Butman Methodist Camp and Retreat Center

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Dear Camper,

God Bless

This letter confirms your registration to attend the following summer camp. Camper arrival time is **3:00 p.m**. on Monday. <u>Please do not arrive early</u>.

Camp will be over before lunch on Friday, 11:30 a.m. All campers are to be picked up no later than 11:45 a.m. Friday. Please notify Camp Directors in advance if you have extenuating circumstances that would keep you from picking up your camper on time.

Attention-NEW HEALTH REGULATIONS: IT IS VERY IMPORTATNT THAT ALL MEDICINES COME TO CAMP IN THE ORIGINAL PRESCRIBED CONTAINERS; NO OTHER WAY WILL BE ACCEPTED.

<u>Camper Letters:</u> Campers like to receive letters, so we urge you to write and send out by Tuesday to allow the mail time to reach the camp.

<u>One Way Camper Email</u>: Parents/Guardians will use the **Online Registration** dashboard to access **FREE** one way emails that will get sent to your camper during their week of camp. Parents/Guardians can also invite other family members and or friends to email their camper through the FREE email service. Again this is done through **Online Registration Dashboard**.

<u>Camper Photos:</u> Butman Methodist Camp will be posting pictures to our **FACEBOOK** page daily. Just click on your camps photo album to view camper's pictures taken during camp activities. Parents/Guardians may opt out of pictures of their camper(s); this will need to be expressed to the camp director at check-in registration.

Below is the list of items you will need to bring to camp. If you have any questions, please call me at (325) 846-4212. The Butman Staff, Camp Directors, and Volunteers hope that you have a wonderful experience at camp this year, thank you.

Butman Camp Registrar	What to Bring	
 □ Long Pants (at least one pair) □ Swimsuit (modest) □ Underwear for 5 days + extras □ Towels (for swimming & bathing) □ Flashlight & extra batteries □ Hat or cap (optional) □ Bedroll (Sleeping bag or sheets, blank 	☐ Sweater or Jacket ☐ Shorts/pants & shirts for 5 days + extras ☐ Wash cloths ☐ Comb & Brush ☐ Insect repellent (optional) ☐ Laundry bag nkets, and pillow for twin-size beds)	 □ Sturdy walking shoes (Old shoes that can get wet) □ Soap & Soap container □ Personal Hygiene products □ Toothbrush □ Toothpaste □ Sunscreen □ Raincoat (optional)
☐ Water Container (with name on it)		

Medical Exclusions

An ill camper cannot be accepted for a camping event. If on the day of camp one or more of the following exist, please do not bring your camper to camp.

- The illness prevents the camper from participating comfortably in camping activities.
- The illness results in a greater need for care than the staff can provide without compromising the health, safety, and supervision of the other campers.
- The camper has any of the following:
 - Temperature of 100 F or higher; Armpit temperature 99 F or higher
 - AND has behavioral changes or other signs and symptoms of illness until medical evaluation indicates that the camper can be included in camping activities OR
 - Symptoms and signs of severe illness, such as:
 - Lethargy
 - o H1 N1 Virus
 - Difficulty breathing
 - Uncontrolled Diarrhea (2 or more loose, watery stools in 24 hours)
 - Vomiting illness (2 or more episodes in 24 hours)
 - Rash with fever
 - Mouth sores with drooling
 - Head lice
 - Wheezing
 - Behavior change or other unusual signs UNTIL medical evaluation indicates that the camper can be included in camping activities, or
 - The camper has been diagnosed with a communicable disease, UNTIL medical evaluation indicates that the camper is no longer contagious and is able to be included in camping activities.
 - The Camp will not accept a DNR but will accept the camper

