

OPC-PCA Bible Camp Rules and Policies

General Rules

All campers and staff are expected to follow the camp schedule always.

Campers will act respectfully toward others always and follow the directions of the camp staff.

No camper is exempt from classes, meals, or other activities except in the case of illness and then only by the permission of the staff nurse, head counselor, or camp director.

No camper will be permitted to leave the grounds without permission of the head counselor or camp director.

The following dress code applies always:

- All clothing must be modest in style and must not contain offensive or suggestive wording or pictures. Judgment of what is offensive and/or modest is left to the discretion of the cabin counselor staff.
- Only modest (i.e. usually meaning “one-piece”) swim wear is allowed.
- For safety reasons, footwear which protects the sole of the foot must be worn always when walking between buildings. Shower shoes must be worn in common lavatories and in showers.

Campers and staff shall follow the Camp Judson policy pertaining to the use of tobacco, alcohol, and drugs, and all other Camp Judson usage policies.

Campers will not use fireworks or inappropriate language at any time.

Campers may not possess knives or any kind of firearm nor engage in any other habit or conduct deemed out of harmony with the ideals of the camp.

Campers are not permitted to use cell phones in any way during meals, scheduled activities, chapel, or class-time. If a camper uses a cell phone, its use must not disturb others.

Use of cameras and cell phones as cameras are not permitted in the lavatory/shower areas.

Campers are not allowed to bring or use their own game consoles, DVD players, or televisions.

Willful or persistent disobedience on the part of any camper will be dealt with by the cabin counselors, head counselor, or camp director, and could result in depriving the camper of privileges, extra chores during free time, or calling the parents to discuss further options. In the event the parents are required to take their camper home early, no part of the camp fee will be refunded.

Cabin Areas

Males and females should stay away from the cabins of the opposite gender, nor should they venture from the visible areas of the camp by themselves or without the knowledge of their cabin counselor at any time.

Campers should work with their cabin counselor for all matters pertaining to their living/sleeping area.

Campers must not be in a cabin without the permission and/or presence of their cabin counselor.

Any person persisting in disturbing others in the cabin by unnecessary noises or other means (especially after 11:00 pm) may be deprived of privileges or given extra chores as seen fit by the cabin counselor as a means of discipline.

Cabins shall be maintained in a neat and orderly fashion always. No open beverages or food should ever be left unattended in the cabins.

No one shall remove cabin furniture from the cabins or move camp property from one cabin to another without specific permission from the Camp Judson staff.

Campers and staff will ensure burning or smoldering fireplaces are completely extinguished before leaving the cabin unattended or going to sleep.

Ground and Activity Areas

Willful or careless damage or destruction of camp property will result in requiring those responsible to make restitution, repairs, or replacement at the discretion of the Camp Judson staff.

Campers may only use the swim area when a designated lifeguard is on duty under the direction of the activities coordinator. Campers must abide by all posted rules in the swim area.

Campers may use recreational equipment only under the direction of the activities coordinator or other members with his knowledge.

Hiking will be permitted in groups with a responsible adult leader in charge and with the knowledge of the campers' cabin counselor.

The following places are OFF LIMITS to campers unless authorized to enter or permitted by camp schedule: Kitchen, Dining Hall, Camp Store, Swimming Area, Amphitheater, Parked Cars, Camp Staff Rooms, Camp Judson Staff living areas/equipment, Maintenance Sheds, and other buildings or areas as designated by the Camp Judson Staff or camp director.

Staff and Medical

All accidents, injuries, or cases of illness must be reported to the camp nurse IMMEDIATELY for treatment and record keeping.

All medications, whether prescription or over-the-counter, must be given to and dispensed by the camp nurse.

Visitors

All visitors should call ahead to the camp director or head counselor to coordinate their visit to the camp and should check in and out with the camp director or head counselor as they arrive and depart.