

Life Camp 2017

Lopez Canyon Conference Center 3067 Upper Lopez Canyon Rd. August 7-12, 2017

High School Life Camp is a camp designed to train Christian high school students ('16-'17 school year) to be stronger and more effective in their faith. It builds on the work of Junior Life Camp, and seeks to go even deeper into spiritual discussions, preparing Christian young people to live as adults who follow Jesus.

Camp will be a week of fun and intense spiritual training with counselors and staff who are passionate about helping students grow closer to their Lord, and preparing them to take a stand for Him. The camp is small, which makes for an ideal setting to build relationships with peers and to learn about Christian

Our name stands for Living In Faith Effectively. We feel there is a need for an effective living out of our faith (James 2:16-26). We want to be an encouragement to children not to conform to the world, but by faith, to live a dynamic, distinctive Christian life (Romans 12:1-2).

We will study how we are to be vessels of honor for God (2 Timothy 2), dedicated our whole lives to His service. Daily activities include a memory verse, morning devotions, biography hour, a Bible lesson, a missionary lesson, evening chapel and cabin devotions.

In addition to many activities geared toward spiritual growth, there will be many fun activities and opportunities to build meaningful friendships. Fun activities include swimming times for the boys and for the girls, games on the field and exploring the creek. Campers will also have a chance to share a talent or to take part in a skit in our annual Talent Show.

We ask that a parent or guardian fill out the camper application/medical release and return it to Life Camp along with a non-refundable deposit of \$30 to reserve your place. The balance is due July 30. The cost will be \$245 for the first child and \$235 for each additional child. Applications received by June 30th receive a \$20 discount per camper. Some scholarships are available. Children may also participate in a fund raiser to raise their own camp fees.

Please detach the reference letter and give it to a pastor or elder at your church to be filled out and returned to us directly. Upon acceptance of your child, we will send you a packet including a list of what to bring, the daily schedule, and directions to Lopez Canyon Conference Center.

If you have any questions, you can call Jake Rothman at (805) 286-6378, or write:

LIFE Camp

P.O. Box 26 Atascadero, CA 93423

"Rules for acceptance and participation in the camp are the same for everyone without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, or handicap".

Camper Application and Medical Release Campers Name: Date of birth (mm/dd/yy): Grade just completed: Male/Female: Phone number: Email: Emergency Contact: Name: Relation: Phone Number: Do you completely agree with our statement of faith? (If not, please specify) Name of church attended: Please list any allergies your child has: Are all shots up to date? List any medications you child takes, including dosages. Please not that all medication must be turned in to the camp nurse at registration, and the nurse will be responsible for administering medication. Please tell us of any health concerns that we should know about. Health Insurance Information: Company name: Phone Number: Policy/Group Number:

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I give permission to the doctor selected by Life Camp to provide treatment for my child if he or she becomes ill or injured at camp. I understand that an effort will be made to contact me should this happen. I release Life Camp and Lopez Canyon Conference Center, their staff and board members from any liability incurred as a result of my child's participation in Life Camp. Life Camp and Lopez Canyon Conference Center are not responsible for any lost, stolen or damaged personal property.

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| Signature: _ | | | | _ | | | | | |
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| Date: | | | | _ | | | | | |
| No child will be allowed to attend Life Camp or to visit the campgrounds during camp without a signed medical release, but parents may decline permission for pictures to be taken. | | | | | | | | | |
| T-Shirt Size (| circle one): | | | | | | | | |
| Youth: | Small | Medium | Large | X-Large | | | | | |
| Adult: | Small | Medium | Large | X-Large | | | | | |

Please have the child write out their testimony of who they came to know Jesus:

Reference Letter

To be completed by a Pastor, Elder, Sunday School Teacher, Youth Worker, or church volunteer

Dear Fellow Christian worker:

We at LIFE Camp strive to create an environment conducive to spiritual growth among Christian youth. We appreciate your willingness to give us some background information on this applicant. Your comments are very important – they will help us to learn how best to minister to this child. They will enable us to to start meeting his/her needs immediately, rather than spending time determining those needs. In order to have a lasting effect upon the children who attend LIFE Camp, we know that follow-up is essential. We ask for your help in this. We cannot follow up on each camper as practically and effectively as their local congregations can. The difference lies in the oppty that you have ministering to these kids all year round, while we are only able to reach out to them for a single week. We ask that you pray for this child and recommend that you ask the child about the camp experience and what was learned.

| Please fill out the following questionnaire and email to <u>jakerothman@lifecampslo.org</u> . |
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| Your Name: |
| Child's Name: |
| What church do you attend? |
| What is your position at that church? |
| Please tell us about the spiritual walk of the child. |
| Are you willing to meet with this child for a follow-up appointment? (This is not necessary for admission.) |
| Do you have any comments that will be helpful to us in ministering to this child? |
| May we contact you for further questions? |