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Where fun-filled memories are teachable moments that shape the character and the soul.

Dear Parents,

Character is:

Honesty

Hard Work

Kindness

Forgiveness

Teachableness

Courage

Respect

Responsibility

Teamwork

Self-control

Gratitude

Self-esteem

Millions of dedicated parents just like yourself envision the future their children deserve – visions of health, success and happiness. No one should have to watch a child grow up with anything less than the brightest hope, the best mentoring and world-class character education. The well-trained counselors at Character Camp truly understand. We are dedicated parents and professional teachers ourselves. We have been ‘building better kids’ for more than 30 years. We are a nationally acclaimed organization! We have a perfect record of safety and countless stories of real accomplishment. You can put your child on the path to genuine success. And you can turn a successful child into a confident leader and mentor.

Go online right now to www.charactercamp.net. Download our free brochure on ‘Seven Keys to Transformed Kids’ and sign your child up today for the summer retreat before all space is gone. Confidence will soar. Character will improve. Academic interest will spike. New, positive friendships will be formed. Kids who don’t get this kind of program are the kids who may be left behind. No child should have to settle for less.

The Leadership Retreat will be held on July 1st to July 6th, 2019. Our location of choice is the very popular and beautiful Trinity Pines in Trinity, Texas. It will be a wonderful time of personal growth, new friends and rich fellowship. **Your child’s safety is always our number one priority.** Our counselors are hand-picked heroes, chosen from a waiting list of champions who are eager to sacrifice for children. They are child protection certified, background checked and well-trained. We have an experienced medical staff who will be travelling with us and caring for your children.

We anticipate all space will be sold out again; therefore, we advise parents to sign their kids up quickly. Please go to our website at www.charactercamp.net. When you hover your mouse pointer over the Summer Programs tab up top, you will get a drop-down menu. Scroll down to SUMMER YOUTH RETREATS and then left click. To pay your \$100 deposit, click on the red text that says **<Click Here To Pay>**. Don’t forget to print the **PARENTS RETREAT PACKAGE** and fill out the forms and return them either in person or to the Character Camp Post Office box by June 15th. We will make sure every payment is properly credited to your child.

The Packing List and additional information can be downloaded from our website. **Our youth leadership retreats are the best of the best!** Kids learn a lot, they grow a lot and of course, they have tons and tons of fun and excitement in a very safe and very caring environment!

For the Savior and His children,

Arthur O. Davidson

"We Work Wonders With Kids!"

How To Sign Up By Mail

Fill out the attached forms, attach your payment and mail medical form and payment to:

**Character Camp
P.O. Box 841605
Pearland, Texas 77584**

FORMS MUST BE RECEIVED BY JUNE 15TH TO BE PROCESSED ON TIME.

All checks should be made payable to Character Camp.

You can also make your retreat payment on line at www.charactercamp.net

All campers **must** be between the ages of 6 and 18 to attend the retreats.

Our partner church for student pickup and student drop-off is:

**First John Church
5205 South Acres Drive
Houston, Texas 77048**

Drop off is July 1, 2019 at 12 PM

Pick up is July 6, 2019 at 1 PM

Do NOT mail forms or payments to the church—it is NOT a secure mailbox.

If you have questions, please call Cherith at 832-235-4260 or Eunice at 281-413-7813 or Arthur at 832-776-3377. You can also reach Arthur or Cherith at 1-844-OUR-CAMP.



Fun Classes At Camp

In addition to all the fun and excitement of camp, parents can now also choose thrilling focus areas for their kids at Character Camp. The classes are free. These high-energy, high-impact classes are based on the “I CAN” learning method developed by the educators at Character Camp. I CAN stands for:

Interactive – Students are drawn into the learning experience and become effective collaborators in the educational process. To make learning engaging and interesting, Character Camp creates a climate for continuous confident participation.

Coaching – Teaching focuses more on developing the intellect while coaching focuses more on developing the individual (as a whole person). The Character Camp learning environment is kept free of tension.

And – Most importantly...

Networking –Students learn to function as a team. Students supportively help hold each other accountable for conduct and performance, creating a self-correcting culture of excellence.

Please Mark Your First Choice With A “1” And Your Backup Choice With A “2”.

