

Policies for Camp Mud, and all Canadian Bushcraft Events

The following policies are rules that are to be followed by students attending any events with Canadian Bushcraft, in or out of Camp Mud. Ignoring of these policies will find the student under contempt of any binding agreements for course registration, and will be asked to leave the program. Only under explicit permission from the Director of Canadian Bushcraft (Caleb Musgrave), can any student found in contempt of our policies be welcomed back to any future courses. To register is to accept these terms and conditions.

- 1) Respect to safety of self, fellow students and staff must always be taken into consideration. In dangerous scenarios, the lead instructor will be punctually obeyed. Whether it is unsafe use of a knife, or extreme weather, all dangerous scenarios will be treated as such.
- 2) Zero tolerance to alcohol and/or illegal or illicit drugs. Under no circumstances will anything other than proper medication, and tobacco be used during a Canadian Bushcraft event, or on Camp Mud's premises. Moreso, the use of tobacco will not be allowed within shelters, classroom areas, or any structures within the confines of Camp Mud.
- 3) Food will not be kept in tents, shelters, bunks or bivouacs. Bears, raccoons, mice, chipmunks, squirrels and other wildlife can be easily acclimated to human presence, and the introduction of our food to their lives can encourage them to become dangerously bold. Food must be kept in either vehicles, food hangs, or staff supplied containment.
- 4) Pets are not allowed at Camp Mud. Staff members may at certain times bring a canine companion, but these animals have been thoroughly vetted by our owner/director. As students are often strangers to Canadian Bushcraft, we must presume that the animals have not been vetted, and therefore are not allowed.
- 5) The use of axes, machetes, billhooks, crosscut saws, and any other large cutting implement must only be performed when in the presence of a staff member, and all of their directions must be followed. Strictly no use of any cutting implement after dark (regardless of use of flashlight, or lantern).
- 6) Respect for one another is paramount. Any disrespectful remarks or actions will be met with immediate removal from the program. Disrespectful remarks or actions include, but are not limited to; racial slurs, sexist remarks, threats, physical assault, physical restraint, or purposeful intimidation.