

## After-School and Summer Camp

"From the lips of children and infants you have ordained praise." Psalm 8:2

## Summer Camp 2023

Policies & Procedures
Parent Handbook

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# Daily Schedule (Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 6:30am - 6:30pm)

Early Morning Care (Coloring/Activity Pages/Gym)
Morning Snack/Reading
Block Rotations (Craft/Gym/Outside/Class Activity)
Lunch (Nutritious Packed Lunch from Home)
Worship/Lesson/Music
Movie/Rest Time
Block Rotations (Gym/Outside/Class Activity)
Afternoon Snack/Reading
Block Rotations (Gym/Outside/Class Activity)
Evening Care (Gym/Activity Pages/Art)

Our schedules change as we add special activities/field trips or make adjustments for the weather.

## Calendar for Summer Camp 2023

THE FIRST DAY OF SUMMER CAMP IS MAY 30, 2023. THE LAST DAY OF SUMMER CAMP IS July 28, 2023.

Planet 82 will be <u>closed</u> on Tuesday, July 4, 2023 in observance of Independence Day.

### Registration Requirements:

- Registration Form (submit through Sandbox online)
- \$125.00 Registration Fee per child for Summer Camp
- Current Immunization Record
- Emergency Information Form
- Medical Release Form
- Medication & Authorization for Medication Form (if needed)

## Summer Camp Tuition

- \$150/week 1 child
- \$140/week each additional sibling
- Tuition is due on Monday of the week of care.
- Late Payment Fee \$10

## Early Drop Off/Late Pick Up Fees

- Early Drop Off Fee \$1/minute
- Late Pick Up Up Fee \$1/minute

Summer Camp is 9 weeks long. You have 1 week of vacation time that you do not have to pay tuition. If you use more than 1 week, you will still need to pay the weekly tuition for the time your child is absent.

## Payments are due by each Monday of the week of care.

Credit/Debit/ACH payments can be submitted through your parent portal. Cash/Check payments can be made by visiting the front office.

In order to hold your child's spot, your account must stay current.

The fee for a returned check is \$25.00 per check. If we receive more than 2 returned checks on an account, cash will be required.

#### Early Drop Off/Late Pick-up

This fee is for any time prior to 6:30am and past 6:30pm. It will be \$1.00 per minute.

#### Medications

Please let us know if your child needs to receive prescription medication during the time that he/she is with us. We will not dispense medicine without a completed medication form. Medication should be brought in by the parent in the original, non-breakable container marked clearly with the child's name, name of medication, and dosage your child needs. Over the counter medications will <u>not</u> be given.

#### Accidents/Emergencies

In case of accident or injury, you will be notified immediately. In the event that we are unable to reach you or your designated emergency contacts, your child will be taken to the nearest designated facility for initial emergency care. In the event of an accident, we will call 911 for immediate assistance.

## Drop Off/Pick Up

Only a parent, guardian, or authorized person on your child's registration form may sign out your child. A student cannot sign out another student. We will only release your child to someone who is currently on your pick up list. If you need to make other arrangements, you can provide it in writing, phone call, email, or fax using your child's personal security code you provided on the application.

#### Lunch/Snacks

Your child is required to bring his/her own lunch each full day. This lunch should be a cold lunch. Reheating items will not be allowed by state law. Be sure to pack a nutritious lunch with a drink. A morning snack and afternoon snack will be provided each day. We have a daily schedule of the snacks we will be serving. If your child does not eat that snack or needs more to eat, please put something extra in the lunch box.

#### Items From Home

Your child should not bring money, toys, games, stuffed animals, cell phones, electronics or any type of gadgets to Planet 82.

#### Down Time

Your child will be provided a mat to rest on. You will need to provide a blanket or beach towel for your child. No pillows or pillow pets are allowed because of a potential lice problem. These will need to be brought from home on Monday and taken home each Friday to be washed.

## Water Days And Field Trips

"Water Days" may be scheduled during the summer. Please remember on Water Days to send swimsuit, t-shirt to cover swimsuit, towel, sunscreen and dry clothes. If your child does not bring swim clothes, he/she cannot get wet. We are planning a few field trips. We will wear our Planet 82 t-shirts on all of our trips. Your child will be transported by church bus to the field trip location. A form for each trip will need to be signed and on file at Planet 82 to be able to ride the bus.

#### Dress Code For Summer Camp And Full Days

Students are expected to dress appropriately at Planet 82. We will be playing indoors and outdoors each day. Please be sure to send your child in clothes that can get dirty. Shorts must be an appropriate length of 3 inches from the top of the knee (no short shorts) and tops should cover the torso and not be low-cut. If students are not dressed appropriately, they will be asked to change clothes. NO flip flops except on Water Days.

