

Fall Retreat 2019

Glade Church Parent Packet



THANK YOU!

We are excited to spend this time with your student

In this packet, you will find all of the necessary information to ensure your student has an excellent time at Fall Retreat this year. After reviewing all of the information, please feel free to reach out with further questions.



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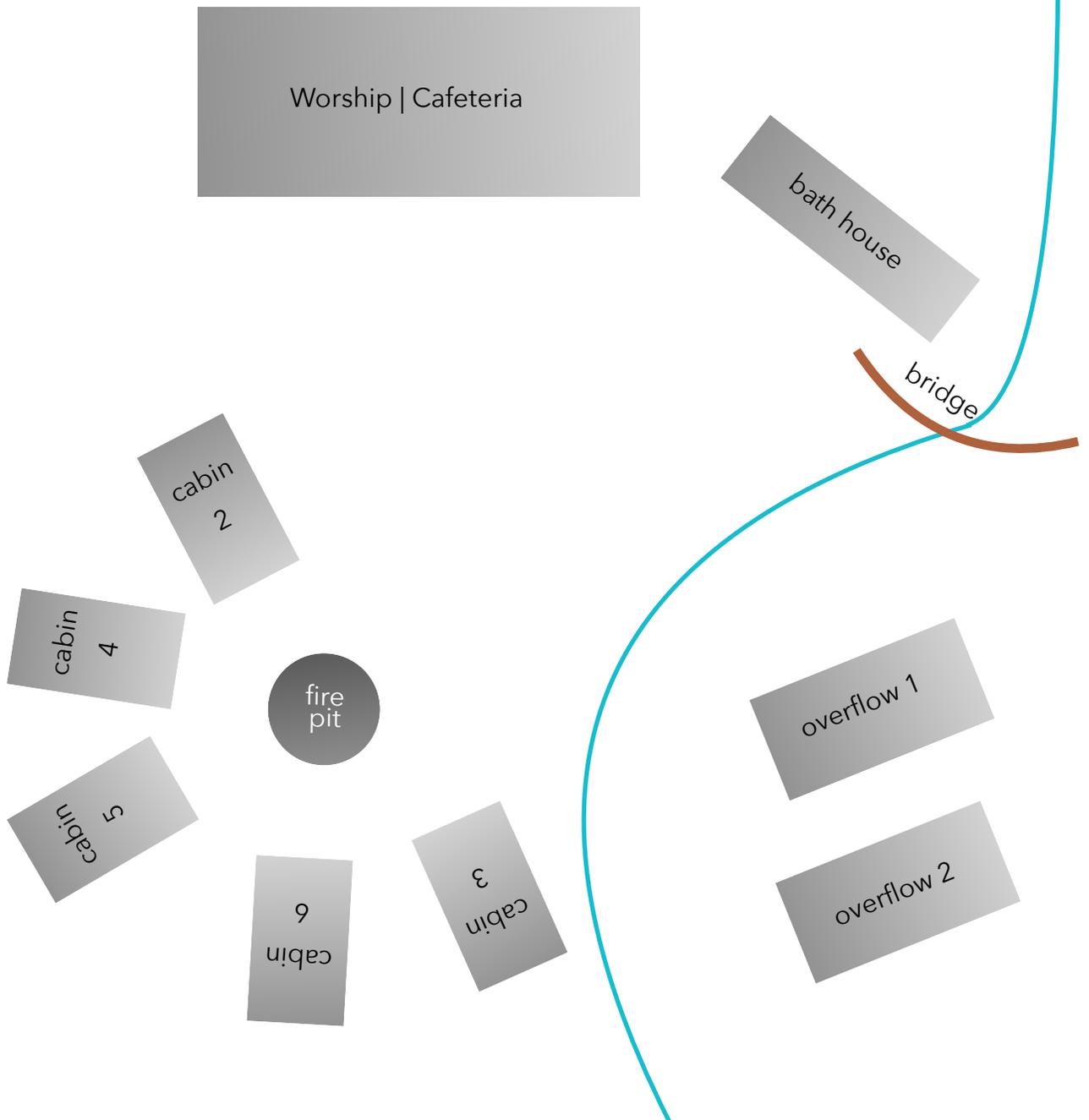
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* This page must be signed by a parent or guardian and returned at check-in

** This page must be signed by a parent and the student and will be collected at check-in

SITE MAP

Coldstream Christian Camp
4730 Goodman Rd.
Adams, TN 37010
(615) 696-2208
coldstreamchristiancamp.org



SCHEDULE

Friday, November 15

5:00	Check-in/Dinner begins in SLC
6:00	Depart from The Glade
7:15	Arrival and Unpacking
8:15	Session 1
9:15	Free Time
11:00	Lights Out

Sunday, November 17

7:00	Cabin Clean Up
8:00	Breakfast
9:00	Depart from Coldstream
10:15	Return to The Glade
10:45	Attend Corporate Worship
12:00	Students released to parents