- ☐ **Aviation Amazement!** Students will learn about aerodynamics and get actual flight training on a real airplane simulator! They will taxi down the runway, take off and soar over southeast Texas using ultra-realistic Lockheed Martin, professional grade simulation that will knock your socks off!
- ☐ **CSI!** If you have ever wanted your child to fall in love with analytical thinking, you may want to sign them up for the new **Crime Scene Investigation** class taught by a professional detective! Not gory or scary, but definitely interesting all week long as they put the puzzle pieces together to solve the crime scene mystery using actual tools of the trade!
- ☐ **Robot Rave!** Students will have a ton of fun learning about robotic engineering and helping to assemble and operate robots in a real competition against peers!
- ☐ **Electronic Love!** Students will be amazed as they learn how electronics works. They get to build creative electronic circuits that perform real tasks right before their eyes!
- ☐ **Physical Fitness Fun!** This is not school P.E.! This is an adrenaline rush from start to finish!! Learning from a certified coach how to do energetic exercises and manage nutrition will be so entertaining! Guaranteed – high-energy dancing, game playing and kick boxing (non-contact) will leave them asking for more!!
- ☐ **Dance!** Taught by a professional dancer/actress, this is high-energy, heart thumping fun that builds self-confidence in front of an audience and lasting positive friendships with fellow stage members.
- ☐ **Computer Coding!** Yes, it all fun and excitement as students compete in teams to build the best video game by the end of the week! Students gain real programming skills that are transferrable to any industry that uses computer coding. In this technological age, this is a must!
- ☐ **Arts & Crafts!** Students will explore their creative side in new and fun ways as they create cool projects under the guidance of very imaginative instructors!

SPACE IS LIMITED AND CLASSES ARE ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS.

Birth Date:

Child's Name:

Character Camp ~ Leadership Retreat 2019

MEDICAL/PERMISSION AND RELEASE FORM

CHILD'S NAME _____ SEX _____ BIRTH DATE _____ T-Shirt Sz. _____
FATHER'S NAME _____ MOTHER'S NAME _____
ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
MOM CELL NUMBER _____ DAD CELL NUMBER _____
MOM E-MAIL _____ DAD E-MAIL _____

IN EMERGENCY NOTIFY: _____ PHONE _____

FAMILY PHYSICIAN _____ PHONE _____

MEDICAL INSURER _____ POLICY # _____

IMMUNIZATIONS: ☐ TETANUS ☐ MENINGITIS ☐ VARICELLA ☐ MEASLES ☐ MUMPS ☐ RUBELLA
☐ HEPATITIS A/B ☐ OTHER: _____

ALLERGIES

List Allergen and Reaction *Ex: Peanuts- Shortness of breath*

Has Your Child Had A Fever or Taken Antibiotics Within The Last Seven Days? Yes _____ No _____

MEDICAL HISTORY (Check all that apply)

☐ Asthma ☐ Seasonal Allergies ☐ Eczema ☐ Kidney Trouble ☐ Diabetes ☐ Heart Trouble
☐ Dizziness ☐ Stomach upset ☐ Other _____

Previous surgeries or serious illnesses _____

Special diet (name): _____

Childhood diseases: ☐ Chickenpox ☐ Measles ☐ Mumps ☐ Whooping Cough

Other (list): _____

RELEASE FOR PARTICIPATION, MEDICAL TREATMENT AND PHOTO

My permission is granted for Character Camp and its affiliates, including their chaperones and staff in charge to obtain necessary medical attention in case of sickness or injury to my child. I understand this is also an authorization for blood transfusions if deemed necessary by proper medical authorities.

I, the undersigned, do hereby verify that I am a custodial parent or legal guardian of the above named child and that the above information is correct and complete and I do hereby release and forever discharge all sponsors, Character Camp and its affiliates from any and all claims, demands, actions or cause of action, past, present or future arising out of any damage or injury to my child while my child is employed by or participating in any activities involving Character Camp and/or its affiliates. I understand all payments are final and no refunds will be given.

I hereby grant Character Camp permission to record and to use the likeness of my child named above in audio recording and both still and motion photography in any and all of its publications, including website entries, without payment or any other consideration. I understand and agree that these materials are the property solely of Character Camp and will not be returned. I hereby irrevocably authorize Character Camp and its representatives to edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish or distribute such audio recordings and photography for purposes of publicizing Character Camp's programs or for any other lawful purpose. In addition, I waive the right to inspect or approve the finished product, including written or electronic copy, wherein my child's likeness appears. Additionally, I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising from or related to the use of the audio recording, photograph or video. I hereby hold harmless and release and forever discharge Character Camp and its representatives from all claims, demands, and causes of action which I, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators, or any other persons acting on my behalf or on behalf of my estate or on behalf of my child have or may have by reason of this authorization.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20____.

