

# Ignite Camp

## Info for New Churches

Thanks for taking the time to check out Ignite camp. Our goal is to see Middle School students grow deeper in their relationship with Jesus. We wanted to provide you with a list of some things to expect and how to better prepare as a new church for Ignite camp. This is more the logistical list you will need to ensure your student has the best possible week and everything is covered.

### LEADERSHIP

A team of Pastors from central Ohio that are a part of the Charis Fellowship.

### LOCATION

Camp Cotubic in Bellefontaine Ohio. We rent the camp. So the camp staff is there serving us that week. All Cotubic staff has been properly vetted and background checked by the camp.

### DATE

June 4-10, 2023

### WHO

Students who have finished 6th, 7th, or 8th grade.

### CHECK-IN AND OUT

Typically, it is Sunday 3-5 pm and Thursday at 3 pm.

### SESSIONS

The leadership team meets throughout the year, prays, and plans the sessions, including speakers and band.

### LODGING

You will be lodged in cabins—males with males and females with females. We try to make sure it is just your church in the cabin but depending on your group size, you may be paired with other church groups.

### CAMP COUNSELORS

The counselors are from your church. We ask that you bring counselors from your church to lead your students. We recommend at least a 1 to 8 ratio. You will be in charge of background

checking and prepping your counselors to lead your students well. In order to be a camp counselor, you need to be in High school or older.

## CHANTS

Before meal times, we have a tradition that in order to make sure that everyone is present, we have cabin chants. There are different ones for each meal. Some are very simple, and others are elaborate, but they sure do make it fun.

## DRESS CODE

We ask that you pack and wear modest clothing and understand this dress code applies to both males and females who attend.

- T-shirts (not longer than shorts), shorts, and tennis shoes are great for most activities.
- Modest shorts/skirts (3-4 in inseam on shorts and skirts), no Softe shorts
- No bare midriffs
- No visible boxers, briefs, or bralettes
- No clothing with references to drugs, alcohol, sex, or profanity
- No low-cut tops or tanks in the front or sides
- Girls: modest swimsuit with no mid-section showing
- Closed-toe shoes needed for rock wall and high ropes course

## MEDICAL

We do have a nurse at camp 24/7. All medications (OTC & prescription) must be in original containers with the name of the doctor, name and phone number of the pharmacy, and detailed instructions. They will be kept with the camp nurse for the week, and they will administer morning and evening meds.

## FOOD ALLERGIES

If you have food allergies that you would like to be accommodated by the camp we need to know by May 1<sup>st</sup> to see if the kitchen staff can accommodate the request or if you will need to make different arrangements.

## LIABILITY AND INSURANCE

Your church is in charge of covering your students with their insurance. So please make sure that your church has coverage. You will need proof of your insurance via a certificate of liability.

## REGISTRATIONS

All students and leaders will register through Marysville Grace's Church Center Registrations page. Church leaders will have access to the Planning Center to view registrations, balance dues, and EMF forms.

## SCHEDULE

Here is a view of a schedule we have done in the past. There may be some changes, but it will give you a general idea. You will have some downtime at activity time as kids are waiting to get through. It would be a good idea to bring some game ideas with you.



SAMPLE DAY AT CAMP				
8:00-8:45	Breakfast			
9:00-9:45	Session			
9:45-10:00	Youth group time			
10:15-11:45	Activity Time			
	High Ropes	Giant Swing	Fishing	Wall/Zip
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4
12:00- 1:15	Lunch			
1:30-2:30	Free Time/Wall and High Ropes Open/Tournament			
2:45-3:30	Power Trax or Group Game			
3:45-5:15	Swim			
5:30-6:45	Dinner			
7:00- 7:45	Group Game			
8:00-9:30	Session			
9:30-10:00	Cabin/Youth group Time			
10:30	Lights out			