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Hello Camp Shalom Families,

As we approach the midpoint of another week at home, we hope that some things have gotten a little bit easier, that the schedule is coming together and routines are taking shape. We know, however, that just when we tackle one challenge, another emerges. This isn't easy, but if we know one thing about Camp Shalom families, it's that you are strong and protective, and that you lead with kindness. You are on our minds, and we hope to do everything we can to support your family's ability to rise to any challenge!

Along with the larger summer camp community, we at Camp Shalom are busy continuing to plan for a fantastic summer! We know that you are also busy planning (and budgeting), and that registering for summer camp might feel a little risky. We want to reassure you that we will work with you during this unprecedented time.

Please know that if we are unable to provide camp as planned this summer, or if you find that you are unable to attend, we will offer options to support your needs, including providing refunds. You will also have the option to use your payment as a credit to reserve your spot for next summer or to support Camp Shalom during these trying times by making a donation. We will also let you know as soon as possible if we need to run on an altered schedule.

Rest assured that you can register your child for summer camp now, with our promise that, in the event of cancellation, we will issue full refunds. If you choose to withdraw, you may do so until June 1st for a full refund. We have extended the deadline from May 22nd to June 1st to give you more time. We know this is an unpredictable situation, with information changing rapidly. We are staying up-to-date with recommendations from the CDC, Health Department, and the American Camp Association and are coming up with creative ideas for every scenario we can imagine!

We are "here" to help. If we can support your families in any way, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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