



CHINIQUAY 7Y-9Y – BOWFORT LODGE



Chiniquay campers come to camp for a 6-day session full of fun, new friends and outdoor adventure! They will participate in most camp activities that Camp Chief Hector offers including an overnight adventure.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Chiniquay camps are a great introduction to making friends and enjoying adventures at Camp Chief Hector YMCA. No prior experience is necessary, but we do recommend preparing for the possibility of homesickness and other first-time away from home issues. Join our Facebook page for upcoming events like Family Weekends and Summer Camp Open house – they are great opportunities for you and your camper to visit Camp before their 6-day stay with us!
- Chiniquay campers are based out of Bowfort Lodge which will be their dining hall, an indoor activity space during inclement weather and is also home to our site office.
- They will experience many camp activities including canoeing, climbing, arts and crafts, swimming*, horseback riding, archery, and lots of games!
***Swimming:** All campers are required to take a swim test in the shallow end of our pool. Even the shallow end is too deep for many Chiniquay campers to touch the bottom. This allows us to assess their comfort level in the water and to ensure every campers safety while at this program area. If our certified lifeguard sees that a camper is fatigued during the test or unable to complete the test, the camper will be required to wear a lifejacket during swim times at Camp Chief Hector YMCA.
- Qualified and energetic staff members provide mentorship, assistance and directions throughout every camper's stay.
 - o Our staff have Standard First Aid and CPR certification
 - o Staff training includes group leadership and risk management

CABIN GROUPS (7/8Y)

Chiniquay campers staying in cabins go on an overnight campout to a tipi. Their overnight tipi accommodates eight campers and two counsellors. Tipis have a central fire covered by a grate. The tipi is also equipped with a fire extinguisher and a full water bucket. Our counsellors are well trained in tipi fire management.

TIPI AND YURT GROUPS (8/9Y)

Chiniquay campers staying in a tipi or yurt go on an overnight campout and sleep in tents or a three-walled wooden shelter with a roof. The shelter and tents keep out the rain and are equipped with mosquito netting. Campers sometimes choose to bring a sleeping pad along on the overnight for added warmth and comfort.



Overnight Campout

- Chiniquay campers participate in an overnight campout.
- This overnight trip is introductory in nature and does not require any specialty equipment aside from a sleeping bag and backpack.
- The group will depart directly after supper and will make their way to a site close-by, about 0.5-1.5 kilometers from Bowfort Lodge. Staff will carry a radio, first-aid kit and bear spray. These sites are visited each night by a camp supervisor to ensure that everything is going smoothly.
- Overnight campouts may be modified due to weather or wildlife concerns and may be relocated to indoor cabin facilities or covered porches if necessary.

Read the **Chiniquay Packing List**.

CHINIQUAY CABIN 7-8Y FEMALE \$575 + GST				CHINIQUAY CABIN 7-8Y MALE \$575 + GST			
Session	Dates	Accom	Barcode	Session	Dates	Accom	Barcode
A	Jul 8 – 13	Cabin	134020	A	Jul 8 – 13	Cabin	134027
B	Jul 15 – 20	Cabin	134021	B	Jul 15 – 20	Cabin	134028
C	Jul 22 – 27	Cabin	134022	C	Jul 22 – 27	Cabin	134029
D	Jul 29 – Aug 3	Cabin	134023	D	Jul 29 – Aug 3	Cabin	134030
E	Aug 5 – 10	Cabin	134024	E	Aug 5 – 10	Cabin	134031
F	Aug 12 – 17	Cabin	134025	F	Aug 12 – 17	Cabin	134032
G	Aug 19 – 24	Cabin	134026	G	Aug 19 – 24	Cabin	134033

CHINIQUAY TIPI 8-9Y FEMALE \$575 + GST				CHINIQUAY TIPI or YURT 8-9Y MALE \$575 + GST			
Session	Dates	Accom	Barcode	Session	Dates	Accom	Barcode
A	Jul 8 – 13	Tipi	134034	A	Jul 8 – 13	Tipi	134041
						Yurt	134048
B	Jul 15 – 20	Tipi	134035	B	Jul 15 – 20	Tipi	134042
						Yurt	134049
C	Jul 22 – 27	Tipi	134036	C	Jul 22 – 27	Tipi	134043
						Yurt	134050
D	Jul 29 – Aug 3	Tipi	134037	D	Jul 29 – Aug 3	Tipi	134044
						Yurt	134051
E	Aug 5 – 10	Tipi	134038	E	Aug 5 – 10	Tipi	134045
						Yurt	134052
F	Aug 12 – 17	Tipi	134039	F	Aug 12 – 17	Tipi	134046
						Yurt	134053
G	Aug 19 – 24	Tipi	134040	G	Aug 19 – 24	Tipi	134047
						Yurt	134054