



Grandparents Camp Sign-up

Camp dates: May 7-8, 2024. Travel days: May 6 and May 9.

Chugachmiut is interested in facilitating a camp for grandparents to voice and share successes and challenges in raising grandchildren full time. This special event is designed specifically for grandparents who serve as caregivers for their grandchildren residing in the Chugach region, including communities such as Chenega, Nanwalek, Port Graham, Qutekcak (Seward), Tatitlek, and Eyak (Cordova). Part of this camp will include talking circles, educational presentations, culturally appropriate crafts, and one-on-one counseling sessions, if needed.

Please complete the registration, the number of grandparents attending, and the topics you would like to see presented as part of this camp.

Conference Logistics: We ask that you do not bring any children with you if you are able to join us at the Camp. Childcare will not be provided during the camp, so you will need to make arrangements for the care of your grandchildren in your community. If possible, single grandparents may be sharing a room. The conference is provided free of charge for participants who are approved. Airfare and lodging will be on a first come basis. No alcohol or drugs allowed as this is a sober event.

Conference Location: If more participants want to attend but have their own lodging source, please indicate below. Also, all single guests will be sharing a double queen room, if there is a guest attending you would like to room with, we will do our best to accommodate.

Please fill out the information below and fax to (907) 563-2891 or email to Christine Sundly at csundly@chugachmiut.org. **Please send filled out application by April 19th, 2024.**

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Legal Name _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone (____) _____

Date(s) of Birth(s) _____

Email Address _____

of Grandparents attending _____

Roommate preference _____

Do you need special accommodations such as roll-in shower or hearing equipment?

Yes () No () Details: _____

Ages of children in your care _____

Do you have legal custody of your grandchildren? Yes () No ()

Travel Information:

() I would like to attend the conference, I have my own lodging in Anchorage, I am in Anchorage already for another reason.

() I am requesting transportation from the community of:

() Nanwalek () Port Graham () Tatitlek () Chenega () Cordova () Seward

Note: _____

() I will be in Anchorage anyway, I don't need airfare

What do you hope to receive from the experience?

Confidentiality: Please understand that this camp is for caretaker grandparents to share their experiences both good and bad. To that end, we request that attendees remember things shared during camp are confidential and should not be shared unless permission is given by the sharer.

Quyanaa/AwA'ahdah for your participation in this camp and for making our communities stronger!

Application Deadline: April 19th, 2024

Return application to:

Fax: (907) 563-2891 or Email: csundly@chugachmiut.org.