



ZHAILAU 2009
Kazakh Heritage Camp for Families
July 20-25, 2009

GENERAL INFORMATION GUIDE

The Kazakh Aul of the US is thrilled to announce the fifth annual *Zhailau* Kazakh Heritage Camp for Families. *Zhailau* means the summer encampment or home of the Kazakh nomads, and we at the Aul are delighted to announce that our 5-night all-inclusive Zhailau will be held once again at the wonderful Geneva Point Center located on 200 acres of beautiful Lake Winnepesaukee waterfront in New Hampshire.

Our Zhailau camp will be a special time devoted to celebrating the wonderful culture of Kazakhstan, to providing an opportunity to bring children and families together, all while taking advantage of the wide range of recreational programming and facilities that the Geneva Point Center has to offer. Zhailau 2009 promises to be a wonderful opportunity for families to come together, to relax together, to eat, to play, and to celebrate our children's birth culture – together as a 'village,' our *Aul*.

This 5-night retreat is an **ALL-INCLUSIVE** event. *The price you pay includes lodging, all meals, and participation in all activities at the camp.* And, thanks to the flexibility that the Geneva Point Center offers, families can choose the type of accommodation that best meets their budget and lifestyle – rustic cabin, room in a lodge, or camping.

The Aul will be conducting Kazakh cultural activities throughout each morning and whole-group activities will be offered most evenings (see tentative schedule on page 3). We are privileged that many of our Kazakh teachers will be returning this year to guide and instruct us in Kazakh culture, including talented musicians from Kazakh folk orchestras: Aizhan Tuleubayeva (New York) and the Trio Nazim comprised of Gulmira Amurtayeva, Anara Baimetova, and Samal Shaikenova (Texas).

The Aul's Artistic & Cultural Executive Director, Daniyar Baidaralin, is putting together a wonderful program, and is working closely with Aizhan and Gulmira to design a special music program for the children. In addition, Daniyar and his wife Assylgul Baidaralina are working closely with the Aul's Director of Children's Programming, Audrey Englander, to design some wonderful crafts and games activities. Finally, other Aul members, Heather O'Toole, Wayne Tackabury, and David Morowitz are working together to put together some wonderful cultural activities, games, and presentations.

Important note regarding Zhailau 2009: There will be some significant changes to camp this year because Daniyar and Assylgul Baidaralin will not be joining us due to a prior family commitment. For people who have not attended Zhailau before, Daniyar directs the Aul's Zhailau cultural programming and has taught families a great deal with respect to Kazakh traditions. Daniyar and Assylgul remain committed to the Kazakh Aul of the US and will be consulting with the Zhailau Committee throughout the spring regarding cultural programs. They will both be with us in spirit at camp this summer, and the Zhailau organizers will be doing our best to continue the wonderful Zhailau traditions that Daniyar has taught, and continues to teach, our Aul. We will miss Daniyar and Assylgul very much in July, but also look forward to when they will re-join us for Zhailau 2010.

In addition, we will not be able to raise the yurt this summer. Those of you, who were with us last year, will remember that we discovered that the yurt was infested with moths. While the pests have been treated, much damage was done, and the yurt is in need of major repair. We look forward to raising it at Zhailau 2010.

While Zhailau 2009 will not be as culturally intense as past Zhailaus without the yurt and the physical presence of the Baidaralins, we do look forward to a wonderful families' reunion this July, replete with many of the wonderful traditions of our young Aul. Planned Kazakh cultural program offerings include:

- Music Performances by Aizhan Tuleubayeva and Trio Nazim who will perform traditional Kazakh folk music using the Qobiz, Sherter, and Dombra.
- Dombra and Kazakh folk music lessons will be taught by Trio Nazim and Aizhan Tuleubayeva.
- Traditional Kazakh craft workshops
- Kazakh field games
- Discussions of Kazakh history and contemporary Kazakhstan
- Kazakh story night
- Archery
- Kazakh traditional cooking
- And more.....

In addition, the Aul store will be open and traditional Kazakh artwork and souvenirs will be available for sale.

