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**Christian Conference Center Summer Camps**

# Summer Camp 2023



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## What's Inside...

- Summer Camp Dates for the 2023 season
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- And More!



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Meet Our Staff



Tiff Williams  
Camp Director and  
Associate Regional  
Minister



Crystal Harvey  
Reservations Director



Greg Champion  
Facility Director



Cindy Madison  
Housekeeper



Vacant  
Full-time Cook

Annual Camp Update

Dear Friends of the CCC,

We are looking forward to the summer 2023 camping season and all it will have to offer our campers and volunteers. Our staff and directors are already working hard to plan the best summer yet.

Here are some new things that have been happening while you’ve been away:

- 1. The **BSD Treehouse is complete**, and was dedicated last August. It is a great place to hang out in the shade, especially now that we have brand new hammocks down there to swing on.
- 2. **Wolf Lake has NEW LAKE TOYS!** We’ve been expanding the free time options at Wolf Lake every year, and now we’re up to 3 inflatable lake toys. Look for pictures later on in this mailing. I can’t wait for you to see it, and to come and play on the lake with us.
- 3. Plans are ready to start work on the **Boatwright Boathouse** at Wolf Lake which will probably be under construction the next time you visit. This will be a great addition to our lakefront.
- 4. If you didn’t get to play **Bubble Ball** last summer, don’t worry, they’re back!
- 5. We are offering a **NEW Mission Camp for high schoolers**. This group will travel together to Denver, Colorado for a week of serving, learning, God Time, and fun. No previous mission trip experience is needed.
- 6. We’re also offering a **NEW Adventure Camp travel experience** to Colorado Springs. This trip will be open to older youth and young adults ages 17-22. We’re so excited to be able to offer something for young adults this year. Challenge yourself in a mountain setting that you’ll never forget.

We can’t wait to see you return to Holy Ground. I hope you’ll find time to come rest, reflect, and play here at the Christian Conference Center this summer!

See you at camp,

Tiff

Camp Store



The camp store will be open during check-in and check-out for all summer events. Various CCC shirt designs will be available for purchase for between \$20-40. Clearance shirts start at \$10. Campers and adults will also be able to buy lots of CCC merchandise and souvenirs including stickers, stuffed animals, journals, carabiners and hats.

**Summer Camp Wish List**

Trampoline Saucer Swings for trees around the grounds - \$50 each

Additional Paddle Board for Wolf Lake - \$400 each

Tetherball court (with concrete pad) for Chi Rho Country - \$850

Sponsor a camper scholarship - \$350

Teeter totter for the CCC playground - \$700

To donate toward one of these projects contact Tiff at the camp office: 641-792-1266

**New this year... lake toys!**

Thanks to a generous donation from our sister congregation in Charles City, we were able to buy new lake toys for Wolf Lake! When this church closed, they designated funds to be used for the direct benefit of our campers. We believed this was a great way to honor their gift. All of our camps will get a chance to play at the lake in a new way this summer.

**What do I owe for camp?**

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Amount due for camp registration fee

**+ Optional Add-ons:**

\$\_\_\_\_\_ I am including a donation of this amount for a Camp Scholarship

\$\_\_\_\_\_ I am including \$85 extra for a private hotel-style lodge room (Grand Camp/Family Camp Only)

**- Subtract amount paid by your church:**

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Amount my local church will be sending as a scholarship (if any)

**+ Late fee (if applicable):**

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Additional \$25 fee after May 1st

**= Total sent with my registration:**



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## NEW: High School Mission Trip

Spend a week serving others and growing as a leader! **High School Mission Camp** is a new camp experience that takes camp on the road. Participants will meet at the CCC and then travel together to Minneapolis, Minnesota for a week of mission work, faith formation, and fun. This camp is open to all youth grades 9-12 who want to make a difference. Final work projects are still be determined. No previous camping experience is required but youth who have never attended a CCC event will need to be recommended for the trip by their pastor or youth leader. **Cost \$320 per person**

**Session Dates: June 25 to July 1**

Directors: Sheldon Henderson and Lisa Thurston



## Senior Adult Retreat

You never have to grow out of coming to camp! **Senior Adult Retreat (Ages 55+)** is intended to be time away at camp for older adults. Many participants have been active in our camping ministry over the years, however, no prior involvement in the program is necessary to attend. Senior adults spend time in fellowship, study, prayer and worship. Evenings are spent around the campfire, telling stories, eating ice cream, and making new friends. Senior adult campers stay in our hotel-style Lodge Rooms during their event. **Cost \$165 per person**

**Session Dates: September 18-20**

Directors: Jerry and Linda Wolf



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No matter what age you are or what you like to do, there is a camp for you! Check out all of our summer camp offerings on the next few pages. Prices, dates, and director info. are all listed below. Come spend some time this summer with God and friends on Holy Ground!

