

## What do we need to know for Camp Solgohachia 2010!??

1) First of all, it's June 21-26, so don't come before or after that...even though we like ya!

2) **Camp registration will end on Monday, June 14<sup>th</sup>.** After that date, kids will have to bring their own meals for 6 days which will make for a very large ice chest. This makes for a very crowded cabin!

**3) FIRST DAY OF CAMP:** *please do not drop your camper off before 3 PM.* We will be in staff meetings and preparing camp before 3 PM; there will be no supervision. The first meal for campers will be 6 PM Monday night. Aim to arrive between 3-5:30 so you have time to meet your child's staff and settle him/her into the lodge/cabin. It's better to come very late rather than before 3 pm. Thank you!

**4) LAST DAY OF CAMP:** *closing ceremony begins at 11:30 AM* where campers are encouraged, awarded and blessed. There is a slide show and lost-n-found identification. Campers get super excited for you to come to this ceremony and see pictures of their week. Follow staff and signs to Sunset Point. There is plenty of air-conditioned seating for any family members to attend. We will go no longer than 12:30 pm, and then you may pack up all belongings and head for home!

**5) ATTENDANCE:** We highly encourage that your camper stay the entire session. Days move quickly and are hectic, and we want to ensure each camper is known, accounted for and not missing a thing!

**6) PAYMENT/REFUNDS:** With this form, please include a \$70.00 deposit. The remaining \$280 is due upon arrival on June 21<sup>st</sup>, unless you participate in the Camp Solgo Payment Plan. Cancellation before April 15 receives a full refund. After April 15, the deposit is non-refundable. Finally, if cancel after June 10<sup>th</sup>, a \$150 cancellation fee will be assessed that includes your deposit.

**7) General camp schedule:** Morning Devotions 8:15 am, breakfast and a morning full of camp sports/activities, lunch and free time, swimming, sudsies, dinner. Night time is worship/Bible study and a variety of fun events!

**8) Themes and parties:** This year's camp theme on our shirts is "More than a Survivor Romans 8:37-39" Each night at camp will be a theme party, carnival, scavenger hunt, capture the flag, night swim and more. IMPORTANT: if your kid likes to dress up, we have a "Garden of Eden" carnival night and a competition for best animal costume and best plant/flower costume! No Adams and Eves please! Another costume opportunity is our Survivor: Solgohachia night where kids need to dress like Indiana Jones or some explorer/adventurer/Survivor contestant. A third costume night is "Solgohachia's Got Talent Night"; dress up in whatever image comes to mind! None of these costumes required.

**9) What to do this week to prepare:** as with school, it is always a good idea for a camper to have a physical in the last year and updated shots/tetanus/notes for camp nurse. Organize your child's medications and instructions into a labeled Ziploc for use at camp. Please email [lori@ozarkconference.org](mailto:lori@ozarkconference.org) to let us know your child's t-shirt size and if he/she will be taking horseback riding class (no extra fee this year.)

**10) What does a hardcore camper bring to camp?** If you are able, up to 10 changes of clothes helps (2 per full day), swimsuit (no bikinis), 1 jeans, tennis shoes, flipflops, socks, lots of undies, jammies, one jacket or sweatshirt, toiletries, sunscreen, flashlight, ACTIVITY WAIVER FORM FILLED OUT, grocery or garbage bag for dirty clothes, backpack/bag to carry daily needs around, water bottle, Bible, \$10-15 small bills for snack shop, bath towel or two Optional luxuries: ear plugs, bug spray, Bible (ok if you don't have one), swim towel, goggles, journal, blow dryer (already one in rooms), theme costumes, hat, favorite stuffed animal, picture of family, camera

**11) What does a great camper NOT bring to camp?** CELL PHONES, IPODS, IPADS, handheld video games, fashion magazines, books that we all need a break from (like Twilight, etc.), the real serious no-no's and family pets, fireworks or CELL PHONES, IPODS, IPADS, VIDEO GAMES. We will be holding these for campers til the last day, if they slip in by habit. If you need to chat with your camper, please email [SolgoCamperEmail@gmail.com](mailto:SolgoCamperEmail@gmail.com) and we will print it off for him/her. Emergency calls to 501-354-3959. Please do not drop in on camp as in reality, most campers are actually embarrassed by this; we have to maintain "no visitors" during camp. We will let you know if your camper is having struggles. Thank you!

**Last day to sign up is JUNE 14! HURRY!**