Old-fashioned camp activities. In addition to Kazakh cultural programming, campers will have most afternoons as "Aul social time," when participants can select from the many recreational activities offered by the Geneva Point Center. The Geneva Point staff will organize special scheduled activities for our group, including water carnivals, nature hikes, and canoe trips. In addition, campers will have the option to select from Geneva Point recreation options that include:

- ✦ Waterfront: Beaches are supervised by certified lifeguards. Come down to the one of three beaches for swimming, canoeing, kayaking, paddleboat, and fishing
- ✦ Two playgrounds
- ✦ On-site and off-site hiking
- ✦ A softball field and two clay tennis courts (equipment is available)

Adult participation in Aul community activities. As part of an ongoing effort to keep the costs of camp down, each adult will sign up to assist in two organized activities during the week. These activities will include camp registration, Kazakh cooking, Dombra lessons, crafts, movie showing, technology support, and on the last day, taking down the Shanyrak and packing up. Sign-up forms are included in the Zhailau 2009 registration materials that appear at the end of this General Information Guide. *Note: single parents who feel they may not be able to make child care arrangements may opt out.*

Meals. Our group will eat three buffet-style meals together each day, and for vegetarians, please note that a vegetarian option will be offered at each meal.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Parents are responsible at all times for their children. The Kazakh Aul of the U.S. cannot assume responsibility for the care or supervision of people's children.

Tentative Schedule. The following table shows a tentative schedule for the Aul's 5-night camp. Please note that the schedule is a still a work in progress as we here at the Aul strive to make Zhailau as enjoyable and fulfilling as we can.

Day	Mornings – Kazakh Culture Activities	Afternoons - Open time	Evenings (after dinner)
Mon. 7/20		Guests arrive Check in 2pm	Opening night performances by <i>Trio Nazim</i> and ice cream social
Tues. 7/21	Water carnival, Kazakh cooking, Kazakh crafts	Nature hike, canoe trip, swimming	Kazakh Disco
Wed., 7/22	Dombra & Qobiz Exploration, Kazakh Crafts, Kazakh Field Games, Dombra lessons	Nature hike, water activities	Campfire
Thurs., 7/23	Dombra & Qobiz Exploration, Kazakh Crafts, Kazakh Field Games, Dombra lessons, Water Carnival	Kazakh history and contemporary life discussion, water activities, canoe trip	Kazakh story dramatizations and silent auction
Fri., 7/24	Dombra & Qobiz Exploration, Kazakh Crafts, Kazakh Field Games, Dombra lessons	Rehearsals for Closing Ceremonies <i>Additional optional activity:</i> Learning about loons nature program	Closing ceremonies at the Tree of Life, campfire
Sat., 7/25	Checkout by 10am		

THE ZHAILAU PLANNING COMMITTEE IS COMPRISED OF PARENT VOLUNTEERS.

Please know that the materials you are reading, camp organization, answering of phones, emails, planning, you name it, are produced or coordinated by volunteers, all of whom also have day jobs. The Zhailau planning committee is once again staffed this year by the dedicated Audrey Englander, Heather O'Toole, Susan Saxon, and Kathy Tackabury. The Committee welcomes your participation if you have time to donate.

ACCOMMODATIONS

A variety of rustic accommodations are offered to meet the needs of different budgets and needs. You may camp or stay in a rustic cabin or lodge.

Note that the Gibbes House, Lake View Cabins, and Lake View Lodge are all located in relatively close proximity to one another. Cottage F and the camping site are both located about a 5 minute walk from the other Aul housing (see Geneva Point Center map on page 7).

The Lake View Cabins and Gibbes House offer different bed configurations options across different units; if you choose one of these two housing options, please make sure you note on the registration form your preferred bed configuration (see housing descriptions below).

Please know that the Aul will make every effort to accommodate your housing choices, but cannot guarantee them, as all housing will be assigned based on need and a first-come first served basis.

The following are the available housing choices:

