

## **Border Crossing- Outdoor Pursuits**

The mountain hiking portion of the Outdoor Pursuits course is one of the two international trips conducted by the Gould Lake Outdoor Centre. Traveling to the High Peaks region of NY State's Adirondack Mountains requires us to cross the Canada-US border in either Prescott or Cornwall, ON. There are several documents that we will require every OP student to provide, prior to departing for the Adirondacks. We are required to carry the following for ALL OP students.

**Border Crossing Requirements** ([Visiting the U.S. - Documents required for Canadian Citizens / Residents / Landed Immigrant to enter the U.S. and how long they can stay \(cbp.gov\)](#))

<b>For All Students</b>
1. <b>Travel Health Insurance</b> - We must have the name of the insuring company, the name of the policy holder, the policy number, and the emergency telephone number of the insuring company.
2. <b>Proof of Citizenship - Original or Copy (must be legible)</b> of birth certificate or <b>Original</b> Canadian Passport
3. <b>Signed Consent Form</b> - Must be completed and signed by student's parent or guardian.

*\* If you are not a Canadian Citizen, please contact our office as soon as possible. \**

### **Border Crossing Consent Forms**

A hard copy of the **Parental Consent for Border Crossing** and **Travel Health Insurance** forms will be in the program student manual that will be collected prior to the trip departure.

All your personal documentation will be collected and held by the instructors for the duration of the trip and will be returned to students upon returning to Kingston. Any student who has not submitted the above documents to Gould Lake staff by the time of our departure for the Adirondacks will not be permitted to board the bus. ***No exceptions can be made.*** If you anticipate any difficulties in providing any of the above documentation or if you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Gould Lake office as soon as possible.

Staff will collect these forms on prior to departing for Killarney/Temagami. Please bring them to the first day of your OP session.

**Parental Consent for Crossing the  
Canada – U.S. Border**

I, the undersigned, give consent for my son/daughter, \_\_\_\_\_  
to cross the Canada/US border with Gould Lake Outdoor Centre staff, as part of a school  
program run by the Limestone District School Board to the Adirondack mountains in New  
York State.

Dates: (Please check the appropriate box)

- Session 1 : July 14 - July 20, 2024
- Session 2 : August 14 – August 20, 2024

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: This page will be removed from this manual and carried by Gould Lake Staff for the  
duration of the Adirondacks trip.*

**Travel Health Insurance Information for the Adirondack Mountains Trip**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Circle OP Session:      1            2

Insuring Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Insuring Company's Emergency Contact # \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Holder's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_