

OFCR Firearms Policy (1/26/16) (Approved by the Board via email 1/26/16)

The goal of the OFCR firearms policy is to ensure the safety of campers, visitors, and staff.

Any employee, staff member, or guest carrying or handling any firearm shall adhere to the four cardinal rules of gun safety: (1) Treat every firearm as if it is loaded; (2) Never point the muzzle at anything you are not willing to destroy; (3) Keep your finger off the trigger and out of the trigger guard until ready to fire; (4) Be aware of your target and beyond.

When any camper/visitor brings a firearm (handgun, rifle, or shotgun) onto OFCR property, he or she shall notify the Executive Director, Director, or a Board member of OFCR to receive permission to carry or use that firearm on OFCR property. During OFCR sponsored camps or retreats, there shall be no firearms permitted to be stored in group cabins or group sleeping areas. Firearms are only to be stored in preapproved areas.

Any person under 18 years old, with permission, must be supervised by an adult over 21 years old at all times, while discharging any firearm.

Any employee or staff member must have permission to carry and/or discharge a loaded firearm on the premises of OFCR. No employee or staff member shall discharge a firearm while an OFCR sponsored camp or retreat is in process **without special permission**.

If permission is granted to a person with a current concealed weapons permit, the handgun is to be carried concealed on the person in a holster designed for the gun that prevents the gun from being fired while properly holstered (not left in a purse, gun bag, etc.). When any firearm is left unattended in private sleeping quarters, office, vehicle, or cabin, the sleeping quarters, office, vehicle, or cabin shall be locked. If the location is unable to be secured, the firearm is to be unloaded and the action locked to prevent an unintentional discharge. **Firearms are not to be visible on the camp property, unless being used.**

If you are a licensed concealed carrier, **PLEASE** notify the person in charge at camp during your stay.

Hunting is not allowed on OFCR premises.

Signing of this policy means that you will adhere to all of the requirements of this policy.

If this policy is not followed fully, permission will be revoked.

Print Name _____ Age _____

Signed _____ (person requesting permission) Date _____

Print Name _____ Title _____

Signed _____ (person giving permission) Date _____