

Summer Camp 2021 Packet

June 21st-25th



CAMP STUDENT/ PARENT MEETING: Sunday June 20th @ 7:30PM (After iY) in the Youth Sanctuary.

This year we are attending week one of camp, June 21-25th with speaker Johnnie Wilson and worship from Mainstream Worship. This is a Monday-Friday at Camp Springville Camp and Conference center in Odenville, AL.

We are traveling together on a Charter Bus.

Departure time: Monday June 21st at 5:15AM from the Youth Building at the island Church. Please arrive on time with your luggage and signed papers.

If you need more information on the camp, you can visit
<http://www.alabamayouthministries.com/events/youth-camp>

Please Read the “General Rules,” the “Packing List,” and the “Contact information” Below.

There are two pages attached at the end that must be printed, signed, and brought with your camper to the Youth Building when departing. Thank you!

***Please do a *Home Lice Check* Before you arrive at the Youth Building on Monday Morning for campers to depart. Campers will be checked at the Youth Building, and again at the campgrounds. If a camper has lice, they will have to be sent home and picked up by their parents. It is best to do a home check first, just to be sure. Thank you!**

GENERAL CAMP RULES

These rules are given as guidelines for every student to follow. This code of conduct has been established for the protective benefit of each student. They must be observed at all times. Failure to comply with the camp rules can result in expulsion from camp with no refund.

- The daily schedule must be followed and attendance at all activities is required.
- No one is to leave the campgrounds without specific permission from the Camp Director and the appropriate forms completed.
- Students are expected to observe habits of personal and group cleanliness, courtesy, and Christian conduct.
- Males and females are not allowed in each other's housing dormitories.
- Dress Code: Guests are to be modestly attired at all times. While comfort is important, all shorts, pants, shirts, and dresses are to be "size appropriate" with no objectionable or suggestive slogans, artwork, or revealing style. Modest swim wear is required by anyone using the pool area.
- **Cell phones, MP3/CD players, radios, airsoft guns, ipads, apple watches, and paintball guns are not permitted. All such items will be collected from campers and returned at the end of camp.**
- Special Government/Camp Statement: Fireworks, smoking, drinking of alcoholic beverages, and drugs are NOT allowed on the campground.
- We reserve the right to inspect the contents of all personal belongings. The holding and/or disposal of improper contents are the right of the camp staff.
- Camp Activities are open only to registered campers and staff. No visitors allowed.
****For more clarification attend the Camp Launch Meeting for parents and students

PACKING LIST

(Feel free to use this as a checklist leading up to Camp!)

You are permitted to bring one Suitcase and one backpack/purse. Suitcases will go in the undercarriage of the bus, and backpacks can stay with you in the seats. If you have any medication that is needed during travel, please be sure to keep that in your backpack.

Suitcase can be: One regular or large size suitcase, or one large duffel bag.

Backpack can be: One regular or large size backpack, or a purse/ fanny pack.

The only additional luggage you are permitted is a Bedding Bag. Feel free to pack your bedding in a bedding bag (trash bag, large shopping bag, mesh laundry bag, etc.) Since we are traveling together, storage is limited for luggage.

Please do not bring more than one suitcase. Thank you.

- Bible, pen and notepad
- Towels and washcloths
- Personal bathroom toiletry items (shampoo, toothpaste/toothbrush, body wash, etc.)
- Sheets, **pillow**, 2 blankets or sleeping bag (You can either pack your bedding in your suitcase, trash bag, or separate small bedding bag.)
- Modest Swimsuit & cover-up (shorts and tee shirt are required for the lake)
- 5 days worth of outdoor camp clothes
- 4 nights worth of casual clothing for the night services
- Spending money for Rec Hall snacks, AYM Merch, and special Speed the Light offering
- Spending money for lunch on the way to Camp, and lunch money for the way back. *All other food is provided*
- Athletic shoes (may get muddy or wet)
- Shoes that stay dry for indoor use
- Recommend aqua shoes for outside water sports
- Softball or Baseball Glove for optional sports
- A large trash bag for the camper's dirty clothes. Label the bag with the camper's name and phone number
- Any needed Medication in its original packaging (*If there is not a WHEN and HOW TO description on the medication, please include a piece of paper in a ziplock bag with the medication stating the time and instructions for taking it.*)
- Socks and undergarments for 5 days.

- Please do not pack any valuable clothing, jewelry, or accessories that could get lost at the campground. Please be responsible for your own items that you bring. Please do not pack any electronics such as cell phones, ipads, apple watches, computers. Any electronic device that has access to messaging or the internet is not permitted. This is an “unplugged” week.

