

2025 Camp Big Cedars

Youth Camp Application Packet



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Wanette, OK

SENIOR CAMP

Directors: Josue & Jackie Chavez
Phone: (405) 626-1051

June 2-7

Ages 13 - 18

609 Brookwood Dr., Oklahoma City, OK 73139
Email: jackie.chavez@hacogop.org

INTERMEDIATE CAMP

Directors: Rusty & Ginger Shaw
Phone: (918) 231-5211

June 9-14

Ages 10 - 12

3455 Alternate 75, Mounds, OK 74047
Email: rusty.shaw@hacogop.org

JUNIOR CAMP

Directors: Matt & Chrishan Cooley
Phone: (580) 310-5061

June 16-21

Ages 7 - 9

16252 CR 3490, Ada, OK 74820
Email: chrishan.cooley@hacogop.org

CAMP TUITION

BEFORE April 15 = \$180 (Includes Camp T-Shirt)

April 15 - May 15 = \$190 (Includes Camp T-Shirt)

After May 15 = \$200 (Does not Include Camp T-Shirt)

Due to ordering deadlines, a camp T-Shirt will not be included with camp tuition after the May 15th deadline.

Tuition covers snacks and refreshments for Intermediate and Junior Camps. Senior campers will need to bring money for concessions.

*** Full tuition due at check-in. No child will be registered at camp without proper parent/guardian signature and authorization to participate in camp activities.**

NOTE: Applications and other camp forms may be downloaded from campbigcedars.com OR applications may be submitted on-line at campbigcedars.com.



Camp Big Cedars Application

A Church of God of Prophecy Ministry
Regional Office: (918) 251-9667 Regional Office Fax: 888-285-1732

Check One:

SENIOR: (Ages: 13-18) - June 2-7

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Tuition

If application is received **before April 15** **\$180**
If application is received **April 15-May 15** **\$190**
After May 15 or at the door **\$200**
Check-in - 10:00 am on the Monday
Check-out - 8:00 am on Saturday

Tuition is due at check-in.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Church of God of Prophecy

T-shirts - Included with Tuition though May 15th deadline.

Youth sizes: XS___ S___ M___ L___ XL___
Adult sizes: S___ M___ L___ XL___ 2XL___ 3XL___ 4XL___

Due to T-Shirt ordering deadlines, a camp T-Shirt will not be included with camp tuition after the May 15th

Camper Information

Name: _____ Birthday: _____ Age at time of camp: _____

First Time Camper: No ___ Yes ___ Male: ___ Female: ___

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

If your child is under 18, may we have your permission to baptize him/her in water (by immersion) if they so desire? ___ Yes ___ No

Parent or Guardian Information

Name of Parent(s) or Guardian: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Primary Phone: (____) _____ Secondary Phone: (____) _____

Whom to contact in case of emergency other than parent or guardian:

Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Other than parent/guardian listed above, list up to 3 people who have permission to pick up your camper (This can include church van/bus driver, pastor, etc.): _____

(I.D. may be required for pick-up verification.)

Camper Profile - Optional Information

Has the camper been affected by a death, divorce, or traumatic experience recently (or is still dealing with one of these situations)? If so, explain. _____

Is your child a Christian? Yes ___ No ___ Unsure ___

Are there any special concerns or needs that you have as a parent regarding your camper while he/she is at camp? _____

Medical Information

***** PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THE FRONT AND BACK OF YOUR INSURANCE CARD *****

Your insurance is primary coverage, and the camp insurance is secondary.

Name and phone number of Insurance Company _____

Insurance Policy Number _____

Primary care physician name and phone number _____

Please list camper's personal health history _____

Any allergies or special needs: _____

Date of Most Recent tetanus shot, if known: _____

List all Medications, including over-the counter, to be administered at camp:

(All medications must be in original container & administered by camp staff—NO EXCEPTIONS)

_____ Treating _____ Frequency _____

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(Use another sheet of paper if necessary)

List any dietary restrictions: (No special meals are provided, but we will inform our staff of camper's restrictions to help him/her choose allowed foods from our regular menu). _____

Physical restrictions, or activities not allowed: _____

Any Other Pertinent Information: _____

MEDICAL/COVID-19/INFECTIOUS DISEASE and MEDIA CONSENT:

MEDICAL: In case of an emergency, I understand that every effort will be made to contact me (parent or guardian). In the event I cannot be reached, I hereby give permission to the Camp Director, Camp Nurse, and physicians selected by the camp, to secure proper treatment, and to administer "over-the-counter" (OTC), or prescription medications, to hospitalize, order injection, anesthesia, and/or surgery for the camper. I understand that my insurance has the primary responsibility for payment should my child need treatment, and that the camp insurance is secondary. I understand that, during the process of camp, all medications, including OTC medications must be administered by camp personnel, and that medications will be collected at time of registration. I certify that all the information provided on this application is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I have read and understand the camp rules and regulations, and also understand that by signing this application I am agreeing to abide by those rules. I understand that failure to do so could result in dismissal from camp. I also agree that the Church of God of Prophecy (local, regional, and international offices), and its officers, servants, or staff shall not be held responsible for damages for any accident or sickness involving my child.

