

RUSH



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# REGISTRATION

Registration is handled directly by Camp Chautauqua at [thecampbytheriver.com](http://thecampbytheriver.com). For specific questions, please use the contact information: email: [registration@thecampbytheriver.com](mailto:registration@thecampbytheriver.com) or call: **937-746-3811**.

## REGISTRATION DEADLINES

**May 25, 2024** – Standard price (\$335) with guarantee of T-shirt.

**June 14, 2024** – Increased price (\$385) Chautauqua \$50 late fee imposed. Also, can't guarantee a T-shirt.

**June 21, 2024** – Registration closed.



# PAINTBALL & RAFTING

## PAINTBALL

- **Guests do not need to sign up in advance;** simply show up at the new field.
- Paintball is **\$5 per game**. Payment is made at the field (**cash only**).
- **Safety training is still mandatory to play Paintball.** This will be at the beginning of the week.
- Players will stay “in” for the whole game but will have “time-out stations” which will allow for continued play within the same game.
- Guests play on a first-come-first-play basis.
- Once a player has completed a game, they may get back in line to play another game.
- Camp will provide all the necessary equipment.

## RAFTING

- **Individuals must sign up in advance for this activity, done at camp.** (Listen for announcements as to where and when.)
- The rafting fee is **\$10 per person**.
- Life vests are provided and must be worn by all participants.
- **Guests must attend safety instructions prior to each trip.**
- Guests launch rafts, under staff supervision, into the river at Camp Chautauqua.
- Guests must stay in the raft for the duration of the trip.
- Guests load rafts onto flatbed trailers when finished.
- Transportation back to camp is provided by Camp Chautauqua.
- **Each raft must have a minimum of six participants, one leader, 21 or older, and one other adult.**

# STUDENT CHECKLIST

## STUFF TO BRING

- A fantastic attitude and a desire to draw close to and hear from God.
- Bible, pen, notebook, etc.
- Girls bring one piece bathing suit (No cutouts and a two-piece which must be covered with a dark t-shirt).
- Warm and cool clothes for four days.
- Jacket.
- Flashlight.
- Sleeping bag.
- Pillow.
- Pool towel.
- Shower towel.
- Personal hygiene items.
- Money for extra snacks, t-shirts, CDs, etc. (\$60 recommended)
- Sunscreen and sunglasses.

## STUFF NOT TO BRING

- Spaghetti strap tops, midriffs, halter tops, and crop tops.
- "Short" shorts or skirts
- Bikinis or two-piece bathing suits (see above for details).
- Speedos.
- Tobacco, drugs, alcohol, lighters, weapons, or explosives.
- Fireworks.
- Water balloons.
- Clothing with questionable sayings, slogans, etc.
- Clothing that promotes alcohol, cigarettes, or any other inappropriate items.
- Skateboards, scooters, rollerblade, etc.

# CAMP CHAUTAUQUA

## CAMP

Twice each day, we'll gather with incredible leaders and students to study God's Word and worship together.

- **Quiet Hours:** See Camp Schedule for quiet hours. Everyone must be respectful of other church groups.
- **Cabins:** Camp attempts to place each church in its own cabin, or at least within a designated area of its cabin. Depending on the number of registered guests, some churches might have to share a cabin with another group. Please maintain a low noise level, pick up after yourself, and treat other groups with respect.
- **General Behavior:** The following behaviors will not be tolerated at camp: Fighting, abuse (physical or verbal), profane/foul language, indecent exposure (please be clothed and wear shoes when outside of your cabin), smoking, theft, inappropriate photography, disruptive or unacceptable behavior.
- **Late Arrivals/Early Dismissal:** When a registered camper arrives late or leaves early, the camper and a leader must come to the office to complete a form for the legal transfer of responsibility. Only parents/emergency contacts/counselors can take minors off the property.
- **Visitors:** All visitors must report to the camp office, and follow all established guidelines and security measures. **A guest pass for the day is \$5 per person. An additional \$10 along with a signed waiver will allow the guest(s) to participate in Premier Activities (some restrictions may apply). Visitor dining is available (all meals are \$10.00)** and is payable in the office. Advance notice is GREATLY appreciated.