## Family Camp



**Family Camp** (ages 0-18 accompanied by an adult family member) is designed to be a weekend of rest, relaxation, play and God time for today's busy families. Begin the summer break with a weekend away together! How often do you have time to take a walk in the woods or play in the pool or lake with your kids or grandkids? You'll be able to get a break from your packed schedules and take time apart just to be together. Families will have a mix of free time and organized worship, games and Bible lessons with the large group. Family Camp is open to all children and youth ages 0-18 who are accompanied by an adult. Immediate and extended families are welcome. Cabin/bunkhouse (included) and private lodge room (\$85 extra) accommodations are both available for Family Camp. **Cost \$80 per person, \$300 family max (3 and under free!)**

**Session Dates: June 2-4**

Directors: Robert and Molly Goodrich

## Grand Camp

**Grand Camp** (ages 4 - Grade 2 accompanied by a grandparent) is a two day/ one night camp for grandparents and grandkids to experience together. You'll start the day with swimming, explore our camp through crafts and Bible lessons, have a cook out and s'mores, and end the day with campfire worship. Along the way you'll have some free time to just be family. We try to cram a whole week of fun into this short camp! In just 2 days together on Holy Ground you will make memories that will last a lifetime. Cabin/bunkhouse (included) and private lodge room accommodations (\$85 extra) are both available for Grand Camp. **Cost \$65 per person**

**Session 1 Dates: June 24-25**

Directors: Kara Seaton

**Session 2 Dates: July 15-16**

Directors: Bob and Carol Mayfield



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to reserve your spot today!

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## Beginner Camp

**Beginner Camp (Grades 2-3)** is a 3 day, 2 night introductory experience in Christian Camping for boys and girls who have completed the second or third grades. For many, this is the first time they have slept away from home without family members or been to an event at the Christian Conference Center. Experienced summer camp counselors act as “cabin parents” during the camp to try to make everyone feel welcome and at home. This camp is a fast paced, high-energy, fun-filled few days. We try to pack an entire week of camp into 3 days! Beginner campers spend time swimming, singing, playing games together, exploring our beautiful Holy Ground through their daily Bible Walks, and cooking s’mores around the campfire. Beginner Campers will begin to explore their faith (and make it their own!) in a safe and supportive environment. **Cost \$150**

**Session Dates: July 6-8**

Directors: Beth Campbell and Linda Hunsaker



## Junior Camp



**Junior Camp (Grades 3-5)** is a weeklong summer camp for elementary age children. Starting in 3rd grade, you can attend this amazing camp that is held in our new cabins. Every day campers will swim in the pool, boat and fish in the lake, participate in group games, learn about faith through hands-on arts and crafts activities, spend time with their cabin group, and worship God around the campfire. Campers will be encouraged to see God in nature, in others and in themselves. By midweek you will be forming friendships that often last throughout the year. **Cost \$350**

**Session 1 Dates: June 12-17**

Directors: Kristen Alstott

**Session 2 Dates: July 10-15**

Directors: Tony and Lisa Thurston

**Session 3 Dates: August 7-12**

Directors: Cathie Courtois and Andrea Brownlee

## Chi Rho Camp

**Chi Rho Camp (Grades 6-8)** is a weeklong semi-rustic experience that offers opportunities for relationships with God, other students, and adult counselors. While living in our 3-season huts, you will quickly form bonds that last a lifetime. As a village, you will learn to cook over a campfire, play in the pool and lake, cooperate through teamwork and discover the leader that lives in you. In this fun and different outdoor environment, you and your new friends will experience the accepting and loving touch of God that can be felt sitting around a campfire at Chi Rho Camp. **Cost \$350**

**Session 2 - June 19-24**

Directors: Robyn Bles and Tanner Hinders

**Session 3 - July 10-15**

Directors: Heather Santi-Brown and Eric Lahart



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## Adventure Camp

**Adventure Camp: Iowa (Grades 6-12)** is a different adventure every day. Our activities will include: boating on Lake Red Rock, a hiking/scavenger hunt day, a challenge day that will stretch your body and mind, and more. Campers will experience God through nature and through working together. This camp has a cap of 30 youth so get your registrations in early! **Cost \$350**

**(NEW) Adventure Camp: Colorado (Ages 17-22)** includes the basics of our local Adventure Camp but takes them to new heights... in Colorado! You'll challenge yourself in new ways with high adventure/ropes activities, a summit hike, and more. Limited to 18 participants, so register now! **Cost \$400**

At both sessions, you will accomplish things that you never thought possible! Experienced and trained adults will lead each adventure session. Off-site activities will be communicated in advance with parents/guardians. Youth are divided into age/gender subgroups for sleeping and some activities. Adventure Camp (Iowa) Dates: July 24-29 and (Colorado) Dates: July 2-8

Directors of both sessions: Lori Krase-Cayton and Owen Cayton



## ADAM Camp



The youth who attend **A.D.A.M. Camp (Grades 6-12)** enjoy a week of learning and perfecting different art forms. Campers learn how they can share their love for God through their art and use their God given talents to better the world. Each night campers will be able to show off their creations during their “gig”. On the last day of camp, a final performance and art show is planned and parents and other loved ones are encouraged to attend. Art mediums change every year but some past experiences have included: guitar lessons, improv, sculpture, painting, writing, and more. ADAM Camp is for grades 6-12. Youth are divided by age groups for sleeping and some activities. This camp has a cap of 30 youth so get your registrations in early! **Cost \$350**

**Session Dates: July 24-29**

Director: Deb Murphy and Mark MacWhorter

## CYF Camp

**CYF Camp (Grades 9-12)** is a week-long experience on the "Holy Ground" of the Christian Conference Center with other high school age youth. Through study, casual conversation, life changing worship and incredible recreation time, campers should expect to be challenged and encouraged in their faith journey. This is a camp that provides many opportunities to make new friends and capture a "deep-down" feeling of wonderment and purpose. A week at CYF conference may well stick with you your whole life long. **Cost \$350**

**Session 1 Dates: June 19-24**

Randy Ehrhardt and Katie Hainline

**Session 2 Dates: July 17-22**

Jill Cameron Michel



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