Saturday, November 16

8:00	Breakfast
9:00	Quiet Time/Bible Study
10:00	Session 2
11:00	Cabin Time
12:00	Lunch
1:30	Rec
3:00	Free Time
6:00	Dinner
7:30	Session 3
8:30	Cabin Time
9:30	Free Time
11:00	Lights Out

YOUR LEADERS



Eric Warren



Amy Hardy



Dave Watkins



Caleb Rhea



Lindy Archie



Josh Savley



Grady Pfahl



Jennifer Lee



Laurie Wamack



Tony Murphy



Ellen Howell



Mark Taylor



Josh Frazier



Hunter
Stonebreaker



Jess Branch



Kevin Pigg



Ron Davidson



Jen Watkins



Allison Johnson



Rhonda Archie



Jeff Shelton



Ted Archie



Meri Shelton



Georgia Taylor



Audrey Frazier

LEADER CONTACT INFORMATION

For the safety and security of your student, we have included the contact numbers for both Grady Pfahl and Eric Warren. We ask that you first attempt to contact either Grady's or Eric's before utilizing a leader's personal cell phone number. Please also understand that cell phone service can be inconsistent and varies widely from carrier to carrier. If a leader does not answer your call please leave a voicemail. You may not receive an immediate reply when attempting to contact a leader. Also, if you choose to text any leader, please include your name and the name of your student. **Leaders will not respond with student information to a number that is unrecognized and unidentified.**

Grady Pfahl

615-767-1630

Eric Warren

615-517-8015

KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH THE TRIP

We're willing to bet that, as a parent, you'd appreciate some updates and photos of your students from time to time throughout the week. Rather than inundate social media with photos throughout the trip, trip leaders will have the ability to post photos and comments throughout the day using a group chat we have established in WhatsApp. To gain access to these updates, please note the following instructions.



1) Download the WhatsApp Messenger app from your app store

2) Set up your WhatsApp account using the prompts within the app



3) Using your smartphone, access the following URL to be join the group

<https://tinyurl.com/y57m8bfy>

Hint: To access more quickly, use your camera app or QR reader to scan the code to the left

Only trip leaders will have the ability to post in this group. If you need to contact a trip leader, we recommend you reach out to them directly

HOW TO PRAY FOR YOUR STUDENTS

We ask that you spend some time each day this weekend praying for your student. Our hope is that students would hear from the Holy Spirit this weekend that and those who do not yet know Jesus would choose to follow him. For those students who already are Christ followers, we pray that God would speak to them in a fresh way and they would follow him in obedience.

Friday

Students will be confronted with the fact that authentic faith is more than claiming to believe in something. Faith in Christ transforms and compels us to action. Pray that students will be open to the idea of examining their own lives for the fruit of the work that Christ is working in each of us.

Saturday

Students will be challenged through scripture to “tame their tongues”. Pray that the Holy Spirit would bring a brokenness over the prevalent sin of gossip and tearing down.

Sunday

Students will be looking at how living by faith requires submission, humility, and obedience before God. Pray that students will receive this concept that is so foreign in our modern world and that they would earnestly seek the Lord’s will.

PACKING LIST

BRING THESE

- Twin sheets and/or sleeping bag and pillow
- Bath towel
- Refillable water bottle
- Closed toe, closed heel shoes
- Bible and pen (Students will NOT be able to use their phones to read their Bible)
- Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, deodorant, etc.)
- Sun/bug protection
- Rain jacket
- Clothing that accommodates cold and warmer temperatures depending on forecast.

DON'T BRING THESE

- Alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs
- Fireworks
- Any kind of weapon
- Anything that resembles a weapon
- Pornography of any kind
- Anything that could be used for pranks (water balloons, silly string, etc)
- Energy drinks
- A negative attitude

ABOUT PROHIBITED ITEMS

The above list is intended to be but may not be exhaustive. Students and parents should use common sense when deciding whether or not an item is appropriate to pack. In order to ensure the safety and spirit of this trip, students found to be in possession of any of the above items will have the item confiscated, their parent will be notified, and the student's immediate dismissal will be required.

Parents are responsible for arranging transportation for students dismissed from trips.

CELL PHONE POLICY – GLADE STUDENTS

Student and parent/guardian: please sign this form and submit to host table upon check in

Spirit of this policy

Access to a cell phone gives parents the opportunity to contact their student directly. However, cell phones have also proven themselves to be a notorious distraction and there is no element of Fall Retreat that can not be experienced without a phone. It is our intent to allow students and parents the highest degree of autonomy possible while preserving the safety, integrity, and the intended experience of this retreat for all students in attendance.

To that end, students will not be permitted to be in possession of their phones for the majority of this trip.

Should I send my student with a phone?

As a parent, you are the first line of defense and sound decision making for your student. As stated above, there is no essential element of camp that cannot be experienced without a phone. Please only send a phone with your student if you can confidently agree to each of the statements below.

- My student consistently shows sound judgement in the use of his/her phone.
- My student does not use his/her phone at inappropriate times or in inappropriate ways.
- I have had a conversation with my student about responsible phone use on church trips.

