

## 2018 Camp Lakeview Retreats

# Family Work Weekend

#### What time do I arrive at camp?

The weekend program begins with check-in on Friday evening from 6:30-7:30. We will gather at 7:30 for introductions and a review of the weekend schedule and work projects.

#### What do I need for camper check-in?

- MEDICAL FORM: In your online account, you can download and print the camper medical form. THIS
  FORM CAN NOT BE FILLED OUT ONLINE. Please fill out the form completely and bring it with you to check
  -in. It contains health history information and an authorization for medical care both of which are critical
  in the event of an emergency.
- DISCLAIMER FORM: In your online account, you can download and print the disclaimer form. THIS FORM
  CAN NOT BE FILLED OUT ONLINE. Please fill out the form completely and bring it with you to check-in.
  This form is REQUIRED to be able to participate in camp activities.
- MEDICATION: Prescription medication brought to camp can remain in the possession of the adult but
  must be in a secured location to prevent unwanted access. The camp stocks some common nonprescription medication. The parent or guardian at camp with the child may authorize its use for the child
  or for themselves if and when it is needed.
- T-SHIRTS: Campers wishing to purchase a camp shirt may do so at check-in. Most shirts cost \$11-\$15.

#### What should I bring to camp?

Jeans, sweatpants, shorts

T-shirts, sweatshirt

Socks, underwear, pajamas Shoes (two pairs), laundry bag

Rain coat, hat, light jacket Swimsuit, sandals, beach towel

Pillow

Sleeping bag or sheets and blankets

Bath towel, washcloth

Soap, shampoo

Toothpaste, toothbrush
Deodorant, comb or brush
Suntan lotion, insect repellent
Flashlight, sunglasses, camera

Bible, notebook, pen

Water Bottle, work gloves, tools

## What should I NOT bring to Camp?

Gaming devices, iPods, MP3 players, cell phones or e-readers (e.g. Kindle)

Firearms, knives, matches, or fireworks

Illegal drugs, tobacco, alcohol

#### What is the Family Work Weekend program?

The object of the weekend is to help get the camp in shape for summer camp. There will be a whole range of projects, including light construction, cleaning, painting, raking, wood-splitting, folding T-shirts, and much more! We will do our best to match your skills with a project. We will also use a few of our weekend participants to provide daycare and cooking for the group. Work will be accomplished during three periods: Saturday morning from 8:30-11:45, Saturday afternoon from 1:00-4:30, and Sunday morning from 8:30-11:45. Children (age 6-12) will not work this long. They will be assigned to a work team which will be led by one of our staff and will work for about half of each period. The other half will be spent in organized recreation. Small children (age 5 and under) will not work at all - childcare will be provided.

#### Where will we be housed?

Families will either be housed in cabins (one family per cabin) or in one of the lodges (one room per family). Housing requests will be considered, but preference will be given to families with small children or special needs.

#### What skills and tools are needed?

Although no special skills are needed to participate in the weekend, please let us know in advance if you have specialized skills (e.g. carpentry, plumbing, electrical, sewing) so that your talents can be put to best use. Camp has a wide variety of tools, but we never seem to have enough for work weekend. If you are able to bring some from home, it would be very helpful. You may want to call the camp in advance to find out what tools would be most needed. Please label all of your tools to make sure you get them back after the weekend.

#### What is the dress code?

Camper attire should be modest and in keeping with the character and attitude of Christ.. Campers will be asked to change if wearing shirts that contain sexual innuendoes, that promote the use of cigarettes, drugs, or alcohol, that are anti-Christian, or that would be offensive to the general public. Swimsuits should be one-piece or tankinis (no bikinis). Expect clothes to get dirty at camp, so don't bring anything too nice!

### What if my camper gets sick or injured?

In the event that you or your child needs professional medical treatment, the parent/guardian's insurance will be considered the primary carrier. The camp carries medical and dental insurance on all campers which can be used in a secondary role, helping with deductibles and filling the gaps left unpaid by the parents' primary coverage.

## What if we forget something at camp?

All lost and found items from the summer of 2018 will be stored at camp until January 1, 2019. We will make every effort to help the owners retrieve all lost and found items. Please <u>help us help you</u> by marking all items brought to camp, checking your items before leaving camp, and notifying us as soon as possible once you realize an item is missing. Camp Lakeview is not responsible for lost items that cannot be located.

#### What if we have to cancel our session?

Let's face it. This is a free weekend and you did not have to make a deposit to register. So, if you need to cancel and don't let us know, you lose nothing. But think of what the camp loses. If you cannot come and let us know ahead of time, we can open a spot for another family to enjoy the weekend and the camp will receive the gift of their labor. However, if you do not let us know, none of that will happen. Please, let us know if you need to cancel!

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