

**Dear Parents and Friends,**

Throughout the years it has been our goal to provide an interesting and worthwhile camping experience by presenting a program that will contribute to a meaningful life for every participant. It is our desire that each camper will realize that he or she is an important and valued person in the eyes of God.

Please remember that Bethel Campgrounds is a Bible camp and our purpose is to train campers in God's Word. In addition to the activities below, there are Bible teaching sessions and devotions each day. Every camper will need a Bible. Bibles may be purchased at the camp store at cost.

**ACTIVITIES**

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| Hiking     | Skits      | Volleyball  |
| Air Rifles | Tetherball | Swimming    |
| Campcraft  | Cookout    | Water-slide |
| Softball   | Archery    | Basketball  |
| Dodgeball  | Handcrafts | Woodcrafts  |

**THINGS YOU WILL NEED TO BRING**

- Bible - Notebook - Pencils - Bed Linens or Sleeping Bag - Pillow - Washcloth - Towels - Soap - Toothbrush
- Comb/Brush - Casual Clothes - Swimsuit - Creek shoes - Rain Gear - Hiking shoes - Tennis shoes
- Sweater or Jacket - Sun screen - Bug Spray

**THINGS YOU MAY WANT TO BRING**

- Camera - Stationery - Postage Stamps
- Softball Glove - Canteen or Water bottle
- Musical Instrument
- Spending Money for Camp Store (Typically \$10 - \$20 is sufficient)



**SUMMER SCHEDULE**

**Counselor in Training** June 18 - 22  
 Required for all teens interested in helping at camp this Summer. Minimum age: 15 or entering grade 10 in the Fall. CIT staff are also required to attend the Discipleship Week. **(Only one registration fee is required.)** We need to receive your registration by May 1<sup>st</sup>. A separate staff application will be sent to you to be returned for approval. Arrive Mon. between 4 - 4:30pm, depart Fri. at 2pm.  
 Bible Teacher: Bill Gustafson

**Discipleship Week** June 24 - 29  
 This is exclusively for Christian youth entering grades 9 & up who are serious about following the Lord and living their lives for Him. A week of challenging Bible studies, topics, seminars, and Bible memorization, along with some great activities. Arrive Sun. 4 - 4:30 pm, depart Fri. 3:00pm.  
 Bible Teacher: Joshua Shelor

**Jr. High Boys Camp** July 8 - 13  
 Arrive Sun. between 4 - 4:30pm, depart Fri. at 3:00pm.  
 For boys entering grades 6 - 8.  
 Bible Teacher: Chris Hoffmann

**Junior Boys Camp** July 15 - 20  
 Arrive Sun. between 4 - 4:30pm, depart Fri. at 3:00pm.  
 For boys entering grades 3 - 5.  
 Bible Teacher: Bob Deeds

**Jr. High Girls Camp** July 29 - Aug. 3  
 Arrive Sun. between 4 - 4:30pm, depart Fri. at 3:00pm.  
 For girls entering grades 6 - 8.  
 Bible Teacher: Dan Gustafson

**Junior Girls Camp** August 5 - 10  
 Arrive Sun. between 4 - 4:30pm, depart Fri. at 3:00pm.  
 For girls entering grades 3 - 5.  
 Bible Teachers: Dave & Teresa King

**ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE TIMES**

Please plan to check in campers, with the forms we mail or email you, between **4 - 4:30 P.M.** Sunday, or your spot may be given to someone on the waiting list. **PLEASE DO NOT** arrive early as you will just have to wait with your camper. **NOTE** that the pick up time for all camps is between **3:00 - 3:30 P.M.** on Friday.

**SPECIAL NOTE:**

We are unable to accommodate special diets in the menu.

**REGULATIONS**

Do not bring or send gum, food, candy, snacks or drinks to camp. Snacks may be purchased at the camp store once each day and are not allowed in the cabins.

Please do not send to camp any camper who is running a fever or may have a contagious disease.

Shorts length must extend below mid thigh (measured at inseam). Skorts & skirts or slits in them must not rise above the top of the knee. No two-piece bathing suits (even covered). No tight tops or pants, tops must not reveal cleavage, must cover midriff area, no spaghetti straps or tank tops, and all under-garments are to remain non-visible (even through clothing).

All visits must be approved ahead of time by the camp director. To prevent homesickness, visiting by parents is discouraged, and no camper phone calls are allowed except in an emergency. Learning to cope with and overcome homesickness is a normal part of growing up. **Please do not send campers with any expectation of not having to stay the full time.**

Disregard for rules or authority may result in being sent home without refund of registration.

(A more complete list of regulations will be sent with the registration acknowledgment.)

**COST**

It is the desire of Bethel Campground to offer the camp programs without charge to campers. This can be done as the Lord burdens individuals and churches to give towards the expenses incurred. Gifts will be gratefully acknowledged with a tax-deductible receipt upon request. However, a **\$20.00, non-refundable and non-transferrable**, registration fee per person, per week is required to insure a place at camp and must accompany the registration form. **NOTE: SAVE \$10.00!!!** - If your registration is postmarked **by May 31<sup>st</sup>**, you may include only \$10.00 per person, per week.

Registrations are accepted on a first received basis and acknowledged by mail or e-mail if provided. Please provide an email address that you regularly check and make sure our email address is accepted by any spam filter. **We cannot receive registrations by telephone or email!** When weekly quotas are filled, registrants will be placed on a waiting list and notified.