Students who bring a phone to camp (Please Review As This Portion is Unique to Fall Retreat)

In order to preserve the safety, integrity, and experience of all students, students whose parents send them with a phone will be required to adhere to the following guidelines:

- The student will notify the trip leader at check-in that they are bringing a phone to camp.
- The student will turn their phone in to their cabin leader before bed on Friday night.
- The cabin leader will return phones to students at breakfast on Sunday.
- Chaperones will not be responsible for charging student phones.
- Leaders, Chaperones, or The Glade Church are not responsible for damage or loss of any student's phone.

Students who misuse their phones

Trip leaders reserve the right to confiscate a student's cell phone. Parents of students who have their cell phone confiscated will be notified immediately. A student will have their phone confiscated and returned only when the group arrives back at The Glade church if the student is found to have used the phone in any of the following ways:

- Accessing any inappropriate content
- Harassing another student or leader through the use of technology
- Using the phone at inappropriate times or inappropriate ways
- Failure to turn phone in to their cabin leader on the first evening

_____	_____	_____
Student Name	Student Signature	Date
_____	_____	_____
Parent/Guardian Name	Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

CODE OF CONDUCT – GLADE STUDENTS

Student and parent/guardian: please sign this form and submit to host table upon check in

Illegal Possession

The possession of any items listed below is considered by the church to be grounds for immediate action. Should any Next Generation leader witness or have knowledge of a student at a church sponsored activity who is in possession of any of these items, the leader will notify the trip leader and, if warranted, the appropriate authorities.

- Alcohol, illegal drugs, pornography, or tobacco products
- Firearms, knives, martial arts items, or any other weapons.

Inappropriate Behaviors

The following lists behaviors and activities which are prohibited by students at any church sponsored event.

- Assault
- Physical displays of affection (beyond handholding and light hugs)
- Leaving an event/activity without consent from a ministry leader
- Leaving church property without consent from a parent or ministry leader
- Vandalism or willful damage to property
- Breaking curfew on an overnight church activity
- Stealing
- Body piercing or permanent tattooing while on a church sponsored outing
- Wearing inappropriate or revealing clothing

Actions

The following outlines how we will manage infractions of the guidelines listed above.

- Trip leader and a group of chaperones will discuss the infraction
- Student will have an opportunity to explain the situation
- Trip leader and chaperones will make a decision based on the severity of the infraction to:
 - Call parents of student
 - Remove student from event / trip / outing
 - Suspension from future ministry events
 - Notification of proper authorities

_____	_____	_____
Student Name	Student Signature	Date
_____	_____	_____
Parent/Guardian Name	Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

PARTICIPATION FORM /PARENT PERMISSION AND RELEASE

parent/guardian: please sign this form and submit to host table upon arrival/check in

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Your son/daughter is eligible to participate in a church-sponsored activity requiring transportation to a location away from the church property. If you would like your child to participate in this event, please complete, **SIGN**, and return the following statement of consent and release of liability. As parent or legal guardian, you remain fully responsible for any legal responsibility which may result from any personal actions taken by the named student.

I hereby consent to **participation** by my child, _____ in the event described above. I understand that this event will take place away from the church grounds. I further consent to the conditions stated above on participation in this event, including the method of transportation.

I hereby give my permission for **medical treatment** to be administered to my child in the event of injury or illness incurred during camp. I hereby, authorize the making of photographs, motion picture, videotapes, recordings, or other memorializing of said event and his/her participation therein, and the publication or other use thereof. I hereby, waive any right to compensation therefore or any right that he/she otherwise might have to limit or control such making or use.

In consideration of the agreement of The Glade Church to allow my child to participate in the above described outing, and intending to be legally bound hereby, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless The Glade Church their employees, agents, successors, assigns and legal representatives, against any loss from any and all claims, demands, and actions at law or equity that may hereafter at any time be brought by my child, or anyone acting on her or his behalf, for the purpose of enforcing a claim for damages because of any injury to my child or any cause of action of any kind or nature as a result of, or in any way related to his/her participation in the above mentioned outing, or his or her transit thereto.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FULLY READ THE ABOVE AND UNDERSTANDS

Health Insurance Company or Group _____

Policy Number _____

(Please print the following information)

Name of Participant: _____ Parent or Guardian: _____

Address: _____ City _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

MEDICAL ALERT/ALLERGIES:

CURRENT MEDICATIONS (use back side of this sheet for additional space):

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

_____ day of _____, 20 _____

PHOTO RELEASE

parent/guardian: please sign this form and submit to host table upon arrival/check in

Our aim is to take many photos throughout the week. Our Hope is to use these photos to tell the story of what God does among our student body at camp this year. Photos may be used in social media or other promotional materials generated by The Glade Church.

Parents: Please read the statement below and check the appropriate box and then sign

I acknowledge that there may be photographs or video taken during normal event activities, and I hereby grant my permission to The Glade Church for such photographs/videos to be taken of my child(ren) and used in promotional materials.

Student Name(s) _____

Parent name _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

____ day of _____, 20____