ROOMING

- Bunk style rooms. Our lodges sleep 4, 6 or 8 and the cabins sleep 34.
- Restrooms and showers provided within their room.
- There will be personnel in every room with campers.
- Campers are automatically assigned to rooms with other campers from the same church.

CONTACT INFORMATION: *****(For parents)*****

- We will be updating our Facebook and Instagram DAILY on the amazing things happening at Summer Camp. You can look out for photos of your students, highlights, and important updates.
 - Cell service is weak at Camp Springville, but In case of emergency you can contact Pastor Branden at 251.979.7614
- Feel free to **SEND MAIL to your students!** (Two days in advance) Many parents and loved ones like to send mail, letters, etc to their students while they are away and unplugged at camp. We do “Mail Call” at each of our Evening services. Please address letters with student name, and church name. Thank you.

Mailing info: Mail letters and cards to: (Camper Name, Camp Week and Church Name) Springville Camp - 3886 Mountain View Road - Odenville, AL 35120.

Camper Name

AYM Youth Camp Week 1

The island Church

Springville Camp & Conference Center

3886 Mountain View Road, Odenville, AL 35120

WHAT TO EXPECT AT CAMP AND OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS

Students can experience what could be one of the greatest weeks in their entire lives. Away from the craziness and fullness of everyday life, campers are thrown into a realm of positive peer pressure encouraging them to pursue their relationship with God, build friendships, and stretch their comfort zone through daily activities. Camp is one of the best ways your child can be disciplined for a week by living 24/7 with others who love Jesus, influencing them towards a lifetime pursuit of Him.

So, what does a week of camp look like? Can you say "Exciting", "Intense", "Extreme"? That is why camp is loved by many students. While at camp, students will play team sports outside (some messy games), swim in the pool, enjoy the lake activities, zip-lining, the rock-climbing wall, and have special services and sessions encouraging them in their relationship with God. During this time students will be challenged and pushed to be a part of a team. Students will experience growth with their support staff member and others in their room through the games on the field and the services at night.

WHAT ARE THE ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE TIMES? The check-in line opens Monday at 9:30 a.m. and closes at noon. Please, no early arrivals! The first meal served is lunch at 11:30 a.m. on Monday. Orientation begins at 12:45 p.m. for **ALL** campers and personnel. Youth Camp will close on Friday morning at 10:00 a.m. sharp after breakfast and following a final cabin check. Youth leaders will check in the entire group, unless a student is attending without a church, in which case the student will check themselves in. ***If a student is NOT attending camp with a church, they must contact AYM to get registration information. dyssec@adcg.org or 334-279-7172 x3.**

WHAT DO I DO IN CASE OF EMERGENCY? Parents may contact the camp office directly at 205-629-6279 to contact your student. Unless an emergency, campers should not be visited, or contacted via phone.

WHAT IS THE VISITOR POLICY? For safety reasons, camp is a closed event and visitation is discouraged at all times. Visitors are not permitted.

WHAT IF MY STUDENT HAS MEDICATION? All medications must be turned in to the Camp First Aid Director. Medications **MUST** be brought in their original containers! No exceptions! The First Aid Director will be available throughout the week to dispense medications as prescribed. Your student will **NOT** be able to self-carry medication, with the exception of inhalers and epi-pens.

WHAT IS THE HEALTH POLICY? Due to very close living conditions, major disruptions occur when there is a health problem. Students with contagious health problems (i.e. fever, impetigo, lice, etc.) **will** be sent home. It is recommended that these situations be monitored **before** leaving for camp. We recommend every church perform a lice check at least once before leaving for camp. There will be **mandatory lice checks on Monday morning before registration takes place. Students must be fever free, vomit free, diarrhea free, etc. within 24 hours of camp. Use the school policy - IF YOU ARE TOO SICK FOR SCHOOL, YOU ARE TOO SICK FOR CAMP.**

COVID SAFETY PROTOCOLS: The health and safety of our guests and staff is a top priority. In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, we think it is important that you understand our efforts to manage your camper's health and safety so you can make an informed choice. We are focused on taking all reasonable measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19 at our Summer Camp Program. We are strengthening our standard cleaning procedures, while adding increased frequency measures for things such as sanitizing common touch points, dining hall areas, and recreation equipment. Additionally, we have taken measures to monitor and address symptomatic guests by introducing a pre-camp health screening, temperature checks upon entering camp, and protocols to isolate, confirm, respond, and remove any guest or staff with suspected COVID-19. This situation continues to change daily, and as such, we will adapt and adjust our protocols and procedures as we follow the guidance provided by the CDC, along with state and local health departments, in our efforts to help keep our guests, staff, and families safe as safe as possible. ***Detailed Covid Protocol info can be found online at alabamayouthministries.com. This info may be updated as new information from local and federal departments is released.**

ARE THERE ANY EXTRA FEES? Yes, extra spending money may be used for snacks, drinks and AYM merchandise at the Rec Hall and the Speed the Light offering that will be taken. The Rec. Hall is open in the afternoons and after service at night. You can use cash or debit/credit cards.

