

WINTER PARENT PACK

"A word to campers & parents"

Cove Valley Camp exists...

To provide a place and an opportunity for Christian teaching and fellowship along with wholesome and guided recreation in a Christ-like atmosphere.

The goal and purpose of the youth camps is to bring young people to the saving knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ and to provide exciting, challenging activities which will promote and nourish spiritual growth.

What to Bring...

- Bible, notebook, and backpack
- Winter coat, hat, and gloves
- Snow boots, snow pants, & sneakers
- Warm clothes
- Toothbrush/toothpaste & other toiletries
- Flashlight
- Pillow and sheets/sleeping bag
- Soap, shampoo, towels, washcloths, etc.

Things NOT to Bring...

- Snacks Unless needed for a medical condition. Please notify camp before arrival if this is the case.
- Electronic gadgets
 - Tablets, Cell Phones, Gaming Devices, etc.
- · Alcohol, tobacco, drugs, etc.
- Pocket knives or other weapons

Bring for Registration...

☐ Medications to give to the nurse

<u>If you registered online</u> – all paperwork was completed during the online registration process.

Phone Calls, Visitors, & Leaving

- These distract from the total camp experience.
- Campers are not permitted to make or receive phone calls. You may contact the office about their progress.
- NO cell phones are permitted.
- Visitors are not permitted during the Retreat.
- If the camper must leave early:
 - Turn in a note during registration time.
 - Talk with Eric or Lynn at the office when you come to pick up the camper.
 - You must sign out at the office.

Retreats	Drop Off	Pick Up
Sr. High - January 9-11	Friday, 1/9 - 6:45 pm	Sunday, 1/11 - 1 pm
Jr. High - January 16-18	Friday, 1/16 - 6:45 pm	Sunday, 1/18 - 1 pm
Elementary - January 23-25	Friday, 1/23 - 6:45 pm	Sunday, 1/25 - 1 pm
Primary Day - February 7	Saturday, 2/7 - 9 am	Saturday, 2/7 - 4 pm
Op Co Op - March 13-15	Friday, 3/13 - 6:45 pm	Sunday, 3/15 - 1 pm

What Can I Expect from My Child's Retreat?

- 1. Your child will interact with staff that love Jesus and have a heart for serving children and youth.
- 2. Your child will hear the good news of the Gospel. Our goal is to see all campers come to accept Jesus as their Savior and grow in their relationship with Him.
- 3. Your child may come into contact with campers that are working through some difficult home/personal issues. We do our best to create a positive environment for growth.
- 4. Expect that everything may not go perfectly for your child. Campers do not always get along with others or connect immediately with staff members. Spending a weekend together is always a great opportunity for the love and grace of Jesus to shine through in possibly challenging situations.
- 5. You can expect your child to be loved, cared for, and given every opportunity to have a great experience!
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