

Dear Parent,

Summer is fast approaching, and we know how important it is to you to have your Summer schedule planned out before the first day of Summer.

Enclosed with this letter, you will find a Camp 08 brochure and registration form. The brochure has many of the main dates that you need to know to get your 2nd-5th grader registered for this year's camp.

We will be going to Camp Quaker Haven this year. We have made additional changes to our camp program! Please look over the enclosed information and be sure to contact me at Asbury Church (942-1491) if you have any questions.

Looking forward to a great Summer with your kids!

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Packing List

This is a **guide** for you and your child as you pack for your week at camp. Please pack enough for 4 days/3 nights but **NOT** too much.

CLOTHING:

casual wear (shorts and t-shirts)
socks
underwear
swimsuit (modest please!)
tennis shoes
sandals for shower and pool
sweatshirt or light jacket
something to sleep in

BEDDING:

Sleeping Bag
Pillow
Sheets

TOILET ARTICLES:

Soap (in container)
Comb/brush
Toothbrush/Toothpaste
1 Bath Towel
1 Beach Towel
Washcloth
Laundry Bag
Bug Repellant

Sunscreen
Chap stick

OTHER:

Bible
Pencils/paper
Camera
Hat
Flashlight
\$20 for spending
(no more than \$20)
small fan that will fit in
Luggage

PLEASE MARK EVERY ITEM WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME ON IT!!! Please know that the church cannot assume responsibility for lost or broken items.

PLEASE DO NOT BRING:

These items will be immediately taken from a camper if found, so please do not pack (or allow your camper to pack) the following: Cellular Phones, Radios, Mp3 player, sports equipment, electronic games, cap guns, knives, matches, fireworks ... you get the picture!

Departure on Monday July 28th

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Verify with Asbury Church for the exact check-in time. All campers must arrive at Camp Quaker Haven on time. Campers will receive their camp t-shirt at check-in as we will take our group picture when we arrive at camp.

Check-in Procedures

- Only adults are allowed to check in campers.
- At the check-in table, campers will receive their nametag. This will list their cabin and counselor assignment. They will need to wear this when they arrive at the camp.
- Turn in any medication you have at check-in.
- Parents: Assist your child in loading their luggage.
- Campers: Say your good-byes before leaving!

Please feed your child lunch before arriving at the church. Dinner is the first meal served at Camp Quaker Haven

Arrival Back at Church

Thursday July 31st

Campers will arrive approximately at 6:30pm

Make sure your camper has everything they left with. In case of "forgotten" items, camp directors will hold on to the items for **ONE WEEK.**

What you need to do today

Please complete registrations and medical forms and a \$50 non-refundable deposit per camper.

Please go over all of the camp rules and expectations with your camper(s) and them know your expectations and consequences in addition to ours.

Camp PICTURES LIVE!

Last year, Camp Quaker Haven, posted pictures of the summer camps on their website daily.

Camp Quaker Haven Information

LUGGAGE

Campers may bring one suitcase and one sleeping bag only. You may want to put the sleeping bag into a Hefty garbage bag and pack an extra garbage bag for the trip home. Kids can have a backpack on the bus. **Please make sure all luggage is clearly marked with your child's name.**

MAIL

We will not be able to receive mail at Camp Quaker Haven. It is recommended that you write your camper(s) a letter and pack this with them. Please be selective in what you write as it could lead to or promote homesickness.

MEDICATION

Please **do not** pack your child's medication!! All prescription medication your child is required to take while at camp must be clearly marked with the child's full name! All medication must be in its original container with only the amount needed for camp and store all medication in a **large ziploc bag** which must also be clearly marked with your child's name for easy visual identification.

Turn in your child's medication to our camp nurses at check-in Monday July 28th. If your child needs to carry an asthma inhaler, please notify the camp nurse or your church director so it can be recorded on your child's medical form. Their counselor will also be notified.

On the day we depart, medications will be returned to the children and packed in their suitcases for the trip home.

SPENDING MONEY

There is a snack shop and also small gifts that your child may purchase. This is optional, however, and will be open only during free times. \$20.00 should be enough money to make your camper sick! Campers who do not check-in their money will be responsible for it. We cannot replace any money that is not checked-in.

SECURITY AND PHONE INFORMATION

We are fully aware of our great responsibility in the care of your child. In case of an emergency, you will be notified immediately. Out of consideration for other campers and planned activities, incoming calls are not allowed, except in the case of emergencies. Should campers need to contact parents,

calls can be made through the camp office. We will also be carrying a cell phone for emergencies only. We will be participating in planned activities away from our cabin, all callers will have to leave a voicemail message. Parents can contact the camp office in an emergency that needs immediate attention:

Emergency cell phone number will be given on day of departure.

GENERAL CAMP RULES

The following rules will be kept by counselors and campers.

1. Love God. Love People.
2. Obey those in authority.
3. Participate in ALL activities.
4. Three strikes and your out.
5. Never go anywhere alone or without permission.
6. Pick up after yourself in every area of camp.

WE CALL. YOU (parents) HAUL!

So, if your camper is having difficulty with discipline problems, has an injury, gets sick, even homesickness, we reserve the right to dismiss them at our discretion on any of these circumstances. This means if we call, it is your job to come get them. Please take this into consideration and leave all appropriate contact information in case we need to get a hold of you. Please also have back up people who will be able to get your camper if you are unavailable. Remember we want camp to be fun - not a prison - so please use your discretion in sending your camper.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

If you have an emergency situation please call Stephanie Williams at 316-258-7594 or Camp Quaker Haven at 620-442-9690

**Please Do Not Call These Numbers To Check On Your Child.
Only Use Them In An Emergency!**