

ALABAMA CHURCH OF GOD
YOUTH & DISCIPLESHIP



YOUTH CAMP 2018

“BE CONFORMED TO THE **IMAGE** OF HIS SON”
ROMANS 8:29

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SUMMER 2018

OLDER TEEN CAMP
JUNE 11-15, 2018

YOUNG TEEN CAMP
JUNE 18-22, 2018

PRE TEEN CAMP
JUNE 25-29, 2018

JUNIOR CAMP
JULY 2-5, 2018

2018 ALABAMA YOUTH CAMP APPLICATION

Register Online at www.alacoghq.org

OR

Detach this page and mail to: Church of God Youth Camp 2018 PO Box 19765, Birmingham, AL 35219-9765 Make checks payable to: Alabama State Fund

OFFICE USE ONLY

Postmarked _____ Scholarship _____
Camp Fee \$ _____ Camp Choice _____
Amount Enclosed \$ _____ Check/M.O. # _____
Balance Due \$ _____ CDM/CNFR Sent _____

OLDER TEEN, YOUNG TEEN, AND PRE-TEEN CAMPS ONLY
EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION: On or before May 1, 2018 \$110
REGISTRATION: May 2-22, 2018 \$120
LATE REGISTRATION: After May 22, 2018 \$140
WALK-ON REGISTRATION: \$160

JUNIOR MINI CAMP ONLY
EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION: On or before May 1, 2018 \$105
REGISTRATION: May 2-22, 2018 \$115
LATE REGISTRATION: After May 22, 2018 \$135
WALK-ON REGISTRATION: \$155

A \$25.00, non-refundable, non-transferable, pre-registration fee must accompany this completed application in order for you to be officially pre-registered. Your camp fee is based on the date it is postmarked. NO FAXES ACCEPTED! PAYMENT IN FULL INCLUDES THE \$25 PRE-REGISTRATION FEE.

In order to pay with a credit card, you must register online at www.alacoghq.org. All major credit cards are accepted. Registering online requires payment in full.

Personal Information (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Have you previously attended our youth camp? Yes _____ No _____
Name _____ Gender _____
Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Local Church Name (Required) _____
Home Telephone _____ - _____ - _____ Pastor's Signature (Required) _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Email Address (Required) _____
Parent/Guardian Name _____ Parent's Cell Telephone _____ - _____ - _____

Confirmations will be emailed, so we MUST HAVE an email address. If confirmation is not received within 2 weeks of applying, please call our office. Check Junk/Spam folders.

Check Summer Event(s) You Plan to Attend

- Older Teen Camp (Ages 15-18) June 11-15
Young Teen Camp (Ages 13-14) June 18-22
Pre-Teen Camp (Ages 10-12) June 25-29
Junior Mini Camp (Ages 7-9) July 2-5

Roommate Preference

List their name and the church that they attend if different than yours.

#1 _____
#2 _____

Cabin or Counselor Preference

#1 _____
#2 _____

Medical Information

Date of last Tetanus Shot _____ - _____ - _____ List any allergies _____
List medication/medical issues: _____

Insurance Company _____ Group Policy # _____

Pre-Authorization required? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what limits? _____

Personal Doctor's Name/Telephone # _____

CAMPER COMMITMENT

Campers are to dress according to the Church of God high standards of modesty. If accepted, I will abide by the rules and regulations of the camp and submit myself to those who are in authority during my stay. CAMPER SIGNATURE (Required): _____

Parental Consent Signature

I hereby give my child permission to participate in activities at Camp Utopia, Springville, AL. Activities include but are not limited to low impact sports, high impact sports, paintball, challenge course, ropes course, swimming, or other activity at said facilities. If camp activities are off site, I give permission for my child to travel with camp volunteers, employees, and/or agents of the camp. I hereby waive, release, and discharge any and all claims, demands, and causes of action against volunteers, employees, Church of God State officials, the Church of God in Alabama, and the International Offices, Cleveland, TN, arising from any damages, property loss, or injuries that I or my child may sustain and hereby accept all responsibilities for medical costs. If my child causes damage to property through willful destruction and/or by accidental means, I hereby accept financial responsibility to repair and/or replace property at the discretion of Church of God Officials. Further, I understand that my child may be denied involvement from any activity for safety precautions or as penalization for disobedience of camp rules at the discretion of Officials or volunteers. I further understand that my child may be photographed and or videoed for promotional or remembrance purposes. These images will remain the property of the Church of God for use as the Church of God sees fit. I accept full financial responsibility for and hereby consent to allow employees and/or volunteers to obtain emergency medical treatment as needed for my child if I am physically unavailable at the time of said illness or accident. Further, it is understood that my medical insurance, health insurance, or accident insurance (if applicable) will be used as the primary policy and that the Church of God policy will be used as the secondary policy.