# SCHEDULE

## MONDAY

10:00am-12pm .....Camp Check-In  
12pm .....Lunch  
1:00-5pm .....Free Time & Dinner  
6:30pm .....Church Big Group Time  
7:00pm .....Main Session  
8:30pm .....Church Small Group Time  
9:15-10:15pm .....Camp Wide Games  
10:15pm .....Quiet Hours  
11:00pm .....Lights Out

## TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, & THURSDAY

7:30am .....Quiet Time  
8:00am .....Breakfast  
9:00am .....Main Session  
10:00am-1:00pm .....Small Group Discussion & Lunch  
1:00-5:00pm .....Free Time & Dinner  
6:30pm .....Church Big Group Time  
7:00pm .....Main Session  
8:30pm .....Church Small Group Time  
9:15-11pm .....Camp Wide Games  
11:00pm .....Lights Out

## FRIDAY

7:00am .....Pack-up & Clean-up  
7:30am .....Checkout  
8:15am .....Breakfast  
9:00am .....Main Session  
10:00am .....Camp Cleanup  
10:30am .....Departure

# EXPECTATIONS

**The bar is high because we know you can achieve it.**

- Represent yourself well, represent your family name well, represent your Church well, and most importantly, represent Christ with excellence.
- We are staying at a camp with other churches and groups. Please be mindful of that and respect them well!
- Your leaders are in charge. We want this to be an amazing week, and we want to do it by keeping everyone safe while respecting those around us.
- Students and leaders will attend all large group and small group times (including the Eleven).
- You are responsible for your personal items.
- No leaving cabins after curfew.
- No boys in girl cabins and no girls in boy cabins.
- No one should go into any cabin except their own.
- If you are dating and your significant other is going, no wandering off alone.
- If a student is dismissed from the camp for disciplinary actions, any costs associated with camp dismissal will be at the expense of the parents.



# MEAL PLAN

## OVERVIEW

All meals are covered in your cost of Camp. Students may purchase any additional snacks offered by Camp. (\$60 Recommended.)

## FOOD ALLERGIES/DIETARY RESTRICTIONS

Should you have a **medical** dietary need, state your need to the first person in the serving line, and they will make sure you receive your specially prepared food. Please contact the Food Service department if you have any questions at **937-746-3811 ext 5**.

## BREAKFAST

**Monday:** At home prior to leaving

**Tuesday:** Food provided by Camp

**Wednesday:** Food provided by Camp

**Thursday:** Food provided by Camp

**Friday:** Food provided by Camp

## LUNCH

**Monday:** Food provided by Camp

**Tuesday:** Food provided by Camp

**Wednesday:** Food provided by Camp

**Thursday:** Food provided by Camp

## DINNER

**Monday:** Food provided by Camp

**Tuesday:** Food provided by Camp

**Wednesday:** Food provided by Camp

**Thursday:** Food provided by Camp

# QUESTIONS

- **When is the deadline to pay the remainder of my student's camp balance?**
  - **June 14.** The remaining balance will automatically be taken out from the credit card you have on file 10 days prior to camp.
- **Will students be allowed to carry their own medicine?**
  - **No.** Either the camp nurse or Leaders from our church will keep all medicine.
  - If there is no camp nurse, the leaders will keep the medicine in a lock box and distribute it to students as needed.
  - Please email your Youth Pastor beforehand to discuss any medications your student will need to take while at camp.
- **Will students be in the same cabin as their leaders?**
  - **Yes.**
- **Does the camp provide pillows, sheets, and towels?**
  - **No.** Students will need to bring a sleeping bag (or sheets and blankets) and a pillow.
- **Can students bring a fishing pole?**
  - **No,** there is no fishing at camp.
- **Can students bring an instrument?**
  - **Yes.**



# CONTACT INFORMATION

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