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| Emily V. Gibbes House | Each of 10 rustic rooms in this lodge has carpeting, bathroom with shower, and entrance from hallway. Four rooms have a double bed and 1 full-size sofa-sleeper. Four rooms have 2 twin beds and a full size sofa-sleeper and 2 rooms have two twin beds with room for a roll-a-way. One room is barrier free with 2 twin beds and full paraplegic bathroom. The house has a common area that includes a kitchenette and living room. An exterior photo of this house may be viewed at http://www.genevapoint.org/gibbesenlarged.html . To view interior photos, go to http://www.genevapoint.org/gibbspics.htm . |
| Lake View Cabins | Four cabins with two rustic units each (eight units total), each of which has carpeting, bathroom with shower, and a shared porch. Six of the units have two twin beds each, of which two units have room for a roll-a-way. The remaining two units each have one queen bed and a day bed. A photo of the exterior of one cabin is provided at http://www.genevapoint.org/resources.html (note: scroll down the page to see the Lakeview cabin). |
| Lake View Lodge | This 10-room lodge is situated on the Lake Winnepesaukee waterfront. Each unit has 2 double beds, carpeting, bathroom with shower, private entrance, and room for a rollaway. Minimum of 1 adult & 2 children charge per room. An exterior photo may be viewed at http://www.genevapoint.org/resources.html . To see interior photos, go to http://www.genevapoint.org/lvpics.htm |
| Cottage F | One cottage with 3 separate units. Each of the 3 rooms has 2 twin beds, carpeting, and bathroom w/shower. All units have space for a rollaway. A photo may be viewed at http://www.genevapoint.org/ctgflargpic.html |
| Camping | Bring your own tent and equipment. Toilets and showers are available in the shower house. Cooking and campfires are not allowed. Tenters will eat their meals together with the whole Aul group. |

Accommodations will be assigned by the Kazakh Aul of the US based on need and a first-come, first served basis upon receipt by the Aul of a completed registration form with a non-refundable 1st deposit of \$125 per family member attending until all accommodations are full. Deposits will be accepted for the full 5-night camp only.

RATES

The determination of camp fees in advance is always a balancing act between trying to cover the Zhailau budget and realistically estimating the number of families who may attend. The Kazakh Aul of the US makes every effort to keep Zhailau costs as low as possible. Due to this summer's unique programming changes we have reduced rates from last summer. Adults' fees have been reduced by \$50 per person and children's fees by \$24 per person.

In addition, please know that proceeds from attendees' fees may not cover the full costs of Zhailau 2009. If you are able, please consider making a tax deductible contribution to the Kazakh Aul of the US to help defray the costs of Zhailau.

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Zhailau rates are listed below per person and vary depending upon the type of accommodation selected (i.e., camping, vs. cabin or lodge). Rates include three meals per day, Kazakh culture programs, administrative costs, and all costs associated with programming, including compensation for educators, materials, supplies, and transportation. The Geneva Point Center's facilities and programming, such as the private beach on Lake Winnepesaukee, lifeguards, canoes, kayaks, canoe lessons, canoe trip, playground, playing fields, and hiking trails, are also included.

Minimum charge per unit is 1 adult & 1 child occupancy, excluding camping and Lake View Lodge. The minimum charge for rooms in the Lake View Lodge is 1 adult & 2 children occupancy.

Zhailau 2009 rates vary according time of receipt by the Kazakh Aul of the US of first deposit and registration forms. There are two levels of fees: *Early Bird Rates* or *Standard Rates*. The Early Bird deadline for registration is February 25, 2009 and the deadline for registration at Standard rates is May 1, 2009. Anyone requesting to attend after May 1st must pay the balance in full at the time of registration.

1. EARLY BIRD RATES

Applicable when registration and 1st deposit received by FEBRUARY 25, 2009

ALL-INCLUSIVE RATES PER INDIVIDUAL FOR ZHAILAU JULY 20-25, 2009	Single Adult Occupancy	Double Adult Occupancy	Multiple Adult Occupancy	Children when Sharing with Families	
				Ages 9-15	Ages 2-8
Camping (bring your own tent and equipment)	\$369	\$369	\$369	\$235	\$195
Emily V. Gibbes House, Lake View Cabins, Lake View Lodge, Cottage F	\$819	\$639	\$589	\$365	\$325

2. STANDARD RATES

Applicable when registration and 1st deposit received FEBRUARY 26, 2009 or later

ALL-INCLUSIVE RATES PER INDIVIDUAL FOR ZHAILAU JULY 20-25, 2009	Single Adult Occupancy	Double Adult Occupancy	Multiple Adult Occupancy	Children when Sharing with Families	
				Ages 9-15	Ages 2-8
Camping (bring your own tent and equipment)	\$469	\$469	\$469	\$335	\$295
Emily V. Gibbes House, Lake View Cabins, Lake View Lodge, Cottage F	\$919	\$739	\$689	\$465	\$425

TESTIMONIALS

"Catherine and I would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to the Zhailau 2007 planning committee. It was evident that you all put an amazing amount of work into it and that you put your hearts and souls into making it a success. From our perspective, it seemed effortless. Everything was so well planned and easy. We simply went with the flow and enjoyed every minute of it. The little details and extra touches were so appreciated (such as popcorn at the movie)...We also made many wonderful friends. We truly felt a sense of community and what a special Aul we are. We plan to stay in touch and if all works out to see you next year!"