Parent/Guardian Signature (required): _____

ABOUT CAMP STAFF

Youth Camps are operated by the Alabama Church of God Executive Offices located in Birmingham, AL, under the direct supervision of the State Youth and Discipleship Director and the State Youth Board. A complete background check is done for every staff application that we receive. We reserve the right to make decisions which are in the best interest of camp as it relates to staff and camper environment. All workers must be at least 18 years old, born again, attend their church regularly, and have their pastor submit a confidential Senior Pastor Staff Endorsement form to be considered to work on staff at our camps. A limited number of teenagers, ages 16-17 may be accepted, but must attend their week of camp to be eligible to work young camps. Priority will be given to adult applicants. All workers are required to attend the mandatory staff orientation prior to each camp. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, or nationality.

HOW MUCH DOES CAMP COST?

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REFUND POLICY: Cancellations will be honored if requested 14 days prior to the actual camp start date. All refunds will be processed after camps end in July.

INSURANCE: We partner with parents to provide medical/injury insurance coverage for every child and should medical attention be required, you will be notified as soon as possible with all the important information. Safety for your child is important to us. [Our insurance is secondary coverage.](#)

CONFIRMATION OF ATTENDANCE: When the camper application is received, a letter of confirmation will be [emailed](#) with more camp information. Please make sure your email address is provided on your application. If you do not receive your confirmation email two weeks after sending your camp application, please call the office at 205.942.2090 x3. Check junk/spam folders. Applications must be completed in their entirety in order to be processed.

LIVE STREAMING: We will be live streaming each of our worship services for all camps. Log onto www.alacoghq.org and click on the live stream button.

FIRST AID

- > All medications will be collected at the beginning of camp and will be administered only by the camp nurse.
- > So we may more easily identify your child, [please bring a picture](#) if your camper needs to take medication.
- > Prescriptions should be clearly labeled (send only the exact amount needed for the time at camp).

VISITOR POLICY

For the protection of all campers, all visitors must register at the Camp Office upon arrival. Visitors are not permitted to stay overnight, but are welcome to attend the worship services. Visitors will be asked to leave the grounds at the dismissal of each worship service.

DAMAGED AND LOST & FOUND POLICY

We are not responsible for any personal items lost or damaged. Lost items will be held in safe keeping for thirty days only! Afterwards, they will be disposed of. Regrettably, we cannot mail lost items. Campers should carefully pack their bags and double-check their areas to avoid left items!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Email: youthsec@alacoghq.org or Phone: 205.942.2090 x3



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Ages 15-18

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Ages 13-14

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Ages 10-12

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July 2-5, 2018
Ages 7-9

SUPPLY LIST

- > Bible
- > Pencil/Pen/Pad of Paper
- > Soap/Toiletries
- > Towels/Wash Cloths
- > Plastic Bag for Dirty Clothes
- > Swim Suit
- > Two Pair of Tennis Shoes (one may get wet)
- > Sweater or Jacket
- > Twin Size Bedding/ Blanket/ Sleeping Bag & Pillow
- > Flashlight/Umbrella
- > Slides/Flip Flops to walk to and from the Pool & Bath House
- > Old Shirt and Jeans for outdoor activities (they will get messed up!)

TIME TO EAT



With such a wide variety offered during meal times and at the canteen, your camper will have plenty of dining options! We ask that you do **NOT** bring meals to your camper.

VISITORS & PHONE CALLS

Having your kids away from home can make even the calmest person nervous. That is why we have pre-screened and trained all staff and personnel to handle any situation that may arise. Since camp is only a few days, please use wisdom when attempting to call your child, or when coming to visit. This often causes homesickness. You can be assured that we will contact you immediately if a problem occurs. In case of an emergency, call the Camp Office at 205.467.6951.

YOUTH CAMP 411

Alabama summers are hot...so crop pants, skirts, and shorts are encouraged to beat the heat. But, don't forget to **KEEP IT COVERED!** Skirts/shorts must be modest and leave the tanks and half shirts home.

WHAT'S HOT

- > Crop Pants
- > Modest Length Shorts
- > Bermudas
- > Short Sleeve Tees
- > Knee Length Skirts

WHAT'S NOT

- > Tank Tops
- > Low Cut Shirts
- > Halter/Strapless Tops
- > Short Shirts (No Bellies)
- > Short/Mini Skirts
- > Short Shorts
- > Biker Shorts/Spandex

WHAT NOT TO BRING

- > Anything expensive that might be lost or damaged
- > IPODS, IPADS, Laptops, ETC.
- > Weapons
- > Tobacco, Drugs, or Alcohol
- > Fireworks

CANTEEN



Breakfast, lunch, and dinner are provided, but don't forget to bring extra cash for those mid-day and late night munchies! A variety of food will be offered at the Canteen to help you make it through the day such as, hot dogs, hamburgers, pizza, candy, and much more!

CAMP STORE & T-SHIRTS

Camp T-Shirts are \$15.00-\$18.00. Other camp items will also be available for purchase.