State of _____ County of _____

Custodial Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name _____

Custodial Parent/Legal Guardian Signature _____



Registration & Release Form 2019

4341 FM 356 • Trinity, TX 75862 • 936-594-5011 • www.trinitypines.org
All Campers and Sponsors Must Complete Form

Dates at TPCC: ____/____/____ to ____/____/____

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete the Registration form in its entirety for each person attending. All requested information is applicable.
Type or print legibly in dark ink.

Name: _____
First Middle Last Suffix (indicate name used)

Mailing Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Birth Date: ____/____/____ Age: _____ Sex: (M/F) _____ Home Phone: (____) _____
Mo. Day Year

Name of Church or Group with whom you are attending: _____ City: _____ State: _____

If attendee is a minor:

Parent / Guardian: _____ Relation to Camper: _____

Parent / Guardian Phone #: Daytime (____) _____ Evening (____) _____ Other (____) _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Diseases, Chronic or Recurring Illness (such as diabetes, asthma, seizures): _____

Allergies (food, medications, insect sting, other) _____

By signing below, I give permission for the Camp Health Supervisor to give the following over-the-counter medication in accordance with standard label directions: acetaminophen, ibuprofen, antihistamine, decongestant, cough medicine, anti-nausea, anti-diarrheal, and antibacterial ointment.

Exceptions: _____

If parent cannot be reached in an emergency, please contact:

Name: _____ Phone #: _____ Relation to Camper: _____

Name: _____ Phone #: _____ Relation to Camper: _____

AGREEMENT TO ATTEND, PARTICIPATE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND LIABILITY WAIVER

I, and my parents or legal guardian (if a minor), am/are fully informed about and aware that during my stay at Trinity Pines Conference Center, Trinity, TX, also known as Trinity Pines, certain risks and dangers will occur. These include, but are not limited to, the hazards that arise from being in a wilderness area, the forces of nature and other hazards arising out of the content of this program which include, but are not limited to, volleyball, soccer, softball, basketball, archery, wilderness hiking, swimming, use of watercrafts, and a challenge course which has a climbing wall, zip lines, high and low elements, and a team power pole. In consideration of Trinity Pines providing and my willingness to engage in these rigorous activities and a special environment, I have and do hereby hold Trinity Pines its owners, officers, directors, trustees, agents, employees, and/or volunteers, harmless from any and all claims, liabilities, suits, actions, causes, damages or losses and demands of every kind and nature whatsoever, including without limitation, all costs and attorney's fees, which may arise from or in connection with my stay or participation in any activities arranged for me by my organization or my group leaders or Trinity Pines. Injuries may include, but are not limited to, emotional injuries, physical injuries, or death. The terms hereby shall serve as a release and assumption of risk for me, my heirs, executors, administrators, and for all members of my family. I authorize the use of my or my child's photograph or video on the Trinity Pines website or brochures for camp updates and communication. I certify that I/my child are current on required immunizations, or are exempt from immunization requirements for reasons of conscience.

In case of an accident or illness, I authorize first aid/medical personnel to examine, treat, or administer medications for any illness or injury to myself or my child as deemed necessary. In the event of an emergency involving my child and if I cannot be reached by telephone, I authorize such persons to obtain any medical care (including hospitalization, injection, anesthesia, and surgery) from a licensed, certified, or authorized health care provider for my child as deemed necessary. I accept sole responsibility for the payment of any medical care for me or my child. I hereby release, indemnify and hold harmless Trinity Pines, its owners, officers, directors, trustees, agents, employees, and/or volunteers, from and against any and all claims, liabilities, or damages arising from any act, omission, negligence, or gross negligence of any such health care provider or of Trinity Pines, its agents, and employees.

I expressly agree that this release, waiver, and indemnity agreement is intended to be broad and inclusive as permitted by the law of the State of Texas and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect. This release contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto and the terms of this release are contractual and not a mere recital.

I further state that I **HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND KNOW THE CONTENTS THEREOF AND I SIGN THIS RELEASE AS MY OWN FREE ACT.** This is a legally binding agreement, which I have read and have understood.