Tracey Croccoll, Minnesota

"We were thrilled that we were able to meet and spend time with successful and friendly and warm Kazakh people who came to share their craft and skills and stories and heartfelt connections with all of us. We came away with new friends; a deeper appreciation for and wonderment about Kazakh culture; an added celebration of Saida's Kazakh heritage, and left the week with Saida saying "I don't want to leave...we are coming again next year, right?" What could be a better testament to how she felt about Zhailau! And truly, we felt just the same! Thanks again, for all the preparation and work and late nights and energy and caring it took to host such a meaningful and fun event. We absolutely loved it!"

Alicia, Bruce, and Saida Riddell, Maine

"I too would like to chime-in and say thank you to everyone for such a wonderful week. Nicholas and I can't seem to stop talking about what a great time we had and about the wonderful people we met. The community spirit that was felt throughout the week was magical, learning about the Kazakh culture was fascinating, and the view with the lake was very relaxing. We look forward to coming back next year."

Liz Wellman, Georgia

"But for the amazing work of the organizers and board members, it was a completely relaxed and peaceful time in which boys and girls of all ages got along wonderfully doing simple things. It was just the opposite of a Disney type vacation, and better. I think in the future the children will all look back with fondness at those wholesome and priceless times. No changes could improve it, as I don't think it can get any better."

David Morowitz, Rhode Island

"[My 18-month-old daughter] can't tell me much yet, but since Zhailau, I am convinced that through our participation in this U.S.-Kazakh community she tells me a lot. Before Zhailau, Alma was a very clingy child, never daring to venture far from me and expressing her dissatisfaction at every separation. But at Zhailau, I saw a different side of Alma. She willingly and joyfully went to her Kazakh counselors, and would even wander away from us when she noticed other Kazakh children playing nearby. I know that experts in child development might argue that Alma had just reached a new stage, that she was ready to begin testing her independence. But whenever I look at our pictures from Zhailau, whenever I see Alma dancing with Karina (one of our Kazakh counselors), banging away on a dombra, sharing her toys with her new friend Aliya, or digging in the dirt with her new buddy Nina, I believe that Alma is telling me something about herself and the way her cultural heritage has already influenced who she is. And I feel such gratitude for this community and the way it helps me to better know this child whom I love so dearly."

Elana Peled, Massachusetts

Geneva Point Center

Moultonboro, New Hampshire

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- 1. The Abbott Administration Building (Office)
- 2. Red House (Private)
- 3. Well House
- 4. Shaw Cottage
- 5. WINNI Scoop and Camp Store
- 6. Guest Laundry
- 7. Outdoor Stage
- 8. Center Laundry
- 9. INN (Dining Rooms on ground floor, Crossroad Gift Shop on first floor)
- 10. Chapel
- 11. Pine Haven
- 12. Chapel Line Cabins
- 13. Cottage F
- 14. Peat/Repeat
- 15. Malden Health Center
- 16. Cottage E (GPC Staff Only)
- 17. Pasture Line
- 18. Toddler Playground
- 19. Siftar Cottage
- 20. Barn
- 21. Children's Playground
- 22. Shower House
- 23. Cabin Z
- 24. College Row Cabins
- 25. Dock Road Cabins
- 26. The Meeting House
- 27. Gibbes House
- 28. State Line Cabins
- 29. Maintenance Shop
- 30. Lake View Cabins
- 31. Lake View Lodge
- 32. Nature Center
- 33. Geneva Woods Program Lodge 1
- 34. Geneva Woods Program Lodge 2
- 35. Geneva Woods Program Lodge 3
- 36. Geneva Woods Shower House
- 37. Geneva Woods Cabins
- 38. Sports Area (Tennis, Softball, Volleyball)
- 39. Outdoor Chapel

