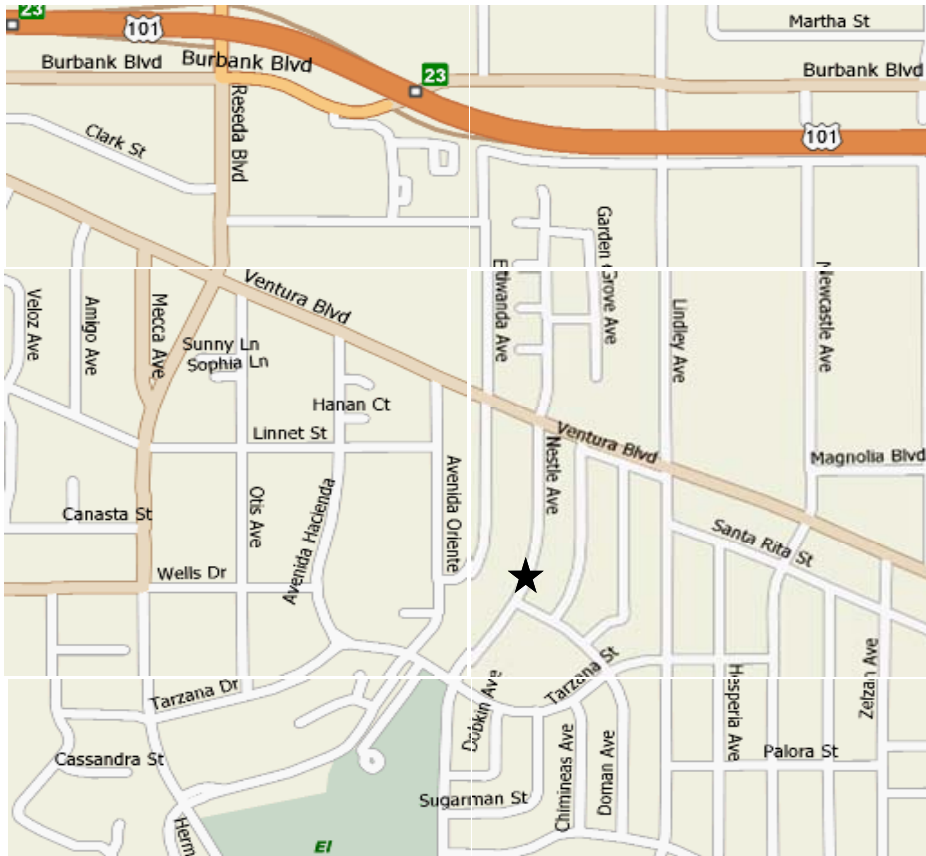


LOCATION MAP



THE FINDER FAMILY CAMP GAN ISRAEL *Parent's Handbook*



*This pamphlet provides **IMPORTANT** information for all parents who've enrolled children in Camp Gan Israel. It is imperative that you read thoroughly and that you keep it handy for future reference.*

Welcome to the family of Camp Gan Israel! Please realize that it is our aim to establish a good rapport between parents and camp staff. If you ever have any questions or wish to discuss any matter with the counselors, head counselors or director, feel free to email us at cgivalley@gmail.com or call the camp office at (818) 906-9540.

HOURS

The camp day begins at 9:00 a.m. and ends at 4:00 p.m. **Please avoid dropping off your child earlier than 9:00 so that they may be adequately supervised.** Also please note: Children who are not picked up by 4:15 p.m. will join our "Extended Care" program which is in session until 6:00 p.m. You will be charged \$10 for the day.

EXTENDED CARE

Camp Gan Israel will be offering "Extended Care" for the hours of **7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.** and from **4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** This service will not be provided with transportation. The fees are \$10 per child per day or \$30 per week per child. For further information or for an "Extended Care" application, call the camp office. **Note: "Extended Care" is held at Chabad of Tarzana – 18181 Burbank Blvd.**

LOCATION

Camp Gan Israel's 5 divisions, "**Kiddie Kamp**" (boys and girls ages 4.9-5.11), "**Division A**" (girls ages 6-11), "**Division B**" (boys ages 6-11), "**Pioneers A**" (girls ages 12-14) and "**Pioneers B**" (boys ages 12-14) meet at the **Nestle Ave. School** Campus at **5060 Nestle Ave.**

TRANSPORTATION

If you've opted for bus transportation, please be sure to read the "Transportation Information Pamphlet" for scheduled pick-up and drop-off times in your neighborhood.

FEES

All camp fees must be paid in full by June 1, 2011. Children will not be allowed to attend camp if their tuition is not paid in full. **All tuition fees are non-refundable.**

LUNCHES

This summer we will be offering hot lunch **FREE OF CHARGE!** If you choose to send lunch from home it must be kosher and either dairy or Pareve (no meat lunches). Drinks for lunch as well as afternoon snacks are provided by the camp.

CAMP ATTIRE

Campers should wear comfortable and practical clothing. **Flip-flops may not be worn for safety reasons.** Camp shirts must be worn on trip days. Mark camp shirts & hats clearly with the child's name with indelible ink. Additional camp shirts as well as camp hats can be purchased at the camp office.

SWIM WEAR

Bathing suits and towels for swim days: The swim set must include a large plastic or tote bag for transportation. **Mark swim suits and towels clearly with the child's name using name labels or indelible ink.**

LOST & FOUND

Camp Gan Israel has a "Lost & Found " which is open during camp hours (9:00-4:00). Please note, Camp Gan Israel is not responsible for any personal items lost during camp.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

The weekly calendar for the upcoming week will be posted each Thursday on our website www.cgivalley.com Please read it carefully and follow the instructions to insure that your child does not miss any of the fun-filled activities provided by camp!

CELL PHONES/IPODS & ELECTRONIC GAMES

Cell phones, Ipods & electronic games may not be brought to camp. They are easily lost or damaged and they distract children from participating in camp activities and following counselor direction.

COMPREHENSIVE INFORMATION FORM

Enclosed in this package is a medical and comprehensive information form. This form **MUST** be completely filled out and returned to us immediately. A separate form must be filled out for each camper. **Children will not be allowed to attend camp if we do not have a comprehensive form on file.**

Pre-Summer camp office: 18181 Burbank Blvd., Tarzana CA 91356
Summer camp office: 5060 nestle Ave., Tarzana, CA 91356