

Don't Miss These Details

Youth Camp 2026

- We leave The Heights Fellowship on **Wednesday, June 10th at 10:00 AM**. Please arrive at 9:30AM and check in with the youth ministry staff before your students put their luggage on the bus. Our tentative return time to The Heights Fellowship is **Sunday, June 14th, around 3 PM**.
- **Parent texting group**. Please text **Glorieta** to **806-429-4443** for updates while we are at camp!
- There are two charter buses for camp, divided by gender.
- Students will receive their room assignment at check-in. Room changes are allowed if approved by a leader.
- Bedding for a twin bed (sleeping bag/sheets and a pillow)
- Clothing for **theme nights** (see the packing list).
- There is an **optional** mud pit activity at camp. It's nasty, and clothes will get ruined, so pack accordingly.
- Pack a lunch for the trip to Glorieta.
- Please review the cell phone and device policy in the packing list.
- Cash, Credit Card, & Venmo payments are accepted for Dwell merchandise only. Glorieta has a snack bar and coffee shop but only accepts camp credit or credit cards.
- **Medication**: Students do not need to turn in medication. If you want the youth ministry staff to administer their medication, please give it to us when you check in on Wednesday morning. It **MUST** be in its original packaging with the student's name, dose, and frequency listed.

• **Attendance & Room Checks:**

- Students will **check in with their small group leaders** several times throughout the day at camp: (1) Meals; (2) Small Group; (3) Recreation; (4) Worship; (5) Room Checks. Sometimes students get lost or forget the time, and that's okay! However, if a student is late several times, we will pair them with an adult for the rest of the week!
- We will do room checks every night at 11:50 AM. Students must be in their rooms on time and remain in their rooms after we mark them present. If a student leaves after room checks, they will lose their freedom for the rest of the week.

• **Emergency Contact Numbers:**

1. Ethan Simmons (806) 319-1623
2. Bailey Simmons (806) 224-5144
3. Glorieta Conference Center (505) 757-6161

PACKING LIST

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WHAT TO BRING:

- Bedding for a twin bed (sleeping bag/sheets and a pillow)
- Toiletries
- Sunscreen, insect repellent
- Bath towel
- Beach towel
- Closed-toed shoes (preferably tennis shoes)
- Shoes to wear to the lake
- Clothing and shoes for muddy recreation games. If students choose to participate in the mud pit, their clothes will likely get ruined.

Clothing for THEME NIGHTS

1. *"World Cup Night"*: As we gather at camp, it is a reminder that the nations are gathering too. Come wearing your favorite USA gear or represent another nation from around the world.
 2. *"Out of This World"*: Whether you are thinking about the Artemis II mission, being a supernova girl, or even the idea that the moon is made of cheese, we want you to go all in with an outfit that is truly out of this world.
 3. *"Christmas in June"*: Wear your favorite Christmas sweatshirt, come dressed as Saint Nick himself, or anything else that gets you in the holiday spirit.
 4. *"What Do You Meme"*: Apparently, we have never done a meme night, so now is the time. Come dressed as your favorite meme and have fun with it.
- Casual Clothing. I have never found it cold enough for pants and a sweatshirt in the evenings, but feel free to pack those items!
 - Swimsuit
 - Laundry bag
 - Hat
 - Flashlight
 - Backpack
 - **A watch**. Weird, right?
 - Reusable water bottle
 - Snacks (must be in a sealable container or Ziploc bag)
 - **Bible**, pen, notebook. We will be using our Bible several times every day. PLEASE bring one!
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WHAT NOT TO BRING (THE OBVIOUS THINGS):

- Valuables or keepsakes.
- Prank supplies (e.g., glitter, confetti, water balloons).
- Illegal drugs, alcohol, or tobacco of any kind, including vapes.
- Fireworks, matches, lighters, firearms, or weapons of any kind.

YOUTH CAMP CELL PHONE & DEVICE POLICY

Our goal is to create a space where students can fully engage with God, their leaders, and each other. To help make that happen, we have a clear policy for phones and devices:

Cell Phones

- Our **strong preference** is that phones stay at home.
- If you choose to send your student with a phone, it will be collected upon arrival at THF and stored in a lockbox in a leader's room while at camp.
- Students may **briefly check in with parents** between **5:30–5:45 PM** each day.
 - This is **only** for contacting parents, not for social media, photos, or texting friends.
 - Miss the window? You'll need to wait until the next day.
- **Common reasons for “needing” a phone at camp will not be accepted**, including:
 - “I need it for my Bible.”
 - “I’m just taking pictures.”
 - “I’m using it to take notes.”
- If a phone is damaged or lost while in a leader's care, **The Heights Fellowship is not responsible.** (Best solution? Leave it at home!)

Other Devices

- **Students may not bring** video game systems or tablets.
- Students **may bring** a digital camera and a Kindle Paperwhite (or similar e-reader).

We're not doing this to punish anyone—we're doing it to protect the space. Camp is a rare opportunity to slow down, look up, and connect in ways that devices often make harder. Thanks for helping us make this week as meaningful as possible.

DAILY SCHEDULE

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Day 1	
9:30 PM	Arrive at THF
10:00 PM	Depart THF
2:00 PM-5:00 PM	Registration
5:30-6:30 PM	Dinner 1 (Free Time)
6:30-7:30 PM	Dinner 2 (Free Time)
8:00-9:30 PM	Worship
9:30-10:30 PM	Church Group Time
10:30-11:30 PM	Late Night Fun
12:00 PM	Lights Out

Days 2-3	
7:00-7:45 AM	Breakfast 1 (Quiet Time)
8:00-8:45 AM	Breakfast 2 (Quiet Time)
9:00 AM	Rally at Holcomb
9:15-10:00 AM	MS Bible Study and HS rec (Dwell Rec)
10:15-11:00 AM	HS Bible Study and MS rec (Dwell Rec)
11:15-12:00 PM	Breakout 1 (Main Session)
12:00-12:45 PM	Lunch 1/Free Time
1:00-1:45 PM	Lunch 2/Free Time
2:00-2:45 PM	Breakout 2
3:00-5:00 PM	Glorieta Activities
6:00-6:45 PM	Dinner 1/Free Time
7:00-7:45 PM	Dinner 2/Free Time
8:00-9:30 PM	Worship
9:30-10:30 PM	Church Group Time
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Day 4	
7:00-7:45 AM	Breakfast 1 (Quiet Time)
8:00-8:45 AM	Breakfast 2 (Quiet Time)
9:00 AM	Rally at Holcomb
9:15-10:00 AM	HS Bible Study and MS rec (Dwell Rec)
10:15 AM-12:00 PM	Concert of Prayer
12:00-12:45 PM	Lunch 1
1:00-1:45 PM	Lunch 2
2:00-2:45 PM	MS Bible Study and HS rec (Dwell rec)
3:00-5:00 PM	Glorieta Activities
6:00-6:45 PM	Dinner 1
7:00-7:45 PM	Dinner 2
8:00-9:30 PM	Worship
9:30-10:15 PM	Church Group Time
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Day 5	
7:30-8:00 AM	Clean Cabins/Load Luggage
8:00-8:45 AM	To Go Breakfast
8:45-9:15 AM	Leave
3:00 PM	Arrive at THF

Mud pit on Day 3 from 4:00-5:00 PM. This is an optional activity