

CAMPER INFORMATION

(Please keep this for your records)

WHICH SHOULD I ATTEND?

Teen Camp: Ages 13-19 ♦ **Junior Camp:** Ages 7-12

MAY 27-30, 2019

ALL Campers should arrive at camp on Monday, May 27 between 1:30 and 3:00 pm.

No camper should arrive earlier.

All campers should be picked up promptly at 10 am on the last day of camp.

IMPORTANT CAMP INFORMATION!

Louisiana Church of God Youth Camp is operated by the Louisiana Church of God Executive Offices located in Baton Rouge, Louisiana under the direct supervision of the State Youth & Discipleship Director and the State Youth & Discipleship Board. A complete background check is done for every staff application that we receive. We reserve the right to make decisions which are in the best interest of youth camp as it relates to staff and camper environment. Counselors are to be a minimum of 18 years of age, while all other camp staff are to be a minimum of 15 years of age. All workers must have a signed endorsement from their local Church of God pastor. All workers are required to attend the mandatory staff orientation prior to the beginning of camp. We do not discriminate based on race, sex, or nationality.

CAMP COST

A \$50.00 non-refundable, non-transferrable, registration deposit must accompany this completed application for you to be officially pre-registered. All completed applications and deposits must be posted marked by May 1, 2019 in order to avoid the late "walk-on" fee and to insure you getting a camp t-shirt. All pre-registered campers and worker will have a t-shirt included. The remaining balance is due upon arrival and start of Youth Camp.

WHAT ABOUT MEDICATION, ETC?

All campers will receive a brief medical screening when they arrive at camp. All medications will be administered properly by the camp nurse. Prescriptions should be clearly labeled bottles/containers (send only the amount needed at camp). Any special needs should be noted. **Anyone can contract head lice and unknowingly bring them to camp. Be sure to have yourself checked before coming.**

WHAT ABOUT CONDUCT & DRESS?

Youth Camp maintains a high standard for conduct. Tobacco, vaping items, alcohol, drugs other than prescription medication, weapons, or fireworks, of any kind are strictly prohibited. Do not bring any expensive items, such as iPads, computers, electronic games, etc. Play clothes are recommended for recreation. Nice casual clothes are recommended for the camper in worship services. Since this is a Christian camp, we demonstrate appropriate modesty. No short shorts or short skirts are acceptable. **Failure to follow dress code may result in the dismissal from camp.** THANK YOU, parents, for not sending inappropriate clothing!

Appropriate dress: Crop Pants, knee length shorts or skirts, Bermudas, Short sleeve tees – Keep it Covered!

Not appropriate dress: Tank tops, low cut shirts, halter tops, short shirts (no bellies), short/mini-skirts, short shorts.

SHOULD I BRING SPENDING MONEY?

When possible, campers will want to bring spending money. It is our desire to protect the camper from loss and theft, by providing them a safe way to manage their money. Snacks and drinks will be available at the concession stand. We recommend, if possible, \$10 per day for snacks or incidentals at the camp store. All money must be placed in the Camp Bank. The Bank exists to provide a secure place for all cash brought to Louisiana Church of God Youth Camp. All monies brought to camp will be placed in an account under the camper's name. "Money" may be withdrawn from the bank in \$5.00 increments, in the form of canteen cards. On the last day, remaining balances, including **unused** cards, will be returned to the camper.

PARTIALLY USED CARDS WILL NOT BE REFUNDED. ANY CARD STARTED AT CAMP MUST BE USED AT CAMP.

WHAT ABOUT PHONE CALLS & VISITS?

Camp is only a few days, so cell phone use will be limited. In case of emergency call State Youth & Discipleship Director, Bishop Chuck Ferrell at 417-793-6820. Campers with cell phones may use the "snack shack" time after the evening service to use cell phones. **Louisiana Church of God is not responsible for stolen or lost personal items.** Visitors must register upon arrival. Visitors are not permitted to stay overnight, but are welcome to attend worship services, but must exit prior to the beginning of "Fun Time" activities. (Family visitors may cause homesickness for younger campers...use good judgment). **YOU MUST CHECK IN WITH THE LOUISIANA CHURCH OF GOD CAMP DIRECTOR OR CAMP COORDINATOR UPON ARRIVAL.**

WHERE IS THE CAMP LOCATED?

**All camps are conducted at: Acadian Baptist Center, 1202 Academy Drive, Eunice, LA 70535
Telephone #: 337-457-9047**

WATER BAPTISM SERVICE

We will conduct our annual water baptism service the last night of Camp. We invite all parents, ministers, and friends to come to witness this wonderful event in your young person's life.

WHAT SHOULD I BRING?

CHECKLIST FOR YOUTH CAMP:

- Your Bible!
- Sleeping Bag or Bed Linens (*Twin size*)
- Pillow
- Play clothes
- Church clothes
- Towels / Wash cloths
- Personal Toiletries (*Don't forget your soap!*)
- Dirty Clothes Bag
- Bathing Suit (Girls need cover and boys need to wear t-shirt to-and-from the pool.)
- Comfortable shoes (for walking & play)
- Light / Rain Jacket
- Hat & Sunscreen
- Insect Repellent
- Spending Money
- Flashlight
- Pencil/Pen/Note book
- A positive attitude & readiness to enjoy Youth Camp.