WHAT IS THE LOST & FOUND POLICY? There is a minimum \$15.00 handling charge to return recovered lost and found items, regardless of size, weight, etc. Payment must be received at the AYM Office before the item(s) can be returned. Lost and found items will be held for 7 days after an event. After the 7 day period, items may be discarded or donated.

Alabama Youth Ministries nor Springville Camp is responsible for lost or stolen items. Campers should plan to secure their belongings. Label all items with the camper's name. It is recommended to label all luggage with camper's name, church name and city, and phone number.

HOW DO I SEND MAIL TO THE CAMP? Campers enjoy getting mail! Here are 3 ways to send mail to your camper:

1. Mail letters and cards to: (Camper Name, Camp Week and Church Name) Springville Camp - 3886 Mountain View Road - Odenville, AL 35120. Please allow sufficient time for the mail to arrive during camp by mailing at least a week in advance. Please indicate on the envelope which camp your student is attending. The Camp Staff makes every attempt to deliver mail to campers, but this delivery cannot be guaranteed.

Do not send money or valuable items.

2. You can fax a letter to your camper at 205-629-6453. (Be sure to include camper's name, camp week, and church name)

3. Place cards, letters, and small gifts in your child's luggage to find during camp, or you may ask your leader if they will give your mail and care packages to your student during camp.

TROPICAL TUESDAY



CAMPER SCHEDULE

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| 8:30-9:15 | Breakfast |
| 9:15-10:00 | Devotions (Chapel) |
| 10:00-10:15 | Rec Hall Open |
| 10:30-10:50 | Team Meeting (in Team Meeting Rooms) |
| 11:00-12:00 | Team Competition (Pavilion) |
| 12:15 | Lunch 1 (Yellow, Red, Orange) |
| 12:35 | Lunch 2 (Black, Blue, Green) |
| 1:15-4:15 | Rec Hall Opens |
| 1:15-2:45 | Girls Pool Time |
| 1:15-3:10 | Team Sports (Pavilion) |
| 2:15-4:15 | Lake, Aqua Park, Giant Swing, Paddle Boats, Canoes, Zip-line, Rock Wall, Etc |
| 2:50-4:15 | Guys Pool Time |
| 5:00 | Dinner 1 (Yellow, Red, Orange) |
| 5:30 | Dinner 2 (Black, Blue, Green) |
| 6:15-7:15 | The Inside Stuff (Chapel) |
| 7:15-7:30 | Break/Pre-Service (Chapel) |
| 7:30 | Chapel |
| TBA | Rec Hall Open after service |
| | Back to Cabin/Lights Out |

2021 ALABAMA YOUTH SUMMER CAMPER

CAMPER POCKET SCHEDULE

AMERICA MONDAY



CAMPER SCHEDULE

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| 11:45 | Lunch 1 (Black, Blue, Green) |
| 12:05 | Lunch 2 (Yellow, Red, Orange) |
| 12:30 | MANDATORY General Orientation (CHAPEL) |
| 1:30 | THE CHALLENGE at Pavilion |
| 2:00 | Lake, Aqua Park, Giant Swing, Paddle Boats, Canoes, Zip-line, Rock Wall, Etc |
| 2:00-3:25 | Guys Pool Time |
| 3:30-4:45 | Girls Pool Time |
| 5:00 | Dinner 1 (Black, Blue, Green) |
| 5:30 | Dinner 2 (Yellow, Red, Orange) |
| 6:15 | The Inside Stuff (Chapel) |
| 7:30 | Break/Pre-Service |
| 7:45 | Chapel |
| TBA | Rec Hall Open after service / Lights Out |
| TBA | Back to Cabin/Lights Out |

RETRO CAMP

ALABAMA YOUTH MINISTRIES



Please Note:

ROOMS MUST BE VACATED BY 9AM

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| FRIDAY | Wake Up & Clean Up | 8:00 |
| | Breakfast | 9:00 |
| | Camp is over! | 9:30 |

