



Camp Canonicus 2018

“...to Sense My Belonging with All God Has Made”

Canonicus Camp and Conference Center
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70 years of life-changing ministry at Canonicus!

Many of you have been part of this ministry over the years. People say that they made their best friends at camp, or they had the best time of their lives at camp. There are many studies and articles that address the measurable results of a camp experience and the positive outcomes. It is our desire to be a partner in your child's development as a whole person.

Spiritual growth comes through Bible study and discussion in small groups and in all camp activities. Physical development comes from lots of walking, swimming, running and just being in nature. We encourage personal growth by playing in small groups, since playing together creates countless teachable moments. Small groups create an opportunity for kids to really get to know each other and negotiate a variety of social situations, together with the guidance of their trained counselor. Parents often comment on the increased confidence and independence in their children after spending a week at Canonicus.

We look forward to serving you and your children this summer!



Day Camp

June 24 - August 12

Ages 5 - 12

\$230 / week

Get ready for some fun! You will enjoy traditional camp activities in a great setting with fun staff. Transportation, lunch program and extended care is available. Please see our website for the details. This program runs each day from 8:45 am - 5 pm, Monday through Friday.

Resident Camp

General Resident Camp

July 1-6/July 8-13/July 15- 20

July 22-27/July 29 – Aug 3

Ages 8 - 15 \$330 / week

Our basic overnight camp is anything but “basic”! Enjoy traditional camp activities, make friends and have a great time!

Aquafun July 1 - 6

Ages 10 - 15 \$390 / week

Spend time at our waterfront, swimming and boating, plus spend a day at a water park. We have amped up this program just for you!

Just The Girls July 1 - 6

Ages 12 - 16 \$365 / week

All the fun of camp with some special activities that will be of interest to the young ladies, as they discover their identity in Christ (possibly through healthy body activities, creative outlets and relationship chats). Please bring something nice to wear to the tea party (pack in a plastic bag to keep it clean).

Just The Guys July 1 - 6

Ages 12 - 16 \$365 / week

All the fun of camp with some special activities that will be of interest to the young men, as they discover their identity in Christ (possibly through guy talk, recreational time and creative outlets). Close out your week with a fun BBQ.

Fellowship Builders July 8 - 13

Ages 11 - 14 \$250 / week

This is an opportunity to blend service with fun! You will spend the morning working together on service projects at Canonicus. The rest of the day belongs to traditional camp activities, such as archery, swimming, boating and ropes course, as well as the other fun activities we have here at camp.

Fishing July 8 – 13

Ages 10 - 15 \$390 / week

Learn to bait and cast and practice on the fish here in Lake Adams. Then take a deep sea fishing trip and see if you can catch a “keeper”! At the end of the week, you should certainly have a story about “the one that got away”!

On My Way July 8 - 13 / July 29 – August

Ages 6 - 8 \$175 / session

This half-week program is great for the new camper to try staying overnight at camp, with the extra supervision they need.

Adventure Camp

Ages 10 – 15

July 15-20

\$390/week

Practice some great outdoor skills and challenge yourself on the high ropes course and rock wall. (both offsite trips)

Archery

Ages 10 - 15

July 15 – 20

\$340 / week

Spend lots of time at our Archery Range, working on your aim and challenging yourself, in addition to other traditional camp activities.

BOLD (Build-Overcome-Learn-Discover) July 22 – 27

Ages 12 - 16

\$365 / week

This week is designed to challenge yourself in a caring, safe, outdoor environment. The week will be led by a coach with 15 years of personal / group training experience and a passion for helping people set and achieve personal goals.

Performance Art

Ages 9 - 16

July 22 – 27

\$365 / week

All the fun of camp and you will also get to exercise your body, voice and imagination. Build increased concentration and cooperation. Get a taste of story development and improvisation. You will also explore dance, design and music. Directors will support beginners and challenge veterans. If you play an instrument, bring it!

Cooking

Ages 10 - 15

July 29 - August 3

\$355 / week

This continues to be a very popular program! You will prepare, enjoy and share great recipes, and have your own customized cookbook to take home with you.

Service

Ages 13 - 16

July 29 - August 3

\$350 / week

A great opportunity to help others and make a difference. There will be service opportunities on and off camp. Check out this program if you would like to learn more about missions **and** enjoy camp.

Junior High Conference

Ages 13 - 15

August 12 – 17

\$330 / week

This is a great week at camp where you will deepen your faith and meet like-minded friends, while enjoying our beautiful camp.

Senior High Conference

Ages 15 - 18

August 12 – 17

\$330 / week

Make friends from all over the state, enjoy being at camp and deepen your faith.



Leadership Development

Day Camp Helpers

Offered all 8 weeks

Ages 13 - 15 \$75 / week

All helpers must participate in orientation on June 26. Helpers will assist with the Day Camp program, sometimes with camper groups and sometimes with programs. Most of the Helpers' time will be spent **working**, but there will be some opportunity to participate in activities.

This program requires an application process for acceptance. Please access the application on our website.

LIT (Leaders In Training)

Offered Weeks 2 – 6

Ages 15 - 18 \$700 for 5 weeks

Leadership calls for a combination of skills, which require a great deal of practice. Our 5 week overnight training program is designed to develop foundational leadership skills, such as communication, teamwork and problem-solving, through discussion, play and practice.

You must participate in all 5 weeks to successfully complete the program and you must complete this program to participate in SIT. An application is required for acceptance into this program.

SIT (Staff In Training)

Offered Weeks 1 - 7

Ages 16 - 18 \$100 / week

Spend the summer putting your LIT training into practice. Being an integral part of the staffing team, you will get to work in all the different program areas and with all staff, getting your feet wet in what camp is all about.

You must have completed LIT and you must participate in orientation on June 25. Then you can choose which weeks you will attend.



Camp Canonicus Registration Form - please print clearly

Camper Name: _____

Camper Birth Date: ___/___/___ Gender: _____ Grade Completed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Church affiliation (if any): _____

Parent / Guardian Name(s) _____

Please complete the information below. Use a separate line for each program.

We will **try** to honor one groupmate per request for campers in the same program and same approximate age.

Program: _____ Date: _____

\$ _____ Groupmate request: _____

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\$ _____ Groupmate request: _____

***Day Campers Only**

Extended Care (\$35/week) \$ _____

Lunch Program (\$20/week) \$ _____

Yes, I want my child to receive lunch provided by camp.

A \$75 non-refundable deposit must be submitted with this form for each week of camp.

Total \$ _____

If you have been approved for financial assistance from your church or agency:

Name of church or agency providing assistance:

Authorized signature from church or agency:

_____ Award Amount: \$ _____

I **do not** want photos taken of my child to be used in promotional materials or displayed on the Canonicus website.

Our camp is now peanut-free. Does your child have any food allergies? Yes No

Payment Method: Check (payable to ABCORI)

Credit Card (check one) Visa MasterCard Amex Discover

Amount to charge: \$ _____

Credit Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Signature: _____