

Summer Camp 2010

Camper Confirmation Packet

Congratulations! You are all set and ready to attend Summer Camp 2010. In this packet you will find all the necessary information you need to make sure you are ready to leave home for a week. If after reviewing this information you have any questions, please be sure to contact Tim Black (419.651.0391 or tim@blackandwhiteservices.org) or Suzanne Bandy (740-412-2195 or Suzanne@ashlandfirst.org).

Here's all the important information for you and your parents:

Dates: Sunday, July 25th to Saturday, July 31st

Times: 9:00 a.m. Arrive to the Church with your luggage!
(Campers are expected to attend the church service)
9:30 a.m. Attend Church Service
After church we'll have lunch together in town
12:15 p.m. – Meet back at church to circle up & leave for camp!!

**Make sure you have your luggage to the church
NO LATER THAN 9:00 am!**

Location: Camp Piedmont
34221 4-H Club Road
Piedmont, OH 43983
740.758.5480

Packing List

Below you will find a suggested packing list. There is a list of things to pack and those things you should leave behind. If you would like to bring something not on this list, use your best judgment. We recommend you do not bring anything that could be broken or easily lost.

What to Bring:

- Clothes for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday
 - Make sure you include at least one pair of long pants and something with long sleeves like a sweatshirt
- Socks and Underwear for all those days!
- Water bottle that can be refilled throughout the week
- Flashlight!**
- Soap
- Shampoo
- Bath Towel
- Flip-flops for the shower
- Razor for shaving
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Contact solution (if needed)
- Swimsuit – **GIRLS ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR A ONE PIECE SUIT OR TANK-INI** (No bikinis)
- Beach towel
- Sleeping bag and/or sheets for a single size bed
- Pillow
- Bible (if you don't have one, we have one for you!)
- Spending money (definitely not more than \$35)
- Umbrella
- Baseball/Softball glove
- Shoes for a camp setting (tennis shoes and sandals are fine!)
- Bug spray
- Suntan lotion

What you Could Bring:

- Clothes for the different dinner themes**
This year our themes include: Redneck, Elderly, Sports, Gangsta, Caveman/woman
- Fan for Cabin or window air conditioner!
- Camera
- Folding Camp Chair (highly recommended)**
- Fishing pole
- Running Shoes
 - There may be groups in the morning and evening that will be running
- Water Shoes
- Deck of Cards
- Snacks while you are in the cabin

MODESTY CLAUSE

We would ask that both the ladies and gentlemen attending camp please be cautious when choosing what to wear. Please do not wear shirts that expose your stomach or show your underwear. Also, we would ask that all shorts be at least finger-tip length or longer. On the shirts, please do not wear ones that expose bra straps. If you have any questions about this, please contact Tim Black at 419.651.0391

What NOT to Bring:

- Stereos and/or CD Player (including Discman)
- Alarm clock
- Electronic devices of any sort!!! (YES – THIS INCLUDES CELL PHONES) If you bring a cell phone your cabin counselor will keep it for you during the week and return it when we leave camp.**
- Knives
- Alcohol and any type of drugs
- Lighters
- Potato Guns or any other launching device
- Air soft Guns

PIEDMONT'S GOT TALENT

Calling all ***talented*** campers! On Thursday night of camp we will host our own version of America's Got Talent. If you have a particular talent you would like to share with the camp community, this will be your opportunity. Each cabin will also come up with an act so everyone can get involved. We're anxious to see just how much PIEDMONT'S GOT TALENT!

COMMUNITY DAY!!

Wednesday at camp we are inviting down all parents, church members, former campers & staff to join us for our Community Day at Camp. From 2:00 p.m. until 7:45 p.m. you are invited to join us at Camp Piedmont for games, dinner, and a very special worship service!

Please RSVP to Mary Ann Bailey (our office manager) by calling the church office at (419) 289-7551 by July 21. The cost is \$7 per person. We are asking no one younger than having graduated high school attend. If you have any questions, please contact Tim Black at (419) 651-0391.

CAMP SUNDAY

On **Sunday, August 1st**, we ask that **ALL** campers attend church at Ashland First United Methodist Church. Your family is invited and encouraged to come to this service too. Our worship leader from camp will be leading the service. The service begins at 9:30 a.m. and is a wonderful way to wrap up the week of camp and share our experiences with our church and families. Don't forget to wear your camp t-shirt (you'll get one at camp)!

Logistics

Directions to Camp Piedmont

Take US Route 250 Southeast through Strasburg then use the New Philadelphia by-pass (I-77/US250) approximately 6.6 miles then be sure to follow US Route 250. South of New Philadelphia, take Route 800 south (approximately 26 miles) until you come to the turn-off for Piedmont, 3 miles south of Smyrna. Look for the 4-H camp sign approximately ½ mile beyond the white church on the left side of Route 800. Turn left on the dirt road and follow 4-H signs for 3 miles to camp. Driving time is approximately two hours (92 miles).

LETTERS! LETTERS! LETTERS! LETTERS!

Who likes to get mail? I know you probably do. Parents, family and friends are welcome to send you a letter or two while you are at camp. There will be mail call every day and they can even send you a care package. So be sure to pass this news on to your folks! **We recommend all letters to be sent no later than Tuesday** to ensure we receive before we leave camp! Here's the address:

(Name)
c/o Camp Piedmont
34221 4-H Club Road
Piedmont, OH 43983

DRIVING NOTICE

Students are NOT allowed to drive down to camp. Usually there are enough adults going to get all campers to camp. Parents are also welcome to drive their son or daughter down. If you did not already note this on the registration form, please contact Tim Black, 419-651-0391 or Suzanne Bandy, 740-412-2195 and let them know.

**If for any reason you need to arrive late to camp or leave early,
PLEASE CALL TIM or SUZANNE ASAP SO THEY KNOW!**