X

Camper Signature

Date

X

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature (if minor)

Date

MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION FORM

(Accompanies All Medications)

All medications must be accompanied by this authorization form and given to the church contact person who will be responsible for bringing all medication and forms to the TPCC office for review by our Medical Staff.

- Place all medications in a large Ziploc bag with your child's name and church name.
- Prescriptions must be in the original container with the campers' name and the current dosage.
- No medication will be given unless they are in original containers per Texas Department of State Health Services.
- If your child/youth requires an asthma inhaler or antidote for insect bites or allergies (prescribed by doctor) have them bring at least two (2) to camp. The medication must be registered with our Medical Staff. One (1) will be kept and closely guarded by camper and one (1) given to the Medical Staff. Similar special cases must be discussed with the Medical Staff.

TPCC staff request that you **do not** send over-the-counter medications (i.e. Tylenol, Ibuprofen, Benadryl, etc). These types of medications are provided by TPCC).

Name: _____ Birth date: ____/____/____ Age: ____ Sex: ____ Male ____ Female

Church Name: _____ Church City & State: _____

☐ As the parent or legal guardian of the above-named child, I give my permission to the Trinity Pines Medical Staff to administer as prescribed by law the listed below medication to my child.

X

Parents/Guardian Signature

Date

(____) _____
Daytime Phone #

(____) _____
Evening Phone #

OR

☐ As an Adult Camper/ Sponsor/Staff, I give my permission to the Trinity Pines Medical Staff to administer as prescribed by law the listed below medication to me during my stay at Trinity Pines Conference Center.

X

Adult Camper / Sponsor/Staff

Date

| Medication | Form (tablet, capsule, liquid, inhaler) | Dosage (amount to be given) | Frequency (how often) | Purpose | Comment or Special Instructions |
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If necessary, make additional copies of this blank Medication Form in order to provide requested information for each medication.

SUMMER LEADERSHIP RETREAT PACKING LIST

*****Label everything- please put your camper's name on clothes, shoes, towels, everything!**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Favorite snacks | <input type="checkbox"/> Bible (modern translation) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Table games, cards, dominoes | <input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Toothbrush, toothpaste & floss | <input type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen (at least 15 SPF) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Modest Swimsuits (No girls' 2-piece, no Tankinis, no cleavage, no midriff) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed medication (In original pharmacy package) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hat/cap <u>(no doo-rags)</u> | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Belt (snug fitting) | <input type="checkbox"/> Shower cap |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Big smile | <input type="checkbox"/> Shampoo |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bath Soap & Deodorant | <input type="checkbox"/> Insect repellent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lotion | <input type="checkbox"/> Twin bed sheets |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Comb & hair care products | <input type="checkbox"/> Twin bed blanket |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis shoes | <input type="checkbox"/> Pillow & pillow case |
| <input type="checkbox"/> T-shirts (8) (Any text or images must be positive) | <input type="checkbox"/> Eye glasses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Walking shorts (8) (no shorts above mid thigh, no tight form-fitting garments) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Underwear (10) | <input type="checkbox"/> Re-usable Water Bottle |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athletic socks (10) | <input type="checkbox"/> Laundry Bag |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bath towel (2) | <input type="checkbox"/> Pajamas or sleep wear (2) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Washcloth (2) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shower shoes ("flip-flops" are not to be worn for outdoor activities—they break too often and offer too little protection for the feet, resulting in unnecessary injuries.) | |

} Or Bring
Sleeping Bag
Instead of Linen

*****Label everything- please put your camper's name on clothes, shoes, towels, camera, everything!**

Items not to bring to camp

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|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Cell phones, ipads | Squirt guns |
| Portable listening devices | Airsoft guns |
| Portable viewing device/t.v. | Alcohol, tobacco, illegal drugs |
| Weapons of any kind | Fireworks |
| Video games | Pets |
| Valuables | Chewing Gum |
| Sagging pants | Stuff you can't take to school |
| Doo rags | Spaghetti Straps |
| Computing devices | Tight tank tops / Crop tops |
| Walking Tights | |

ALL CELL PHONES AND ELECTRONICS WILL BE COLLECTED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE TRIP AND RETURNED AT THE END OF THE TRIP. CHAPERONES WILL HAVE CELL PHONES IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.