**Registration Deadline:** All registrations must be received **at least seven days** in advance of the camp being registered for.

**CANCELLATIONS:** Please notify us immediately so campers on the waiting list can be notified.

**2012 REGISTRATION FORM**

**NOTE:** It is imperative that you read the entire brochure before submitting this registration!!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth(mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Entering Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Alt. Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/Guardians \_\_\_\_\_

Local Church \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**CHECK WEEK(S) ATTENDING**

- Counselor in Training
- Discipleship Week
- Jr. High Boys Camp
- Junior Boys Camp
- Jr. High Girls Camp
- Junior Girls Camp

**Registration Deadline:**

We must be in receipt of all registrations at least seven days in advance of the starting day of the first camp being registered for.

Are there any physical, mental, or emotional problems (incl. allergies) that we should be aware of? **PLEASE BE EXPLICIT.** \_\_\_\_\_

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Cabin Friend Request (list only one; remember, a valuable part of the camp experience is making new friends):

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**Other side of this form must be completed also.**

**SKILL BUILDER ACTIVITY SELECTIONS**

**(Applicable only for Jr. & Jr. High camps.)**

Indicate below your camper's preferences from the following available activities. (Two will be chosen.)

Air Rifles - Learn the parts, safe handling, and proper care of guns, the different shooting positions and demonstrate shooting ability.

Archery - Learn the proper care and use of bows, the various parts of bows and arrows, and gain proficiency in shooting. **(Must be 10 or older.)**

Basketball - Learn game rules and penalties, ball handling, various types of shooting, demonstrate team work and sportsmanship.

Fishing - Learn how to use and care for rod and reel, as well as how to tie on and bait hooks, cast, catch, and release fish from a stocked pond.

Handcrafts - Campers will learn various craft skills while developing their creativity. **(Not offered at boys camps.)**

Woodsman - Learn how to use and care for hatchets, knives, and bow-saws. They will hike and learn to identify over 20 different trees. Also learn to tie knots, use a compass, and a topographic map.

Woodworking - Learn how to properly cut, sand, stain, assemble, and finish wooden projects. Use of some power tools will be taught. **(Must be 10 or older.)**

List four selections in order of preference:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Please remove at dotted line and mail to:

**BETHEL CAMPGROUNDS, INC.**  
 ATTN: Registrar  
 P.O. Box 71  
 Woolwine, VA 24185-0071

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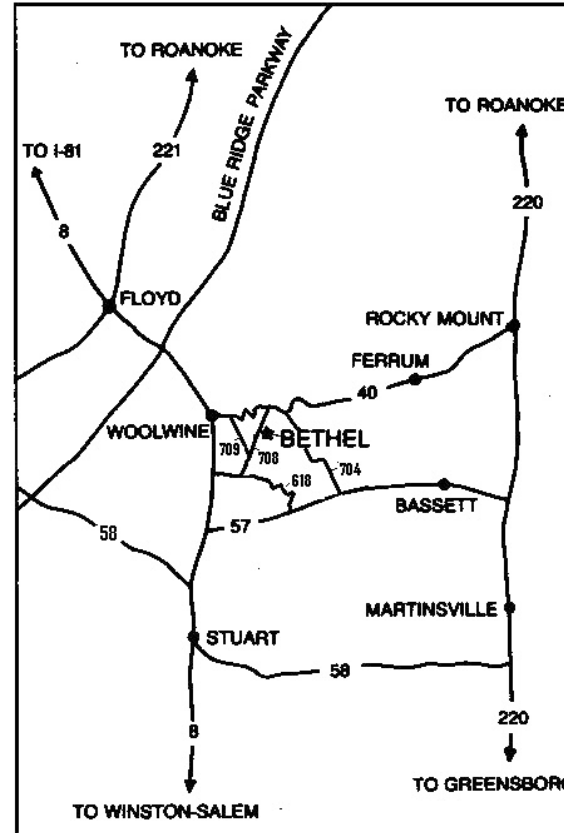
**Bethel Campgrounds** is non-denominational and non-sectarian.

**WE BELIEVE** in the verbal plenary inspiration of the Bible, its reliability and validity in all that it affirms, including the full deity of Christ; a literal special creation of the world and man for the glory of God; the fall of man, resulting in his total depravity and need for salvation by grace through faith in the finished work of Christ; the pre-millennial return of the Lord Jesus Christ for all true believers; and the physical resurrection of the dead, either to eternal bliss or eternal damnation.



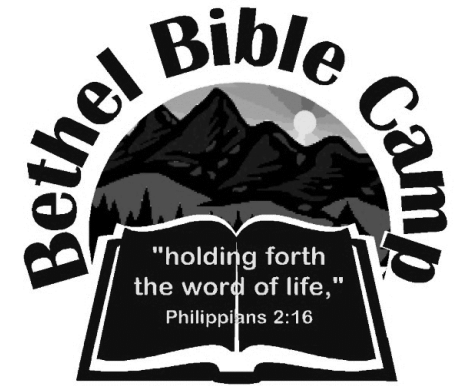
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**LOCATED** amid some of the most beautiful scenery in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia, Bethel Campgrounds is sixty miles south of Roanoke and ten miles from the Blue Ridge Parkway.



(Map not to scale)

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