COVID-19/INFECTIOUS DISEASE: Camp Big Cedars cannot guarantee that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with Covid-19 or any other infectious disease due to participation in camp activities.

Before sending your child to Camp Big Cedars, please acknowledge that the following statements are true:

I will not send my child to camp if he/she or any member of the household has exhibited any of the following symptoms within the last 5 days:
Fever over 100.4 degrees / Extreme Fatigue / Dry cough / Difficulty breathing / New loss of taste or smell

Your child as well as all household members has not been diagnosed with Covid-19 in the last 5 days.

NOTE: If you have any questions regarding these conditions, please contact the camp director.

(NOTICE: REFUNDS WILL BE ALLOWED IF YOUR CHILD IS UNABLE TO ATTEND CAMP DUE TO COVID-19 EXPOSURE OR INFECTION PRIOR TO CAMP.)

I acknowledge the contagious nature of Covid-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that myself or my child(ren) may be exposed to. I understand that Camp Big Cedars, its staff and volunteers, the Church of God of Prophecy (local, regional, and international offices) and its officers, volunteers or staff, cannot be held liable for any exposure to Covid-19 or any other infectious disease as a result of activities at Camp Big Cedars or misinformation on this form provided by other campers.

MEDIA and PARTICIPATION: I hereby give my permission for Camp Big Cedars administration to use images and recordings of my child/ward (including website or social media use) without further compensation. I agree that my child/ward may participate in all camp activities including travel off the property. I also agree to hold harmless Camp Big Cedars, its staff, and volunteers from any and all liabilities, claim, demands, and causes of action whatsoever, which may arise due to the participation of myself, or my child/ward in said activities. If you have any questions/concerns, contact your camp directors via phone or email prior to camp. * Camp Big Cedars is not responsible for lost items.

STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING AND CONSENT: I understand that this camp is a ministry of the Church of God of Prophecy, and consequently all actions, conduct, and policies will be consistent with the Church's Statement of Doctrine and Beliefs.

I represent that I am the parent/guardian of the student (camper) named on this application. I acknowledge and agree to the statements above, as well as any applicable terms and conditions for this registration.

Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Camper Signature (If 18+) _____ Date _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Early Registration? ____Yes ____No Tuition Received: \$ _____ Date _____ Application Received: Date _____

Tuition Due? \$ _____ Paid by: _____ Check _____ Check Number _____ Cash _____

Staff Signature _____ Date _____

Notes _____

HEARTLAND CAMPING MINISTRIES PROGRAM STATEMENT

(KEEP THIS PAGE FOR YOUR REFERENCE.)



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Please read the following before completing the camper application. Parents, if the camper is younger than 18 years, please review this statement with him or her.

STATEMENT OF EQUITY: All applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis with no regard to race, color, creed, sex, or nationality.

PARTICIPATION: We are interested in the moral, social, physical, and spiritual growth of each camper. Each camper will be expected to participate in the full camping program and all activities unless the parent or guardian indicates otherwise on the application.

REGULATIONS: For the safety of all campers and staff, the following items will not be allowed: fireworks, drugs, guns, knives, laser pointers, or weapons of any kind. The camp reserves the right to perform an inspection of all belongings. No use of drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or profanity will be allowed. **Campers, please do not bring the following items: valuable jewelry, large amounts of money; computer; video games; CD's, radio, MP3 players, iPods, Kindles (or any other such device).**

ITEMS TO BRING: Please bring the following items: flip-flops or other shoes to be worn in the shower and to the pool/lake; toiletries, towels, and washcloths; casual clothes, closed toe shoes, and socks; an umbrella; sheets for a twin bed, a pillow; a quilt, blanket or sleeping bag; bathing suit or swim trunks (and shirt and shorts you don't mind getting wet); water shoes or shoes to wear to/from the pool; a flashlight; a Bible, paper, and a pen. Snack shack money. (This may be age group specific. Check camp application for details.)

BEHAVIOR: In the event that a member of the camp staff considers a camper's behavior to be unacceptable, extra duties may be used as corrective disciplinary action. For extreme cases, the camper may be sent home without refunding tuition.

