \$50



## ZAJAC RANCH DAY TIME ACTIVITIES

### 50 minute rotations / max 12 ppl per rotation

#### **High Ropes Alpine Challenge Course (2)**

The high ropes program is designed to challenge each camper to achieve personal goals and stretch their comfort zone to create success. Whether it is climbing the ladder, putting on a harness or completing the full element, 30ft off of the ground, each camper chooses how far they want to go and can discover things they thought they could never do.

#### **Low Ropes Team Development Course (1)**

Our low ropes course offers a variety of challenges to develop both team and personal goals in a safe and supportive environment. The course may be used recreationally or as a tool to work on specific outcomes such as teambuilding and communication. Our low ropes program consists of over 5 different low ropes challenges. Please discuss your goals in advance!

#### **Climbing Wall (2)**

Learn the basics of rock climbing on the Zajac Ranch rock climbing wall. Utilizing a similar philosophy as for our High Ropes activity; each camper can challenge themselves by simply putting on a harness, roping up, climbing the rope ladder, or, the entire climbing wall. Here, anyone pushing the boundaries of their comfort zone is achieving success.

#### **Horseback Programming Activities (2)**

We are proud to offer a unique horse program as part of your stay at the Zajac Ranch. We are devoted to safe and responsible methods of riding and caring for horses and all animals. Prior to riding, participants will learn basic hands-on horsemanship skills such as controlling the horse using clear communication, mounting, and dismounting. Participants will also have a chance to interact with a variety of petting zoo animals including the donkey, llama, goats, rabbits and playful newborn baby goats.

#### **Archery (1)**

Our archery range was constructed with beginner-level archers in mind. The range is equipped with 20 and 30 pound bows, perfect for junior Robin Hoods! Participants learn basic archery skills, safety, and technique. Team up with your friends to win the coveted Archery Master's Hat, or score points puncturing the Balloons of Doom!

#### **Canoeing (2)**

Participants learn canoe and waterfront safety, sculling strokes like the pry and draw, steering strokes like the C and J strokes, and how

to most effectively splash your friends! Older children and adults who have demonstrated their skills can go for guided canoe expeditions exploring Stave Lake. \*Only available for June, September and only if water levels are cooperative.

#### **Kayaking (2)**

We have ten beautiful ocean kayaks. Participants learn how to paddle and steer. As with canoeing, older children and adults who have demonstrated their skills can go for guided kayak expeditions exploring Stave Lake. \*Only available for June, September and only if water levels are cooperative.

#### **Wilderness Survival (1)**

The wilderness is a rugged place and our Wilderness Survival program will teach attendees the basics to survive in the outdoors. Groups will learn to build a shelter, a fire to stay warm, and several other survival basics.

#### **Petting Zoo (1)**

Visit and pet our miniature horse Pebbles, get comfy with our fluffy Donkey Jasmine, wave to our llama Pookie and 'baa' at our little goat Leo! Don't forget to hop like a bunny over to Milton and Joey and check to see if any of our chickens have laid an egg! Our beautiful pheasants are hard to spot so look carefully!

#### **Nature Art (1)**

This class encourages participants to look at nature in a different way. They will get their creative juices flowing as they search for natural items around camp to use to make an animal art sculpture. Their creature creation will get to follow them back home.

#### **Orienteering (1)**

Participants learn about the Earth's magnetic field and how it relates to the way a compass works. Once they learn about the parts of the compass and discover how to use it, the students will test their new skills to navigate through our compass course.

#### **Team Building (1 or 2, dependent upon group size)**

Communication and cooperation is an important concept that should be taught at an early age. This class will begin to teach the younger students important teamwork skills through high energy and extremely fun field games.



## ZAJAC RANCH DAY TIME ACTIVITIES (continued)

**50 minute rotations / max 13 ppl per rotation**

### **BC Birds (1)**

Are you familiar with birds residing around the lower mainland? Take part in this fun and informative activity that will end with a quiz to test your knowledge of 14 of our feathered, winged, and two legged friends!

### **Scavenger Hunt (1)**

A great way to get to know the Ranch is to participate in our Picture Perfect Scavenger Hunt! The hunt is a great way for new groups to become aware of all areas of camp and for returning groups to be challenged with placing the location of the object in the photo which they may not have noticed in the past.

### **Hiking (1)**

Located on the shores of Stave Lake, our recreation paradise is a place for exploration! We have marked hiking trails and are happy to guide you on a scenic exploration of the forests, wilderness and shores edge. Walk quietly and look carefully for the wildlife we share our space with!

## ZAJAC RANCH NIGHT TIME ACTIVITIES

**1.5 hour rotations / 60 children max/group**

### **Talent Show (2 instructors – 60 children max) - \$150 total**

Show us how you shine! Bring your best musical instrument; display your talents, dance, sing, perform! Our amphitheater is an ideal location for the show! Zajac Ranch can provide an MC and signup sheet (groups please review your campers' performances before the big night!).

### **Team building (2 instructors – 60 children max) - \$150 total**

Communication and cooperation is an important concept that should be reinforced at any age. This class will make use of icebreakers and teach teamwork skills through high energy and extremely fun field games!

### **Astronomy (2 instructors – 60 children max) - \$150 total**

On a clear night lie down on the field and view the stars! We will provide a star search activity page as well as a short story about the stars. Feel free to keep the evening going by telling your own stories, a great way to wind down after a day full of activities! **Please note:**

**This activity is WEATHER DEPENDENT**

### **Campfire and Songs (2 instructors – 60 Children max) - \$150 total**

Feel the warmth as Zajac Ranch leaders regale campers with various sing-a-long camp standards! Zajac Ranch leaders will handle all campfire duties and ensure camper participation – you might want to bring ear plugs!

If looking to book our beautiful indoor gym facility – please consider the following self-led activities!

- Indoor Hockey
- Basketball
- Parachute Games
- Yoga (will supply DVD, students to bring mats)

### **Self-Led Activities Considerations for Groups**

**Various sporting equipment available for free with group sign-out**

- Field Games
- Western Street – Take photos in front of our Jail, post office, barber shop, bank and hotel!
- Baseball on our playing field
- Soccer on our playing field
- Volleyball (outdoor court)
- Horseshoes
- Bocce Ball
- Movie Nights – TV/VHS access in lodge lounges (no snacks allowed in lodge lounges!)
- Building Driftwood structures on Stave Lake shoreline
- Hiking on Stake Lake shoreline
- Campfire at Amphitheatre
- ... The options are endless at Zajac Ranch!