

## History

Lions Camp Pride in New Durham, New Hampshire is a fully handicapped accessible facility, built and operated by the 41 Lions Clubs of Eastern New Hampshire as a joint district volunteer service project.



Lions Camp Pride opened its first season of operation in 1989, leasing the camp facility to outside non-profit groups.

Lions Camp Pride is licensed by the State of New Hampshire and is accredited by the American Camp Association, meeting very rigorous professional operating standards. Lions Camp Pride is a member of the Conference of Lions Camps of the United States, and the New Hampshire Camp Directors Association. Camp Pride's hope is that a better tomorrow can be made possible for each and every camper and program participant. Lions Camp Pride does not discriminate in any of its programs or policies for any reason.



## Directions

Lions Camp Pride is located on Lions Camp Pride Way off King's Highway in New Durham, New Hampshire. As you are driving toward the camp, do not follow signs you may see for the Town of New Durham or Merrymeeting Lake. Lions Camp Pride is located on the opposite side of Merrymeeting Lake from the Town of New Durham proper.

South of Lions Camp Pride, take the Spaulding Turnpike through the Rochester tolls and take the Route 11 exit. Follow Route 11 to the blinking light. Turn right onto Route 153 and proceed through Farmington. Bear right after downtown Farmington and continue on Route 153 to Middleton Building Supply. Continue straight (you are now on King's Highway) 4.9 miles from the lumberyard and take a left onto Lions Camp Pride Way.

East of Lions Camp Pride, take the Route 153 exit off of the Spaulding Turnpike, left at the traffic lights. Take the first right (less than 100 feet) to stay on Route 163 through Union and turn right at the stop sign at Middleton Building Supply. You are now on King's Highway. Drive approximately 4.9 miles and turn left onto Lions Camp Pride Way.

North or West of Lions Camp Pride, take Route 28 to King's Highway/Middleton Road. (King's Highway/Middleton Road joins Route 28 in Wolfeboro). At the intersection of Route 28 and King's Highway is a blinking light and a building with the words "Weston Auto" on it. Continue **straight** ahead (Route 28 takes a sharp right turn) you are on Kings Highway/Middleton Road. Approximately 4.5 miles turn right onto Lions Camp Pride Way.

Follow Lions Camp Pride Way two miles to the camp bearing left at all forks you come to. When you see the entrance sign for Camp Pride, the dining hall for camper check-in is to the right and the office building for all other business is to the left.



# LIONS CAMP PRIDE

**Special Needs Camp  
Conference & Retreat  
Facility**



## LOCATION

**154 Lions Camp Pride Way  
New Durham, New Hampshire**

## MAILING ADDRESS.

**P. O. Box 463  
Exeter, New Hampshire 03833**

## TELEPHONE:

**(603) 859-0417**

## FAX:

**(603) 859-0418**

**(June, July, August Only)**

## E-MAIL:

**Camppride2008@yahoo.com**

## WEBSITE:

**[www.camppride.nhliions.org](http://www.camppride.nhliions.org)**

## Facilities

Lions Camp Pride's main building measures 60'x 100'. The upper story has the kitchen and dining areas and the lower level has space for indoor recreation, meetings, and other activities. Eight bunk houses with toilets, sinks and showers are currently built. Each can accommodate up to a total of 24 campers and staff. The **administration building** has offices, conference rooms and staff quarters.

A two-story **arts and crafts** building is available for meetings and other group activities. The **one-on-one** camper care building and **staff housing** building both have ten separate bedrooms of varying sizes, bathrooms and conference/sitting areas. The **health center** has two staff bedrooms, two treatment areas, a locked room for medicines and four patient cubicles. For larger programs, the **shower building** has a women's side and a men's side, each with eight showerheads. A **laundry facility** is attached to the shower building.