EARLY MEALS MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY EARLY MEALS TUESDAY AND THURSDAY

TIE DYE THURSDAY



CAMPER SCHEDULE

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| 8:30 | Breakfast |
| 9:15-10:00 | Devotions (Chapel) |
| 10:00-10:15 | Rec Hall Open |
| 10:30-10:50 | Team Meeting (in Team Meeting Rooms) |
| 11:00-12:00 | The Gauntlet (Pavilion) |
| 12:15 | Lunch 1 (Yellow, Red, Orange) |
| 12:35 | Lunch 2 (Black, Blue, Green) |
| 1:15 | Slip n Slide Competition (Hill behind D lodge) |
| 1:30 | Rec Hall Open |
| 1:30 | Lake Aqua Park, Giant Swing, Paddle Boats, Canoes, Zip-line, Rock Wall, Etc |
| 1:30-2:45 | Guys Swim |
| 2:45-4:15 | Girls Swim |
| 5:00 | Pizza Bash (Pavilion) |
| 6:45 | Chapel |
| TBA | REC HALL open After Service |
| TBA | Winning Team Celebration |
| TBA | Back To Cabin/Lights Out |

WEAR YOUR COLOR S/T O T WEDNESDAY



CAMPER SCHEDULE

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| 5:45-6:00 | Breakfast |
| 6:15-7:10 | Devotions (in Team Meeting Rooms) |
| 7:15-8:10 | Team Meeting (in Team Meeting Rooms) |
| 8:15-9:45 | Team Competition (Pavilion) |
| 10:15-10:45 | Lunch 1 (Black, Blue, Green) |
| 11:00-12:00 | Lunch 2 (Yellow, Red, Orange) |
| 12:15 | Chapel (Speed) The Light Offering will be received) |
| 1:45 | Dinner 1 (Black, Blue, Green) |
| 5:00 | Dinner 2 (Yellow, Red, Orange) |
| 5:30 | Lake, Aqua Park, Giant Swing, Paddle Boats, Canoes, Zip-line, Rock Wall, Etc |
| 6:15-Dusk | Guys Pool Time |
| 6:15-7:10 | Girls Pool Time |
| 7:15-8:10 | RETRO GAME NIGHT (in the Chapel) |
| 9:00-10:00 | Rec Hall Open after Service |
| TBA | Back to Cabin/Lights Out |
| TBA | |

Tuesday

Thursday

Wednesday

Monday

Friday

Tuesday

ALABAMA SUMMER CAMP 2021 COVID HEALTH PROTOCOLS

Camper Name _____ Church & City _____

Dear Camp Families,

In effort to minimize illness at Youth Camp, we request that you check on the health of your camper daily beginning ten days prior to camp. We want everyone's experience to be a healthy one and this begins at home. Please give this completed form to your youth leaders to be submitted at camp on the day of arrival and submit at check in. Please indicate if your camper has had any of the following symptoms prior to camp.

Symptoms:

- Cough
- Shortness of Breath or Difficulty Breathing
- Fever
- Feeling feverish or a measured temp equal or greater than 100 degrees
- Chills
- Repeated Shaking with Chills
- Muscle Pain
- Headache
- Sore Throat
- Loss of Taste or Smell
- Diarrhea

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| In the 14 days prior to camp... | |
| 1. Camper has not been in close contact* with anyone with any of the listed symptoms or diagnosis of Covid-19 *CDC Close Contact definition: Someone who was within 6 feet of an infected person for at least 15 minutes starting from 2 days before illness onset (or, for asymptomatic patients, 2 days prior to specimen collection) until the time the patient is isolated. | Initial _____ |
| 2. No one in our household has been sick | Initial _____ |
| 3. Camper has not traveled out of the US by air, ship, or auto. | Initial _____ |
| 4. Camper has adhered to AL & CDC guidelines re: Covid-19. | Initial _____ |
| 5. Camper has not exhibited a temperature greater than or equal to 100 degrees Fahrenheit. | Initial _____ |

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| Temperature Check At Church: | <input type="text"/> | Temperature Check Morning of Youth Camp: | <input type="text"/> |
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Parent/Legal Guardian Signature below indicates this health screening was completed daily for 10 days prior to Youth Camp, and to the best of my ability. I understand that arriving on campgrounds healthy and well is vital to a healthy experience for camper, camper's family, and all persons on campgrounds. I understand that camper (my child) **will not be permitted to attend Youth Camp** if, within 10 days of arrival date, camper has recorded a temperature of 100.0 degrees or higher, exhibited any health symptoms indicated above, or has been exposed to Covid-19 or increased risk thereof due to travel or exposure per the representations in this form. ***As a parent/legal guardian, I am aware and acknowledge that if my child has underlying health issues and/or is at high-risk for Covid-19, they should not attend Youth Camp.**

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

Date

(Parent Name PRINT)

I _____, certify that I have read this packet to its entirety and agree with the guidelines and protocols.

(Parent) Sign Name Here: _____

(Student/Camper Name PRINT)

I _____, certify that I have read this packet to its entirety and agree with the guidelines and protocols. I will uphold the rules and respect the guidelines stated.

(Student/Camper) Sign Name Here: _____