Greatland Christian Camp 2024 Camp Guidelines

We are so excited you have made the decision to come to camp this year! Please **<u>READ THIS</u>** as it will answer many of your questions about camp. See you there!

www.greatlandchristiancamp.org

Junior Camp (entering 3rd, 4th, 5th grades) Dates: June 17-21 Location: Palmer Christian Church, Palmer, AK Dean: Roy Meyer Cost: Early = \$80, Late = \$95

Middle School Camp (entering 6th, 7th, 8th grades) Dates: July 8-13 Location: LaVern Griffin, Wasilla, AK Dean: Lucas Lance Cost: Early = \$195, Late = \$215

High School Camp (entering 9th-12th grades and post grads) Dates: July 8-13 Location: LaVern Griffin, Wasilla, AK Dean: Caleb Beck Cost: Early = \$195, Late= \$215

Missions

Our camps invite a missionary to speak to our campers about their specific mission and ways to share Jesus Christ with others. These extraordinary people have created lasting relationships with our campers and impact them in many areas. Each camp will take up a monetary offering to support their mission.



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Christian Books. World's Languages. Literature and Teaching Ministries helps Christian leaders worldwide publish Bible-based, culturally relevant books in their languages.

Filipino Bible Church

Filipino Bible Church is a vibrant community in Kodiak, AK. Through their Sunday School and worship services, Filipino Bible Church offers opportunities for worship and learning, while their small group meetings and e-groups encourage fellowship and support.

Schedule Junior Camp

Registration is from 4:00pm-5:00pm on Monday, June 17. Camp begins with a potluck dinner at 5:00pm on Monday. Parents are welcome to stay during dinner. Bring a dish and get to know the camp staff! Camp ends at 12:30pm on Friday, June 21. The last event will be a prayer circle that parents are welcome to join.

High School Camp & Middle School Camp

Registration begins on Monday, July 8, at 4:00pm. Campers can put their gear near the cabins. <u>Do not set</u> <u>up your bed until you find out which room you are</u> <u>assigned</u>. Camp will conclude at 12:00 pm on Saturday, July 13.

Registration information

We ask that every camper register through the website or a church and turn your form and deposit in to the church and not mail it directly to camp. The churches, in turn, will mail in their group registrations.

To register:

Campers must register for their own age group, determined by the grade you will enter this fall.

1. Fill out both sides of the "Registration Form", being careful to have a parent signature, emergency contact, and medical information.

2. Include the required \$40 deposit or full tuition amount with your form. Make checks payable to **Greatland Christian Camp.** Credit card information will also be

accepted.

3. Give registration to church leaders on or before registration deadlines.

Camp Early Registration Deadlines:

Junior Camp: May 19 Middle School and High School Camps: June 23

Family Discount

(applies to siblings of the same legal family who attend any combination of camps)
1st camper pays regular price
2nd camper pays \$15 less
3rd camper pays \$25 less
4th camper pays \$35 less

Scholarships are available!! Please see your congregation's camp rep for more info!

What To Bring

- Bible (not your phone), Notebook, Pen
- Sleeping bag and pillow (Jr. campers will be sleeping in large outdoor shelters, so warm sleeping bags and blankets are strongly encouraged)
- Towel and toiletries
- Mosquito repellent
- Rain gear
- Warm and cool weather clothes, swim gear (Please see dress code)
- Shoes for hiking and running
- Money for missions and snacks
- Camera (not your phone)
- Alarm clock (not your phone)

What NOT to Bring

- Electronics, including but not limited to phones, ipod, ipad, Kindle, etc.
- Fireworks, firearms, matches, or any other combustibles
- Pets, bikes, books, or magazines.
- Alcohol, cigarettes, or other controlled substances.

Dress Code

Any fashion that distracts from the spiritual atmosphere or presents a safety risk will not be permitted.

Shirts

- No spaghetti strap blouses.
- No see through clothing.
- There must be no skin showing between the top of pants and the bottom of shirts while standing, sitting, bending over, or raising arms above head.
- Guys must wear shirts at all times, with the exception of waterfront
- No low cut or loose necklines

Shorts, Pants and Skirts

- No short shorts or short skirts (shorts and skirts must be longer than the campers fingertips when arms are fully extended at sides)
- No pants/sweatpants or shorts with wording on the rear.
- Pants should be secured to allow running, stooping, etc., without holding on to them

Bathing suits

- Swim suits should be modest. No exposed mid sections for girls. No Speedo type suits for guys
- Shirts and shorts should always be worn over your bathing suit when outside of the waterfront area.
- Bathing suits at waterfront only

Dress Code, Continued Other

- No exposed undergarments.
- Shoes must be worn at all times outdoors, with the exception of waterfront.

For Your Information

Leaving Camp

Campers and staff must remain in Camp the entire week unless arrangements are made with the Dean in advance. Please contact the Dean in case of an emergency.

Vehicles

Campers are discouraged from driving their vehicles to camp. Campers with a need to have their car at Camp must turn their keys in to the Camp Dean as soon as they arrive.

Visitors

Although we are open to allowing guests to observe our campers in action, unexpected guests can cause disruption to a unique program and cause a shortage of food at meal times. Therefore, we ask anyone desiring to visit the camp to ask the Camp Dean ahead of time to find out when is best to visit. Upon arriving at camp, please check in at the kitchen. Meals are \$10 per person. The Camp Dean maintains the authority to limit or refuse all non-registered guests to the week of Camp.

Church Congregation List

- Christian Church of Anchorage 522-6020
- Cook Inlet Christian Church, Anchorage 243-7757
- Community Christian Church, Eagle River 694-2260
- Farewell Ave. Christian Church, Fairbanks 456-6123
- Filipino Bible Church, Kodiak 486-3382
- Homer Christian Church–235-8314
- Hope Christian Church- 782-3557
- Kenai Christian Church- 283-4559
- Palmer Christian Church-745-7330