Hello Preschool and Kindergarten Camp Families,

We are very excited that your child will be attending summer camp! Preschool and Kindergarten summer camps are run differently from the rising 1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade camps so make sure to thoroughly read the following information. More detailed information will be e-mailed to you one week before your child's first day of camp. Payment and paperwork questions can be directed to <a href="mailto:office@campalbemarle.org">office@campalbemarle.org</a> or 252-726-4848. All other questions can be directed to <a href="mailto:heather@campalbemarle.org">heather@campalbemarle.org</a>.

### **Camp Times**

Preschool and Kindergarten camps run from 9am to 12pm. \*\*\*Note of new times this year\*\*\* There are no early drop off or late pick up options.

## Snack

Nature School/Camp Albemarle will provide a healthy nut free snack each day. Since camp ends at 12pm this year, you do not need to pack a lunch for your child. Your child needs to bring an insulated water bottle each day.

# **Supplies Needed Each Day**

Your child should come with a small backpack (they must be able to carry it on their own) with the following items. Every item needs to be labeled with your child's name!

- Bathing suit, water shoes and towel
- Change of clothes including underwear. Place extra clothes in a Ziploc bag.
- Insulated water bottle
- Sunscreen and bugspray (spray kind recommended)
- Hat not required but recommended

Children need to wear closed toe shoes. We recommend they wear fast drying clothing. Children participate in play with mud and water so your child may come home dirty.

#### **Check In/Out Details**

This information will be released one week prior to the start of your child's first day of camp.

# **Sound Exploration Day**

Depending on the tides, we hope to take our campers into the sound to look for critters when the tide is low. Camp Albemarle has life jackets available, but we ask that you send your child with one if you already have one at home (No need to go purchase one!) Your child will also need closed toe water shoes that fit snuggly on the foot. Crocs and Natives are not allowed as we have lost these in the water! You will be informed on the first day of camp when your child's water day will be.

#### **Independent Bathroom Skills Required**

Your child must be **fully independent** in the bathroom for him/her to attend camp. Children must be in underwear and may not come in pull-ups. Teachers will assist the children with their clothing if needed and will change a child if he/she has an accident. However, we do not have the staff or facilities to change children on a regular basis. If a child has multiple accidents in one day or has accidents two days in a row, we will notify a parent to pick up their child from camp.

Reach out with any questions you may have, Heather Lavinder Nature School Director