

BADGER SPORTS CAMPS

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2026 CAMP OF CHAMPIONS – SESSION 1 || JULY 7TH – 11TH

Check-in: Tuesday, July 7th from 2:00 – 3:00pm at the Lake Mendota Room, located inside [Dejope Residence Hall](#) – 640 Elm Drive, Madison WI 53706.

Dismissal: Saturday, July 11th from 11:30am – 1:00pm at Cole Residence Hall.

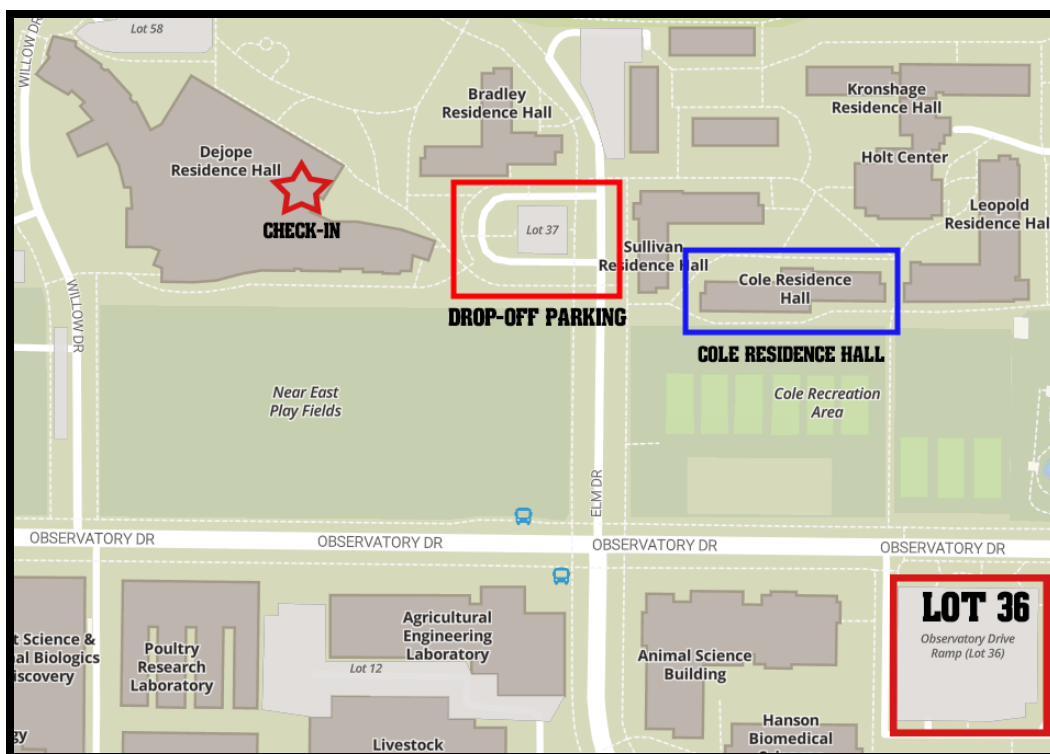
Parking: Drop-off parking will be available outside of Cole Residence Hall, near Lot 37 and Elm Drive. Transportation staff will be outside of the drop-off area directing traffic. If you are looking for extended parking, we recommend parking in Lot 36 – 1645 Observatory Drive. Please see the map below for additional details.

For more information on parking, please see our [recommended parking packet](#). Within this packet you will find instructions regarding purchasing a parking permit ahead of time (optional), along with a list of recommended parking garages/lots by check-in location.

Housing: All campers will be housed in [Cole Residence Hall](#).

Meals: All meals will be enjoyed at [Four Lakes Market](#), located within Dejope Residence Hall. Campers will receive all meals starting with dinner Tuesday, July 7th, and ending with breakfast on Saturday, July 11th.

Have special dietary needs? Go [HERE](#) for more information. We have a number of Registered Dietitians on staff that would be available to speak with you at dietitian@housing.wisc.edu.



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What to Bring:

Please note, University Housing will provide overnight participants with a linen pack (including a pillow, pillow case, fitted sheet, top sheet, and a blanket). Participants are welcome to bring their own if they prefer.

GENERAL

Personal hygiene supplies/toiletries

Sunscreen

Any medications

2 – 3 bath towels

Shower shoes

1 – 2 swim towels

Full water bottle

Bag for personal items

Extra snacks/drinks (optional)

RUNNING GEAR

Warm up/sweatsuit

Extra clean socks

Leisure clothes

4 – 5 shorts

4 – 5 shirts

Swimsuit

Rain gear

Running shoes

Spikes (if possible, unnecessary to purchase a pair just for camp)

Running watch/Garmin (if possible, unnecessary to purchase just for camp)

Tentative Schedule: All campers will receive a daily schedule at camp. Each day of camp will include a morning run, followed by 1 – 2 training sessions throughout the day. Evening activities include swimming, games/movie nights, frisbee, etc.

Spectators: Spectators are welcome to watch all aspects of Camp. Please note, seating will not be provided; spectators are welcome to bring their own lawn chairs/blankets.

Camp Contact: Any campers arriving late to check-in or are no longer able to attend may contact us at badgercamps@athletics.wisc.edu.

