

Grace Point Summer Camps 2008--Camper Application Form

Registration deadline: May 11, 2008

This four page registration packet, which includes the *Camper Application Form*, *Signed Community Covenant*, *Medical Form*, and *Emergency Contact Form*, should be sent to Mary Berl, Diocese of East Tennessee, 814 Episcopal School Way, Knoxville TN 37932. Please include your check for the \$50 nonrefundable deposit (or the entire camp fee), made out to Mary Berl, Grace Point Camp Registrar.

Session # _____ (please note that adult campers also must register using a separate form and pay fee)
[Applicants for Sessions 5a and 5b, please see note on sleeping arrangements, below.]

Camper's Name _____

Gender _____ **Date of Birth** _____

Street Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip Code** _____

Home Phone _____ **E-Mail Address** _____

Rising School Grade _____ **Parish** _____

T-shirt size (circle one) Adult Medium Adult Large Adult XL Adult XXL
 Child's Small Child's Med. Child's Large

Any dietary restrictions or preferences (e.g., vegetarian)? _____

Community Covenant for Campers

It is not acceptable for participants of Grace Point Youth Events at any time during the event to:

- Drink, possess, or be under the influence of alcoholic beverages.
- Possess or be under the influence of illegal drugs.
- Smoke, use, or possess tobacco.
- Show disrespect to fellow participants (including use of coarse language and jokes that may offend), staff, property of others, or property of event site.
- Engage in inappropriate sexual conduct, contact, or behavior.
- Possess or use weapons of any sort.
- Commit acts of theft or violence.
- Leave the established boundaries without the permission of the event coordinators.
- Fail to obey the established event schedule and norms.
- Leave the event until it is over without written permission of a parent and agreement of the event advisors.

This is a community covenant, and a violation of this covenant is a violation of the community. Should a problem arise, every effort will be made to resolve the issue in love and with respect. Continual disregard for this covenant will result in dismissal from the camping session. In the case of property damage, a fee will be assessed to be paid by the violator.

I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the Community Covenant.

To be signed by all participants of Camp

To be signed by a parent or guardian

***Sleeping arrangements at camps 5a and 5b:** At Grace Point we use a "boys' Tree House" and a "girls' Tree House" for camper cabins. All the boys and men sleep in one Tree House and all the girls and women sleep in the other. This is also true for Sessions 5a and b, to which parents or grandparents bring young children. In other words, if Dad brings little Susie or Grandma brings little Billie, they'll be sleeping in separate Tree Houses. Rest assured, we will make sure the parents in each cabin attend to all our young children. The only other sleeping arrangements available are if you would like to use one of our tents.

Grace Point Summer Camps 2008 Medical Form 2008

Session _____

Name _____ Gender _____

Date of Birth _____ Camper's SSN (required) _____

Please inform us of any conditions (including serious injuries, operations, childhood diseases, chronic or recurring illnesses, or behavioral disorders including sleepwalking) of which the camp staff should be aware:

Allergies? _____

Treatment of allergies (including over the counter)? _____

Are there any activities in which the camper should not participate?

Please list any prescription or over the counter medications (turn in at registration) that the camp nurse will need to administer during camp:

Are there any over-the-counter oral, topical or instilled medications that the camper cannot or should not receive should any minor symptoms develop? (please include explanation as to why, ex: allergic)

Date of last exam by physician: _____ Name of physician: _____

Phone number of physician _____

Insurance Carrier _____

Policy # _____

(if no insurance, please write N/A)

Grace Point Medical Form, cont.

For the safety of all campers, please notify the camp if camper is exposed to any communicable disease during the three weeks prior to camp attendance.

I give permission for my child _____ (name) to attend Grace Point Camp. I authorize the Camp Director to seek emergency medical treatment if necessary and for my child to receive it as deemed necessary by a licensed physician. I accept the standard liability insurance coverage as provided by the diocese, and I release the Diocese of East Tennessee from all liability beyond this coverage. I understand that a particular standard of behavior is being asked of all participants and will abide by the community decision if my child violates that standard. I have read and signed the community covenant, and my child has agreed to abide by that covenant and has signed it. I will provide needed transportation should my child be required to leave. I give permission for photographs or video of my child to be used by the camp for promotional purposes to include its web site.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

******Note: Your child cannot stay at Camp unless we have this signed form. Please make sure all fields are filled.***

I am aware of and support the participation of this person at Grace Point Camp.

Signature of Clergy or Parish Youth Coordinator _____

Emergency Contact Form

Session _____

Camper Name _____ Gender _____ Date of Birth _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____ Parent's E-Mail _____

Name of parent or legal guardian _____
(to be notified in case of an emergency)

Phone at home: _____

Phone at work: _____

Cell phone: _____

Alternate contact person _____
(in case parent is not available)

Phone at home: _____

Phone at work: _____

Cell phone: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

Printed name
of parent or guardian _____

Equipment List for Grace Point Summer Camp, 2008

What TO bring ...

T-shirts, shorts, jeans, jacket, socks, sturdy shoes, underwear, sweatshirt, pajamas, swim suit, raincoat or poncho, tennis shoes, backpack, sleeping bag, pillow, bath towels, beach towels, sunscreen, *flashlight and batteries*, toilet articles, insect repellent and laundry bag. Plus, please add a pair of Aqua-Sox (or any generic equivalent of Aqua-Sox—other brands are much much cheaper). These are kind of rubbery things with fabric tops you can wear on your feet when you're in the pool. They're very inexpensive and available all over the place (WalMart, Target, K-Mart, and so on)—they'll protect your feet nicely during those long hours in the pool!

Optional items: Musical instrument, canteen, camera, stationary and stamps, fishing pole, postcards, spiral notebook.

A word about shoe requirements ...

You really need three pairs of shoes besides the Aqua Sox:

1. something sturdy (such as boots) to wear while hiking our trails and roaming around the camp's property in general,
2. something like an old pair of tennis shoes that can get wet for you to wear while canoeing and boating (and they will get wet—we call those “water shoes”), and
3. another pair of lightweight shoes—maybe some better tennis shoes or sturdy sandals—to wear around the Tree House where you sleep.

Please do not ...

Please do not plan to wear flip-flops anywhere outside the Tree Houses. Flip-flops are great shower shoes, but in the last year or two what we've seen is a few of our campers coming with only flip-flops. That really puts them at a disadvantage in terms of being able to do all the things they come to camp to do. Flip-flops just aren't safe for general use in a Camp environment.

What NOT to bring ...

Please do not bring cell phones, pagers, pets, firearms, knives, alcohol, tobacco products, electronic games, aerosol sprays, food, candy, drinks, or nonprescription drugs. Any such items you bring will be collected by counselors the first night of camp, to be returned when you leave at the end of the week.