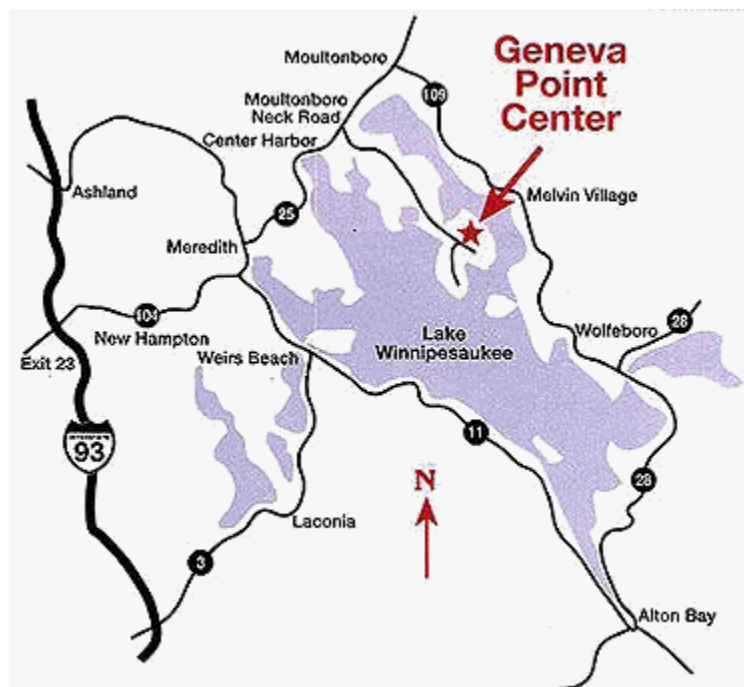
Bird's Eye View
birdseyemap@aol.com

Directions to the Geneva Point Center

The closest airport is in Manchester, NH, which is about 1 ½ hours south of Geneva Point. Many major airlines service Manchester including Southwest, United, US Airways, Delta, Northwest, and Continental. If you fly into Manchester, you can rent a car and drive to Geneva Point using the driving directions below.

Alternatively, Boston is 2 ½ hours by car from Geneva Point. If you fly in to Logan Airport, you can rent a car and drive to Geneva Point. Or, you can take a bus either from the airport or Boston's South Station to Center Harbor, NH, and with notice, we could arrange for someone to pick you up. The Geneva Point Center charges \$10 (rate subject to change) for up to 3 people to be picked up in Center Harbor. If you are interested in the bus, you can investigate this option at <http://www.concordrailways.com/>. Please let the Aul know *in advance* if you will need to be picked up in Center Harbor.

Driving directions from the South: Take I-93 North to exit 23 and turn right onto route 104 for 9 miles. At the junction of Route 104 and U.S. Route 3, take a left onto Route 3 for approximately 1 mile. At the traffic lights in Meredith, bear right onto Route 25 (stay on Route 25) for 8 miles. Take a right onto Moultonboro Neck Road at the traffic lights (just beyond the Service Station) and travel for 5.7 miles. Bear left at fork in the road. Turn left onto Geneva Point Road and follow to the Geneva Point Center entrance sign.



Driving address: 108 Geneva Point Rd, Moultonborough, NH

All registration materials must be completed in full for your registration to be processed

ZHAILAU 2009 REGISTRATION FORMS

 Last Name First Name

 Street City State Zip Code

 Phone including area code Email Address

FOR EACH FAMILY MEMBER/FRIEND ATTENDING, THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS REQUIRED (ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGE IF NECESSARY).

	<u>NAME</u>	<u>GENDER</u>	<u>BIRTH DATE</u>		<u>NAME</u>	<u>GENDER</u>	<u>BIRTH DATE</u>
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IF YOU HAVE ANY SPECIAL REQUESTS, PLEASE LIST THEM HERE (ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGE IF NECESSARY). PLEASE NOTE THAT THE KAZAKH AUL OF THE US WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ACCOMMODATE SPECIAL REQUESTS, BUT IS UNABLE TO PROVIDE ANY GUARANTEES THAT THOSE REQUESTS WILL BE FULFILLED.