DRESS CODE: The intent of our camp dress code is to provide an equitable dress code for all campers that will encourage modesty above legalism. Parents and church leaders are urged to see that only clothing which meets the policies and regulations of the camp policies are brought to camp.

CAMPERS: Please bring clothing to camp which fully complies with the following regulations:

- ⇒ **Modesty** — Since this is a Christian Camp with a distinctly Christian atmosphere, the New Testament principle of modesty should always be the standard dress at camp. While on our campground, camper may not wear apparel that exposes the midriff, is extremely tight fitting, or has writing on the back of pants or shorts. Apparel may not display or promote *alcohol, drug, sexual, or inappropriate language or pictures*. It is the responsibility of the local church pastor/youth director/camp sponsor to see that each camper is aware of our camp policy and to reinforce these policies before camp begins. The camp staff is to model the standard of modesty and enforce the camp dress code, taking into consideration that wisdom dictates an appropriate response specific for each situation.
- ⇒ **Dresses and Shorts** — Camp dress is to be casual, neat, and clean. Shorts should be modest in length and not too tight (Approximately, thumb to finger-tip to the knee in length). If wearing leggings, wear a shirt that falls below the hips. Slits in dresses and skirts should also be modest in length. Strapless, spaghetti strap, or off-the-shoulder dresses must include appropriate accessory wear under or over them.
- ⇒ **Shirts and Shoes** — Spaghetti-strapped tops are not allowed at camp. Sleeveless shirts are acceptable, but must go from the neck to the shoulder seam and not be split down the side. Shoes and shirts must be worn at all times outside cabins, except while swimming.
- ⇒ **Swimming Attire** — Speedos, or thong type swimsuits will be unacceptable. Extremely revealing swimsuits will require adequate covering (t-shirt, etc.). Determining the appropriateness of swimming attire will be at the sole discretion of the camp staff. Please bring shorts, shirts, or robe (and shoes/flip flops) to wear to/from the pool.

CELL PHONE POLICY: We endeavor to create an atmosphere that minimizes distractions and maximizes a total "camping" experience. We ask that campers turn their phones off, and turn them in at check-in. We guarantee the privacy and security of the phone. The phones will be returned upon check-out from camp. **NOTE:** We want our campers to feel safe and secure. If a camper wishes to call home, our Cabin Leaders are instructed to make sure they have access to their phone to make the call. Calls will be allowed to Parents/Guardians only, except in the case of an emergency. Parents/Guardians are more than welcome to call the camp director's contact phone (during daytime hours) to check on their camper.



32084 Hwy. 39, Wanette, OK 74878

Emergency Phone Numbers

Senior Camp: (405) 626-1051 - Jackie Chavez
Intermediate Camp: (918) 231-5211 - Ginger Shaw
Junior Camp: (580) 310-5061 - Matt Cooley

From Oklahoma City: Go south on I-35 to Hwy 39 (Near Purcell). Travel east on Hwy 39 approximately 16 miles. The campground will be on your left (north side of the road).

From Ada: Go north on Hwy 13/3W approximately 20 miles to Asher. Travel west on Hwy 39 for 10 miles. The campground will be on your right (north side of the road).

From I-44 (coming from the east or west): Take the Welston exit and go south on Hwy 177. Watch for the slight left, staying on Hwy 177/3W near Tecumseh. Travel approximately 54 miles to Asher. Travel west on Hwy 39 for 10 miles. The campground will be on your right (north side of the road).

From I-40 (coming from the east or west): Go south toward Shawnee on Hwy 177 approximately 29 miles to Asher. Travel west on Hwy 39 for 10 miles. The campground will be on your right (North side of the road).

REGISTRATION AND PICK-UP INFORMATION

Registration begins at 10:00 A.M. on Monday

Pick-Up Campers at 8:00 A.M. on Saturday (ID may be required.)

Arrangements for early drop-off, early pick-up, or late pick-up must be made in advance by calling the Camp Director.

Everyone must go through Registration **BEFORE** entering the cabin areas.

VISITATION/COMMUNICATION POLICY

For the safety of all of our campers, **all camp visits must be approved in advance by contacting the camp directors by phone.** No visitors (including parents) are allowed in the cabins without a dean present except during check-in and check-out. All visitors must check in with the camp directors upon arrival.

We want all campers to feel safe and secure. Cell phones are not allowed for campers; however, If a camper wishes to call home, our cabin leaders are instructed to make sure he or she has access to a phone to make the call. **Calls will be allowed to parents/guardians only**, except in the case of an emergency. If you do need to speak to your camper, we do allow phone calls **during daytime hours**. Contact the camp director to speak to your camper. If there is a problem or an emergency, we will always contact you immediately.