Important Camp Contacts:

- Badger Sports Camps – badgercamps@athletics.wisc.edu
- Coach Byrne – (608) 262-5729 or mgb@athletics.wisc.edu
- Coach Watson – (608) 354-3472 or aaw@athletics.wisc.edu
- Coach Crevoiserat – (608) 354-5821

Refund Policy: Cancellations made for medical reasons will receive a full refund. Medical documentation from a healthcare provider must accompany [this signed form](#). Cancellations made for non-medical reasons must be requested at least 14 days prior to the camp start date. Participants will receive a refund, minus an administrative fee (\$50 for multi-day camps, \$20 for single-day camps). Within 14 days of the camp start date, refunds are provided only for medical reasons.

All requests for refunds must be submitted using our refund request form (found [here](#)). Refunds requested without the form will not be accepted. Please complete the form, and return to badgercamps@athletics.wisc.edu.

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HEALTH SERVICES

Dear Campers & Parents,

Welcome to the University of Wisconsin-Madison Badger Sports Camps! As the Licensed Athletic Trainers overseeing all of the health services for the Badger Sports Camps on campus, we have a few reminders and advice for your time here at camp whether it is for a few hours or several days.

As the date of your camp nears, we recommend that all campers self-monitor for symptoms of communicable diseases such as fever, chills, stuffy or runny nose, sore throat, cough, headache, muscle or body aches, and fatigue. Please do not report to camp if you feel ill.

If you completed your registration online, all required health forms are completed. You can update the forms at any time by logging into your account at uwcamp.com. Please do this if you registered for camp far in advance, as health information can change. If you need to take more breaks during activity for health reasons, do not hesitate to let your counselor know.

The health services provided at camp include a large, trained health staff to quickly respond to on-site emergencies and administer medications as authorized. Health Services Staff will provide access to first aid care, water, and ice for treatment purposes as needed.

If you need to bring medications to camp, please bring **ONLY** what is needed for the length of stay. Medications must be in original bottles. Over the counter medications such as Tylenol, Advil, Zyrtec, Claritin ARE considered medications. All medications are required by Wisconsin State Law to be collected and administered by Health Staff for minors. They will be returned at the end of camp. Emergency medications such as inhalers, epi-pens, and insulin pumps, and diabetic supplies will NOT be collected. These must be with the prescribed person at all times.

When packing your bag, please remember to bring any sunscreen, bug spray, hats, or sunglasses you need for outdoor activity. These will not be provided.

Many of our camps are high intensity and the campers want to perform at their best skill level. Please come to camp prepared and continue this during camp. To help limit injury and illness, keep fitness levels up prior to camp, eat well-balanced, nutritious meals, stay hydrated, rest as needed between sessions and at night, maintain proper hygiene, and take care of sore muscles with proper recovery. Play safe, play smart, follow the rules on and off the fields, and have fun!

Sincerely,

Kaitlin Zelinski, MA, LAT, ATC

Zach Lottes, MS, LAT, ATC

Staff Athletic Trainers

GATORADE SUMMER PROGRAM

At the University of Wisconsin – Madison, we make sure our athletes have the right tools on and off the field to work hard. Staying hydrated is essential, which is why we will have Gatorade on the sidelines throughout camp. To learn more about the science behind Gatorade, visit www.Gatorade.com.



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CAMPER RULES & REGULATIONS

Badger Sports Camps prides itself on providing a safe camp environment, which is accomplished by adhering to all camp guidelines and regulations. Before attending your respective camp, please take time to review the important rules and expectations listed below. Any questions or concerns with the following information can be directed towards Camp Administration by email: badgercamps@athletics.wisc.edu.

Camper Expectations

- Campers should notify a camp counselor as soon as any problem or concern arises. Counselors will be available to help at all times, day or night. Parents and campers can feel free to contact us via email at badgercamps@athletics.wisc.edu. If campers are having an issue or emergency that needs immediate attention, campers have the option to text their issue and current location to (608) 573-5353. Camp Administration will reply.
- Participate in all sessions and meals during camp. Only the camp director will be able to grant permission to be excused from camp activity.
- For the best well-rounded camp experience, follow the camp schedule and report on time for all sessions.
- Before coming to camp, label all personal belongings, especially equipment. While at camp, always lock the door when leaving your dorm room unattended (residential camps). Badger Sports Camps is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

Behavioral Expectations

- Campers will avoid using any profane or inappropriate language during camp, written or verbal.
- Campers will not harass, bully, or intimidate other campers/staff. Hazing is strictly prohibited.
- Campers should notify camp staff of any known late arrivals or early dismissals from camp prior to the session start date.
- Due to limited parking availability, campers having a vehicle at camp is discouraged. Campers needing to park a vehicle for the duration of camp should contact Transportation Services (608) 263-6666 at least 2 weeks prior to the session start date in order to purchase a valid parking pass. Vehicle keys must be handed to the Camp Director. Badger Sports Camps is not responsible for any parking tickets you receive during camp.
- Campers will not possess/consume any illegal substances (drugs, alcohol, etc.) while at camp. Nor will campers bring any dangerous objects (lethal weapons, lighters, fireworks, etc.) to camp.
- Campers will not damage or steal the University's, or any other campers' personal property while attending camp. This includes tampering with any safety/security equipment (ex: fire alarms).
- Campers will not permit any unauthorized or unknown individuals into the camp dorm building.

While unacceptable conduct is not anticipated, if camp staff has reason to believe a violation of any camp rule or expectation has occurred, this could result in disciplinary action up to, and including, dismissal from camp. Refunds will not be issued if campers are dismissed for disciplinary reasons.