Northwest Texas Conference Camping

Dear Camper and Parent/Guardian:

This letter confirms your registration to attend the following summer camp:

ONE WAY MID HIGH ADVANCE 6/8

BUTMAN METHODIST CAMP 158 County Road 674 Merkel, TX 79536 325-846-4212

A fine staff of dedicated Christian adults is planning an enjoyable and enriching experience for your camper. We will also offer the Zip-Line & Rock Wall this year. There is a \$5 fee for each that is not included in the camper registration fee. Be sure to bring tennis shoes and an extra \$5 for each element. Please phone your camper only in an emergency. Please do not allow campers to bring cell phones. In an emergency, we will make every effort to contact you regarding your camper.

Camper Arrival Time: Monday, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Please do not arrive before 11:30 a.m.

Camper Departure Time: Friday between 11:00-11:30 a.m. *There will be no lunch served on Friday. Please make transportation arrangements accordingly.*

<u>Camper Letters</u>: Since camp is only for a brief time during a campers summer, we encourage campers to focus on their relationship with God and to try and connect with Him while out at camp. So, any and all letters mailed or emailed to your camper during their week camp will be given all at once on Friday morning.

<u>Camper Photos:</u> Butman Methodist Camp will be posting pictures to our **FACEBOOK** page daily. Just click on your camps photo album to view camper's pictures taken during camp activities. Parents/Guardians may opt out of pictures of their camper(s); this will need to be expressed to the camp director at check-in registration.

What To Bring: bedroll, blanket, pillow, towel, washcloth, soap, shampoo, toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, bible, pen & paper, Modest swimsuit (2 piece girls bring t-shirt), sunscreen, flashlight & extra batteries, appropriate sleep wear, mosquito repellent, reusable water container or case of water, suitable outdoor clothing - warm days/cool nights (put your name on your gear), spending money for snacks and T-shirts (see enclosed sheet for Camp Store items and prices) and also we will be taking an offering each night. Please bring at least one set of clothes you don't mind getting wet and or muddy and lastly,

<u>DO NOT BRING:</u> CELL PHONES, fireworks, roller blades, stereos, CD Players, MP3 Players, or other electronic devices.

<u>The Camp Directors will hold any type of camera. Campers may use them with adult supervision.</u> Please do not bring food to the camp. It attracts flies, ants, and mice-no fun to sleep with.

For Further Information Contact Butman Camp Registrar at (325) 846-4212	
Detach and Bring With You to Camp Transportation Permission If Other Than Parent/Legal Guardian	
Camper's Name:	
List name of person(s) approved to transport your youth home from camp:	
Parent/Guardian's Signature:	_

Medical Exclusions

An ill camper cannot be accepted for a camping event. If on the day of camp one or more of the following exist, please do not bring your camper to camp.

- The illness prevents the camper from participating comfortably in camping activities.
- The illness results in a greater need for care than the staff can provide without compromising the health, safety, and supervision of the other campers.
- The camper has any of the following:
 - Temperature of 100 F or higher; Armpit temperature 99 F or higher
 - AND has behavioral changes or other signs and symptoms of illness until medical evaluation indicates that the camper can be included in camping activities OR
 - Symptoms and signs of severe illness, such as:
 - o Lethargy
 - o H1N1 Virus
 - o Difficulty breathing
 - o Uncontrolled Diarrhea (2 or more loose, watery stools in 24 hours)
 - o Vomiting illness (2 or more episodes in 24 hours)
 - o Rash with fever
 - o Mouth sores with drooling
 - o Head lice
 - o Wheezing
 - Behavior change or other unusual signs
 UNTIL medical evaluation indicates that the camper can be included in camping activities, or
 - The camper has been diagnosed with a communicable disease, UNTIL
 medical evaluation indicates that the camper is no longer contagious and is
 able to be included in camping activities.