PLEASE RANK ORDER YOUR LODGING CHOICES (Camping, Gibbes House, Lake View Cabins, Lake View Lodge, or Cottage F). For Lake View Cabins & Gibbes House, please specify your preferred bed configurations (full, twin beds)

1st Choice: _____ 2nd Choice: _____

ZHAILAU 2009 FEES PER PERSON Please enter the appropriate rates from the tables on page 5 of the Zhailau 2009 General Information Guide	Number attending	Enter the appropriate rate per individual	Enter Total
<u>Early Bird</u> (rate applies to registrants whose deposit is received by the Aul no later than February 25, 2009)			
Adult(s):		\$	\$
Child/ren:		\$	\$
<u>Standard Rates</u> (rate applies to registrants whose deposit is received by the Aul between Feb. 26 & May 1, 2009. After May 1st, all new reservations must be paid in full with registration)			
Adult(s):		\$	\$
Child/ren:		\$	\$
OPTIONAL DONATION			\$
TOTAL ZHAILAU HERITAGE CAMP FEES/DONATIONS: \$ _____			

PAYMENTS	
1st Nonrefundable deposit due with registration, \$125 per person:	\$
Balance after 1st deposit is paid (subtract 1st deposit amount from Total Fees/Donations):	\$
2nd Nonrefundable deposit due by May 1st, \$125 per person:	\$
Balance after 2nd deposit is paid (subtract 2nd deposit amount from previous balance):	\$
Final Balance due in full by June 12, 2009	\$

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SIGN-UP FORM FOR ASSISTING IN ZHAILAU 2009 ACTIVITIES

ADULT #1

As part of an ongoing effort to keep the costs of Zhailau down, each adult will sign up to assist in two (2) organized activities during the week. All activities will be supervised by Aul staff, and your responsibilities will be to provide assistance as needed and directed. Adults' participation in these activities is another way to take part in the community spirit of a traditional Kazakh Aul!

Please note that the volunteer staff of the Aul will make every effort to accommodate specific sign-up requests, but participants will be assigned based on event need. *Note: single parents who feel they may not be able to make child care arrangements may opt out.*

Please select your top five activity choices from the list below and rank order them in the spaces provided.

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| ✦ Half-Day Group Leaders (returning Zhailau participants only) | ✦ Kazakh meal set-up and serving staff |
| ✦ Support for Kazakh traditional crafts | ✦ Aul store - sales |
| ✦ Open crafts, set up and cleanup | ✦ Zhailau set-up (requires early arrival plus strength and stamina. Some heavy lifting.) |
| ✦ Support for Kazakh games | ✦ Zhailau registration (first day only, requires early arrival on Monday July 20 th to register families at check-in |
| ✦ Silent auction assistance | ✦ Dismantling the Shanyrak (Saturday July 25 th 10am -2pm) |
| ✦ Movie showing (set-up electronic equipment and play movie) | ✦ Dismantling the Aul store (Saturday July 25 th 10am -2pm) |
| ✦ Technical Assistance for audio/visual equipment | ✦ General Zhailau cleanup and packing (Saturday, July 25 th , 10am-2pm. Some heavy lifting) |
| ✦ Evening activity set-up | ✦ Any other special talent you would like to offer |
| ✦ Raffle organization | |
| ✦ Campfire group organization | |
| ✦ Kazakh cooking | |
| ✦ Fire tender during Kazakh cooking | |

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SIGN-UP FORM FOR ASSISTING IN ZHAILAU 2009 ACTIVITIES

ADULT #2

(NOT APPLICABLE TO FAMILIES WITH ONLY ONE ADULT ATTENDING)

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Please note that the volunteer staff of the Aul will make every effort to accommodate specific sign-up requests, but participants will be assigned based on event need. Note: single parents who feel they may not be able to make child care arrangements may opt out.

Please select your top five activity choices from the list below and rank order them in the spaces provided.

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| ✦ Half-Day Group Leaders (returning Zhailau participants only) | ✦ Kazakh meal set-up and serving staff |
| ✦ Support for Kazakh traditional crafts | ✦ Aul store - sales |
| ✦ Open crafts, set up and cleanup | ✦ Zhailau set-up (requires early arrival plus strength and stamina. Some heavy lifting.) |
| ✦ Support for Kazakh games | ✦ Zhailau registration (first day only, requires early arrival on Monday July 20 th to register families at check-in |
| ✦ Silent auction assistance | ✦ Dismantling the Shanyrak (Saturday July 25 th 10am -2pm) |
| ✦ Movie showing (set-up electronic equipment and play movie) | ✦ Dismantling the Aul store (Saturday July 25 th 10am -2pm) |
| ✦ Technical Assistance for audio/visual equipment | ✦ General Zhailau cleanup and packing (Saturday, July 25 th , 10am-2pm. Some heavy lifting) |
| ✦ Evening activity set-up | ✦ Any other special talent you would like to offer |
| ✦ Raffle organization | |
| ✦ Campfire group organization | |
| ✦ Kazakh cooking | |
| ✦ Fire tender during Kazakh cooking | |

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ZHAILAU 2009 IMPORTANT PAYMENT DETAILS

To qualify for the lowest rates – *the Early Bird Special* – first deposits must be received no later than February 25, 2009.

