

Summer Kamp Helpers

Welcome to Summer Kamp 2016. Below is are few items or details that will help make your child's summer more pleasurable and help run a smooth program.

Lockers

Children will be assigned a locker number. This is the location that all their items should be stored.

Swimming

Children should come on Monday mornings with their swimsuit on and should already have sunscreen applied and wearing shoes on that are appropriate for the pool (cheap ones because occasionally they do leave them). They should bring a complete change of clothes - Bottom, Top, Underwear or Panties, and socks, shoes. Please label these items with your child's name. Children should also bring a towel to carry to the pool (also label with their name). We will change clothes once we return to the church. Girls need to wear one piece swimsuits or they must have shirt. Swimming is the only optional field trip we have, so children who do not want to go may remain at the center.

Movies - WEAR YOUR CAMP SHIRT

All children should wear their t-shirt on movie days. We will buy snack packs at the theatre. Children will need to bring \$5.00 for a snack pack on Tuesdays or you may pay the \$55.00 all at one time.

Funtime Skateland - WEAR YOUR CAMP SHIRT

Children should wear camp shirts on skating days. They may bring their own skates on these days as long as they are approved for use at the skating rink. We do let the children buy snacks from the snack bar. If your child will be buying snack, please put the money (no more than a couple dollars) in a Ziploc bag and label with your child's name and group number. Please hand the money to a worker in the morning (we will take it through carpool).

Pecan Hill Farms - WEAR YOUR CAMP SHIRT

Children should wear their camp shirt on the day they go to Pecan Hill Farms. Please make sure your child is sprayed with bug spray before they arrive at the church. All children will need to wear tennis shoes to the farm. We will pick blueberries and a couple peaches for your child to bring home. We will also take a hay ride through the pecan orchards.

T- Shirts

On the calendar there are certain days that we ask that children wear t-shirts. There is a T right beside the number date. Please make sure your child has the appropriate shirt on these days.

Water Slide Days

Children should come on these Friday mornings with their swimsuit on and should already have sunscreen applied and wearing shoes on that are appropriate for the water activity. They should bring a complete change of clothes - Bottom, Top, Underwear or Panties, and socks, shoes. Please label these items with your child's name. Children should also bring a towel to dry off with (also

label with their name) and shoes appropriate for playing in water. We will typically play on the water slide most of the day.

Lunches

Children should bring a lunch with them **every day**. Lunches should meet nutritional standard - Meat, Grain, Fruit or Vegetable, Milk. We will have milk and water available during lunch for kids who do not have a drink in their lunch. We will also have spoons, forks, plates, napkins, and etc. available.

Snacks

We will provide a morning and afternoon snack for your child. This is not to replace or serve as a meal. Please make sure your child has eaten breakfast before they arrive.

"Chill Out" Time

We will have a chill out time most days, usually after lunch. This will be a quiet time. Children may bring books (great time for summer reading) or they may bring a towel or small blanket to lay on and rest.

Access Cards

Each child will be assigned 2 access cards for the purposes of entering the building and as an electronic signature to sign child(ren) in and out. These must be swiped every time you drop off and pick up your child(ren). If you have two children - you must swipe a card for each child. If you or another authorized pick up or drop off person do not have an access card assigned to each child, a signature will be required for the child(ren). Remember - just because someone has the access does not authorize them to pick up the child. All drop off and pick up people must be on your child(ren)'s application under authorized pick up and drop off list.

Carpool

Carpool is done daily 6:30am to 8:30am (occasionally this could be earlier, depending on when we are leaving for a field trip) and 4:00pm to 6:00pm. If drop off or arrive other than these times, you must enter through the front doors. You do not have to have access card to take advantage of carpool, there will be sign in/out sheets at back doors. If the buses are in the carpool drive, please do not attempt to come down this road or go around buses. We are preparing to, or we are loading or unloading the children. Do NOT come to the gym doors and knock for us to open them, they will only be open and monitored during carpool. Staff has been instructed to not open doors. Remember this is for the safety of the children.