Lions Camp Pride has **two waterfronts** - a deep waterfront and a shallow waterfront with a sandy beach. The shallow waterfront has a storage building which includes a 20'x 20' sitting area under a roof. Canoes, floats, emergency and other waterfront equipment are available.

A soccer field, softball field, sand volleyball court, basketball hoops, athletic equipment, TV/VCR's, photocopy machine, phones, conference rooms, PA system, piano, organ and more are available for group activities.

Camp Pride has a **low ropes course** as well as three **Adirondack shelters** for small group outdoor camping. A **campfire area** with inlaid stone seating in tiers is available for evening programs. Adjacent to the campfire is a **non-denominational chapel**. Camp Pride is located on 335 acres so many hiking trails are available.

**Three meals, light snacks and round the clock beverage services are featured daily.** Dietary restrictions and preferences are accommodated. Special snacks, occasion banquets and other specialized food service are available, negotiated on an individual basis.



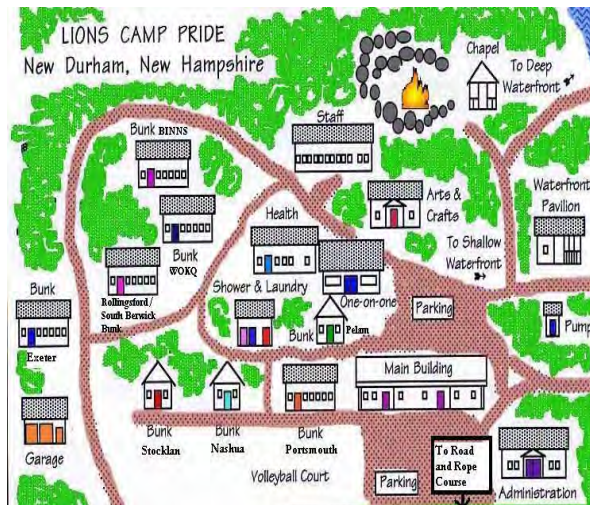
## Lease Groups

**The Lions Camp Pride facility is available to be leased by non-profit groups as a site for day or overnight conferences, retreats and other programs during the spring, summer and early fall.**

Groups, which are interested in leasing Lions Camp Pride, should discuss with Lions Camp Pride what facilities and services would be required. An individualized rate would be determined and a lease agreement signed to reserve dates and finalize arrangements.

The cost for groups to lease Lions Camp Pride is \$220.00 per person per week (6 nights and 7 days). The \$220.00 rate includes accommodations (not linens), three meals, beverages available throughout the day and a light snack in the evening. The cost for groups to lease for shorter programs is: \$37.00 per person day for three meals, evening snack and accommodations, \$20.00 per person for overnight accommodations without meal service.

Lions Camp Pride is always looking for new lease groups particularly those that work with Special Needs Individuals.



## Information

For additional information, forms, or lease group application materials, please contact Lions Camp Pride.

### Telephone numbers:

All Year Round (603) 859-0417

### Fax Numbers:

(June - August) (603) 859-0418

**E-mail: [camppride2008@yahoo.com](mailto:camppride2008@yahoo.com)**

The business mailing address year-round to reach Lions Camp Pride is: P. O. Box 463, Exeter, New Hampshire 03833.

Camper mail, during the summer only, can be sent to: 154 Lions Camp Pride Way, New Durham, New Hampshire 03855.

For prospective lease groups or donors, you are encouraged to schedule a time to visit the Lions Camp Pride facility in the spring, summer or fall.

A slide show of the facility for any interested group or organization can be arranged at any time. Every year, Lions Camp Pride holds many fund-raising activities to support camp and continued development of the facility; gas raffle, calendar raffle, brick and bench programs, night "Glow Ball Golf Tournament". In fact, and all contributions to Lions Camp Pride are greatly appreciated and are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. Designated gifts by individuals or corporations for specific projects are welcome.

**Lions Camp Pride's IRS 501(c)(3) non-profit identification number is 22-2539483.**

