OPERATION: WARM DELAWARE
SAM'S KIDS CAMPING OUT FOR COATS

2026 CAMP RULES & GUIDELINES

10th Annual Camping for Coats | November 14–15, 2026
Frawley Stadium | Wilmington, Delaware

Welcome to Camp Frawley! We're excited to celebrate 10 years of Camping for Coats with you. To help everyone enjoy a safe, comfortable and memorable night under the stars, please review these guidelines before arriving.

1. Respect the Ballpark
We're fortunate to call Frawley Stadium our campground for the night! Please treat the field, facilities and surrounding areas with care, and leave your campsite as you found it.

2. Be a Good Neighbor
Be considerate of fellow campers, especially families with young children. Keep noise at a reasonable level and respect everyone's personal space.

3. Campfires & Safety
Personal fire pits, open flames and grills are not permitted. Enjoy our designated community fire areas, and please supervise children at all times.

4. Keep It Clean
Help us keep the ballpark beautiful! Dispose of trash in designated containers and clean up your campsite before departing.

5. Stay Within Designated Areas
Please remain within approved camping and activity areas, respect restricted stadium spaces and follow directions from event staff and volunteers.

6. Supervise Your Young Campers
Parents and guardians are responsible for supervising their children throughout the event, including evening activities and overnight.

7. Lights Out & Quiet Hours
As the evening winds down, please keep conversations and activities at a respectful volume. Stadium lights will turn off at **10:00 PM**, so be sure to have a flashlight or lantern handy!

8. No Outside Alcohol: Outside alcoholic beverages are not permitted on Frawley Stadium property. Beverages will be available in the camper lounge for guests 21 and older with valid ID.

9. Have Fun & Make Memories!
Enjoy the music, food, activities, and friendships that make camping on a baseball field so special. Most importantly, remember why we are here: to help keep local children warm this winter!

CAMP LOGISTICS & IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Arrival & Check-In
Please enter Frawley Stadium through the main entrance and take the walkway to the second floor. Our volunteers will greet you at check-in, and a dedicated camp coordinator will help guide you to the field and your campsite.

Tent Setup & Guidelines
To protect the playing field, **tent stakes are strictly prohibited.** All tents must be secured using sandbags, which our volunteer team will provide.
If you requested a tent during registration, it will be set up and ready for you, with a small sign displaying your name. A volunteer will help you locate your campsite.

Restrooms
A luxury restroom trailer featuring six bathrooms will be available along the outfield warning track. Restrooms on the stadium's main concourse will also be accessible throughout the event.

Campers Lounge | 5:00–9:00 PM
Located in center field, our Campers Lounge will be the heart of our camp kickoff celebration! Join us as we recognize our generous donors, campers, and community leaders, and honor the memory of Sam Hanna, the inspiration behind Sam's KIDS. The lounge will feature live music, a silent auction, beverages, a bar, comfortable seating, and a fully stocked snack pantry. We will also have supplies, including hand and foot warmers, to help keep everyone comfortable throughout the evening.

Dinner & Breakfast
Come hungry! A complimentary dinner, courtesy of **Big D's BBQ**, will be available to campers and camp party guests.
On Sunday morning, our friends at **Mary's Kountry Kitchen** will serve a hot breakfast to help campers start the day.

TiaErika's Coffee Truck
Need something warm? TiaErika's Coffee Truck will be on-site serving coffee, tea and hot chocolate. Each camper will receive a beverage ticket good for one complimentary drink.

Weather & Event Updates
November weather can be unpredictable, but we're prepared! We'll stay in close communication with campers leading up to the event.
In our nine previous years of camping, we've only had to postpone once due to a Nor'easter. Should severe weather affect our plans, we'll notify campers by text and email with updates and alternative arrangements.

Overnight Security
Your safety is a top priority. Camp Frawley will have dedicated volunteers on-site throughout the night, supported by a security team led by two retired New Castle County Police officers. The Riverfront Development Corporation will also provide around-the-clock security.

For everyone's safety, **stadium gates will close at 10:30 PM.**

WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

Pack for comfort, warmth and a memorable night at the ballpark!
Camping Essentials
- Tent (unless you requested one during registration)
- Sleeping bags and pillows
- Air mattress or insulated sleeping pad
- Extra blankets
- Tailgating or camping chairs

- Anything else that will help make your overnight stay comfortable!

Stay Warm & Cozy

- Warm clothing and extra layers
- Winter coat, hat and gloves
- Comfortable shoes and warm socks
- Pajamas or comfortable sleeping clothes
- Extra socks and clothing for Sunday morning

Personal Essentials

- Toiletries and personal medications
- Reusable water bottle
- Favorite bedtime essentials for younger campers

A Friendly Reminder: November nights can get chilly! Dress in layers, pack extra blankets and consider an insulated sleeping pad to help keep the cold ground from stealing your warmth.

THANK YOU FOR CAMPING WITH US!

For 10 years, Camping for Coats has brought our community together around one simple mission: helping local children stay warm.

Your participation makes that mission possible. We can't wait to share another unforgettable night at Frawley Stadium with you!

Here's to 10 years of camping, community and keeping kids warm!