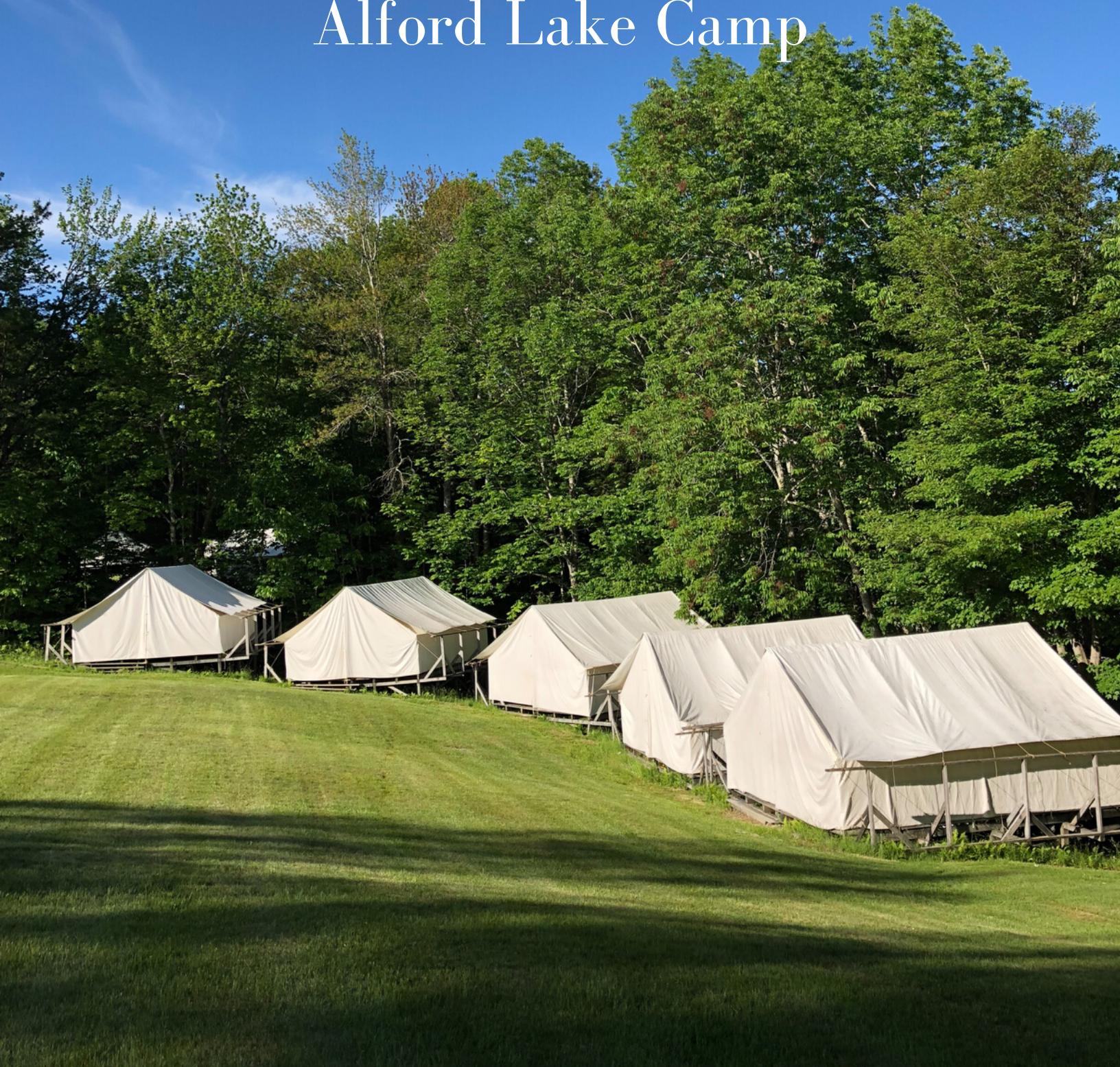


WE'RE GOING BACK
THE BRIDGE FUND
for
Alford Lake Camp





Campers need Alford Lake Camp now more than ever before.

As we experience significant challenges at global, national and local levels, girls and young women need a safe and supportive community.

At ALC, they can freely challenge themselves to accept new risks, engage in meaningful conversations with friends, create lifelong connections, and learn how they can make a difference in the world.



*"There's no other place in
the world that really
accepts you for who you
are. At the end of the day,
you're in this community
that's so accepting and
forgiving."*

-ALC Camper
2010-2014



Since 1907, Alford Lake Camp has been a place where **girls develop a greater sense of self-awareness, empowerment and leadership.**

The news that camp was suspended was heartbreakin, but it was no surprise that **ALC put the health and safety of its campers and staff above all else.**

Unfortunately, **this decision carries with it a significant financial burden.**



As alumnae and parents,
we unite to support
Alford Lake Camp.

We need to raise funds now
to address short term needs until
campers return in 2021.



The Financial Challenge

As a tuition-dependent organization*, Alford Lake Camp's decision to suspend programming and the resulting **loss of this summer's tuition revenue threatens its ability to deliver a full camp experience next year.**



*Please note ALC is not a 501(c)(3) organization and gifts are not tax-deductible.

Without tuition revenue, ALC will be unable to cover its year round costs.

This current crisis is forcing ALC to deplete its reserve accounts.



A close-up photograph of a young girl with blonde hair, wearing a shiny silver horse riding helmet with a black chin strap. She is smiling warmly at the camera. The background is a soft-focus green, suggesting an outdoor setting like a camp.

**Alford Lake Camp
faces significant
expenses this
summer even
without campers
in camp.**

Examples include:

- Maintenance (replacing canvas tents, refrigerator repair, property upkeep)
- Salaries & Health Insurance Benefits
- Property Insurance
- Vehicle loans
- Recruitment and outreach



The We're Going Back Bridge Fund will:

- **Give Alford Lake Camp the financial support needed** to bridge the gap that has resulted from a year without tuition.
- **Recognize and appreciate the gifts that Alford Lake Camp provides for girls and young women.** Now, more than ever, children will benefit from camp. They will be away from technology while they experience joy, independence, friendship, adventures, and community.
- **Prepare Alford Lakers to positively impact our world.** At ALC, campers and counselors gain the skills, tools and strengths to become effective leaders.





As alumnae and parents,
our goal is to raise
\$800,000
before March 2021.

We will provide
the financial
support ALC
needs to satisfy
ongoing
obligations until
revenue returns.

We will ensure a
full, enriching,
healthy
experience for
campers in 2021
and beyond.



**We hope that the deep sense of
love and appreciation for
Alford Lake Camp
will inspire our community
to pull together
to preserve this special place
for generations to come.**



"We will always be grateful for the strong foundation and ongoing community you have provided our daughter. We feel that ALC's existence today is more essential than ever. Thank you for letting us know how we can help secure its future."

-ALC Parent 1985-1993

A photograph of a sailboat on a body of water during sunset. The sky is filled with warm, orange and yellow clouds. The boat's masts and rigging are silhouetted against the bright sky. The water reflects the colors of the sunset. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and inspiring.

**Together, we can ensure that ALC continues
to provide experiences that equip young
women to become confident leaders and
citizens in this ever changing world.**