- ✦ First deposits will be accepted until all available accommodations are full. If a deposit is received when all accommodations are full, it will be fully returned at no cost to the registrant.
- ✦ Registrants will be assigned to accommodations based on need and on a first-come, first-serve basis upon receipt of their registration forms and nonrefundable deposits by the Kazakh Aul of the US. First and second choices for accommodations must be noted on the registration form. Families will be notified of their accommodations after they are assigned
- ✦ You may pay in full at registration, or if you are registering prior to May 1st, you may opt to make three payments according to the following schedule:
 1. Due with registration: A *nonrefundable* first deposit of \$125.00 per person attending. This deposit will be a nonrefundable first payment for Zhailau participation.
 2. Due by May 1, 2009: a second *nonrefundable* deposit of \$125.00 per person attending.
 3. By June 12, 2009: All balances are due in full
- ✦ Reservations made after May 1, 2009 must be paid in full with registration.
- ✦ *All payments must be paid on time and it is the registrant's responsibility to submit all payments by the above noted dates. Failure to make any of the scheduled payments by their due dates may result in revocation of your Zhailau summer camp reservation and forfeiting of deposit(s) paid.*
- ✦ Payment. Checks or money orders only, made payable to the Kazakh Aul of the U.S. Please mail all payments and completed registration forms to:

Kazakh Aul of the U.S.
P.O. Box 6185
Providence, RI 02940

For questions or additional information, please email: info@kazakh-aul-us.org.
Phone: (401) 486-4023.

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CONDITIONS FOR ENROLLMENT

1. The undersigned requests the Kazakh Aul of the U.S., Association for American & Kazakh Families, to reserve accommodations for her/his family and guests listed above for the Zhailau Heritage Camp to be held July 20-25, 2009 at the Geneva Point Center in Moultonborough, NH. By signing below, the undersigned understands that all housing will be assigned based on need and on a first-come, first-served basis, and s/he may not get first choice. Deposits are *nonrefundable*, and the undersigned agrees to comply with the payment schedule.
2. The undersigned, her/his family, and guests agree to abide by the rules and regulations set by the Kazakh Aul of the U.S. and the Geneva Point Center for the health, safety and welfare of all campers.
3. Due to the fact that all camping programs are planned in advance to the opening of Camp including purchasing of campers' supplies, equipment and hiring of personnel, and are based on confirmed Camper reservations, no allowances, refunds or rebates can or will be made if cancellation occurs after *June 12, 2009*.
4. The Kazakh Aul of the U.S. and the Geneva Point Center are not responsible for articles of clothing or personal belongings lost or damaged by fire, theft, or laundering.
5. The undersigned consent to the use of any pictures and/or video of family members for the purpose of marketing or promotion.
6. I/We understand and acknowledge that certain activities provided by the Camp (including but not limited to swimming, canoeing, kayaking, sports, etc.) have an increased risk of injury. I/We further acknowledge and state that I/We will assume full responsibility for my/our family's safety and hereby agree to release and indemnify the Kazakh Aul of the U.S., Association for American & Kazakh Families, and the Geneva Point Center and all of their officers, employees, agents and representatives whatsoever, from any claims, cost, expense, including attorney fees and or damages which any of them may incur arising from my/our Family's participation in such activities.
7. I/We the undersigned parents or guardians of minor Campers listed on page one of this registration document agree that I/We are solely responsible for the supervision and safety of our children at all times during which she/he/they are attending Zhailau 2009 Kazakh Heritage Camp for Families. I/We also understand and agree to abide by all aforementioned terms and conditions.

I HEREBY AGREE TO THE ABOVE TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Printed Name of Parent or Guardian

Signature

Date

Printed Name of Second Parent Attending Zhailau 2009 (if applicable)

Signature

Date