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We are so pleased that you are going to be part of this year's Junior Camp! We hope this newsletter will answer your last minute questions as you make your final preparations for camp.

Registration will begin Sunday, July 12, at 3:00 p.m. at Camp Leatherwood. (Directions are inside the newsletter.) Each parent or camper will need to go through the registration process to make sure that we have all your information, liability forms, fees, etc.

On Sunday night, your whole family is invited to join us for a Hot Dog Cookout. Hot dogs, trimmings, chips, desserts and drinks will be provided for all campers, staff, and guests beginning at 5:00 p.m. Come enjoy the cookout and stay for our worship service.

At 6:00 p.m. we will gather at the Jim Martin Theater to officially begin camp with evening worship. Please bring your lawn chairs and enjoy our worship in the woods. After worship, we will move our clocks up one hour to "Camp Time," send the parents home, and begin camp!

We will have THEME NIGHTS every night at Camp this year. Be sure to look for the information in the newsletter to know what kinds of special attire you can bring for each of those nights.

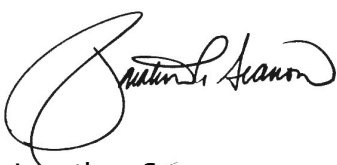
During camp we will communicate through Twitter and *Jonathan's Journey*! Parents, be sure to follow @BHCCJRCAMP on Twitter! If you are not on Twitter, you can text "Follow @BHCCJRCAMP" to 40404 to receive text message updates about baptisms, schedule changes, etc. As always, we will be posting updates to *Jonathan's Journey*, which you can access from the BHCC website (www.brentwoodhills.org).

Camp will conclude on Thursday, July 16. Your camper should be ready to head home by 12 noon Nashville time, right after lunch. If you must pick up your child early, please check with your camper's counselor.

BHCC XXIX will officially come to a close during our igNIGHT worship service on Sunday, July 19, at 5:55 p.m. in the Brentwood Hills Family Life Center. Please make your plans to join us for what is always a special evening as we praise God and worship together.

As always, it is our desire that you "Go home a little better than when you came"! We have a lot of choices in life, and you've made a great decision to be a part of camp this year!

Our Journey to the Son continues at BHCC XXIX! SEE YOU AT CAMP LEATHERWOOD! IT'S GOING TO BE A GREAT WEEK! Chosen to be Jesus, bold, peace, truth, different, hope, joy, and love throughout the world!



Jonathan Seamon

Camp Director

When do I come to Camp?

Brentwood Hills Senior Camp will begin on Sunday, July 12! Check-in for all campers starts at 3:00 p.m. inside the Mosley Dining Hall. Come and find out which cabin you are in and then you can get moved in!

Where is Camp?

Directions to Camp Leatherwood:

- Take Highway 70 West to White Bluff, TN.
- Go through White Bluff, turn right on Charlotte Highway at McDonald's and the Chappel's Food Store.
- Travel approximately 1 1/2 miles and turn right on the camp road (Westcott Rd). Follow the signs to Camp Leatherwood.
- Jonathan's cell #: 615-566-3394 (Camp Leatherwood does not have a landline phone)

We love mail!



Camp Address:

Brentwood Hills Christian Camp
3235 Westcott Road
White Bluff, TN 37187

Why do we have Camp?

It is our purpose to use an environment of God's creation, with concentrated periods of Bible study, recreation, fun, and fellowship, in encouraging our young people to develop a Christ-centered, spiritual lifestyle.

What will we do at Camp?

Every day at Camp you will participate in Bible classes, Crafts (all supplies will be provided), Recreation (swimming, volleyball, basketball, softball, roofball, kickball...just to name a few), and special times of worship. You will also have some free time to hang out with your friends! Of course, you will spend time eating breakfast, lunch, and dinner (prepared by “world-renowned” Camp cooks, cleaning up your cabin and Camp Leatherwood (it’s not difficult—we promise!), and just having fun enjoying God’s creation! Camp is probably one of the most fun things ever. Some have even said that “Camp is better than Christmas!”

What do I bring to Camp?

- Bible
- Toiletries (soap, shampoo, toothbrush, toothpaste, etc.)
- Flashlight
- Sheets and blanket for twin bed and/or sleeping bag
- Pillow
- Shorts and t-shirts
 - We recommend packing one large Ziplock bag for each day. Include the entire outfit for the day in each bag and label the bags with the days of the week.
- Swim suit
- Towels (for the shower and the pool!)
- Flip-flops/shower shoes
- Sandals
- Tennis shoes and socks
- Notebook or paper
- Pen or pencil
- BUG SPRAY!!!!!!!
- Laundry bag
- Plastic tote or bag for transporting clothes and toiletries to bath house
- Theme night attire (see below)

THEME NIGHTS!

Monday: Holiday

Tuesday: Jersey/Favorite Team

Wednesday: Neon Night

Everyone is encouraged to bring fun attire for these nights! Dinner is always more fun when everyone is dressed up!

(Don't stress . . . participation is definitely optional!)

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What should I leave at home?

- Guns
- Alcohol
- Drugs
- Tobacco (of any kind)
- Fireworks
- Bad attitudes
- Immodest clothing
- Foul language
- Electronics (see below for cell phone policy)
- Spending Money - you should bring money to pay your registration balance, but everything you will need during the week has been covered by your camp fee (meals, crafts, tshirt, canteen, etc.)

Junior Camp Cell Phone Policy

Our desire is to enjoy a week of camp without the distraction of cell phones and other technology. No campers will be allowed to have cell phones at camp. We also ask that you leave all other electronic devices at home (iPods, games, etc.). Our goal at camp is for everyone to relax and enjoy themselves in an uplifting environment, and this policy is in place to help us achieve that goal. Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

***For parents only:** BHCC XXVIII is going to include a lot of fun activities that will keep your camper very busy! Since sometimes visits from parents upset the campers—even to the point that they may want to go home—might we suggest that you let them enjoy camp while you enjoy a peaceful week at home! It is going to be a great week for them!

Questions?

We hope this newsletter answered your questions about camp. But if you have any other questions, feel free to contact us. You can email church@brentwoodhills.org with any questions. Our office staff will get your question to the right person and get an answer for you. You can also call the church office with any questions, 615-832-2541.