#### Discipline

We will use clear instruction and positive reinforcement to encourage appropriate behavior. There may be times, however, when discipline for inappropriate behavior is necessary. Discipline will not be associated with food, rest, or restroom privileges. No physical form of corporal punishment will be administered by Planet 82 staff. Extreme discipline problems will be referred to the Director. The rules for Planet 82 are based on values that are important for children to learn.

## The values are as follows:

- ♣ The Value of LOVE Love God with all your heart and love those around you as you do yourself. Treat people with kindness and mercy, just like you want to be treated!
- ♣ The Value of RESPONSIBILITY Take care of your domain (classroom, personal belongings, etc...) by being neat and organized. Treat the planet God made with respect and Planet 82 with respect!
- **★**The Value of OBEDIENCE Obey your leaders and the rules of Planet 82.
- ♣ The Value of WISDOM Learning and growing at Planet 82 by cultivating the ten character qualities that will help your child thrive at Planet 82, at school, in your home and in all of life!

## Cultivating Kid's Character

- **♥ GROWING IN OBEDIENCE** Obedience is doing what **I**'m told to do, when **I**'m told to do it, with a right heart attitude.
- **▼** GROWING IN ATTENTIVENESS Attentiveness is listening with my ears, eyes and heart.
- **▼** GROWING IN SELF CONTROL Self Control is keeping my mind, mouth and movements from going in bad directions.
- **♥** GROWING IN DILIGENCE Diligence is working hard to accomplish a task.
- **▼** GROWING IN WISDOM Wisdom is aiming my life toward what God says is the right direction.
- **♥** GROWING IN KINDNESS Kindness is treating people with love and respect.
- **▼** GROWING IN FORGIVENESS Forgiveness is responding to hurtful people in loving ways.
- **▼** GROWING IN HONESTY Honesty is communicating with truthful words and in truthful ways.
- **▼** GROWING IN LOVE Love is sacrificing myself for the good of others.
- **▼** GROWING IN WORSHIP Worship is celebrating the glory of God by loving King Jesus with all my might.

#### The rules are as follows:

- Do not stray from your group without permission from your leader.
- Do not run in the halls.
- Do not use corrupt communication (foul language, cruel language, dirty jokes, etc...)
- Do not touch or take other people's belongings without asking.
- Do not talk when your leader is talking.
- Do not do anything to hurt (physically or verbally) or scare another student at Planet 82.
- Do not harm the church property in any way.

## The following consequences will be enforced if the rules are broken:

- 1st Warning
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Time out During regular gym or playtime.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Time out in office with Director
- 4<sup>th</sup> Phone call to parents The Director will phone the parent and explain the situation. Parent will speak with the child and then the Director to determine if the child needs to be picked up immediately or removed from the normal activities of Planet 82. If the child remains at Planet 82, he/she will take part in a special project (service project or character-aimed writing project) for the remainder of the day.

#### **MORE SERIOUS SITUATIONS:**

If a student physically harms another student during Planet 82, the student will <u>immediately</u> be taken to the office.

- The Director will interview the teachers and students involved.
- The parents of all involved will be contacted.
- The Director will schedule a parent/director meeting to discuss the consequences.
   Depending on the severity of the aggression, the student may be suspended from Planet
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THE GOOD NEWS OF KING JESUS IS THE ULTIMATE POWER OF GOD FOR OUR RESCUE!

The Good News is the story of King Jesus. Even though He was and is the Son of God, He came to earth on a rescue mission as a Jewish man just over 2,000 years ago.

He came to fix a really big problem that we started. Because mad decided to rebel against what God told them to do (we call this sin), everything in the world has been blinded and broken by the power of sin which always ends in the darkness of death!

Jesus came as the true light of the world because He lived His life in perfect SELF CONTROL in the face of every temptation, complete OBEDIENCE to His Father's commands and humble KINDNESS toward men, women and children! Then Jesus defeated the power of sin by the greatest act of LOVE the world has ever known – His voluntary death on a cross for us. He defeated the power of death when He rose from the grave and won the FORGIVENESS of God for all people who call upon the name of King Jesus!

He is the true King of the World and He will one day return from His heavenly throne and set everything right. One day every knee will bow to Him in WORSHIP! King Jesus invites everyone to believe in Him and turn from sin and live with ATTENTIVENESS to everything He says in His Word to us – the Bible!

Trusting in the WORK of Jesus (not doing good things to win God's favor) is the only way back into a good standing with God and a life of WISDOM rather than waste. We SPEAK THE TRUTH of the news of what Jesus has done for us because the amazing story of King Jesus changes everything in our lives and one day in the whole world!

We invite you to join us any Sunday for Equipping Hour and Worship.
Our services begin at 9:30am for Equipping Hour and 10:45am for Worship.
We have an awesome children's program for all ages.
You and your family are always welcome!