

Young Disciple Youth Bible Camp



CAMPER INFORMATION BOOKLET

**SUMMER
2012**



Dear Camper,

We are glad you have chosen to be a part of the Young Disciple Youth Bible Camp program. The enclosed information should answer your questions about what to bring, when to arrive, and other important details.

Be sure to go over the Class Descriptions starting on page 10. These will help you fill out the enclosed Class Selection Sheet, and will help you know what to bring for your classes. Please list your choices on the sheet and return it to us as soon as possible. Remember: The sooner you respond, the more likely you will be able to get your first choices.

We will not be making the unit assignments until a few days before camp. At that time, we will have a season of prayer, asking God to guide us in our choices. If you have made a particular request, we will try to honor it, but you shouldn't set your heart on a particular unit, counselor, or unit mate.

Please keep track of this information booklet. It contains information that you will want to refer to many times before camp.

If you have any questions not answered by this booklet, please call or write to us at the camp office.

See you at camp!

Jed Ewert
Camp Director



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GENERAL INFORMATION

CONTACT INFORMATION

Camp Phone: (509) 722-4300*

Fax Number: (509) 722-4304

E-mail: ydcamp@youngdisciple.com

Physical Address:

51 FDR Lake Road
Inchelium, WA 99138

Mailing Address:

PO Box 400
Inchelium, WA 99138

*Please read the "Phone Calls & E-mail" section before placing a call.

REGISTRATION: 2–4 PM, JULY 15 OR 22

Please, no requests for early registration. Our staff will be involved in other duties until the announced registration time. First meal served will be Sunday evening supper.

CAMPER PICKUP: 10–11 AM, JULY 22 OR 29

Campers must be picked up by 11 AM. **Please be prompt!** Although no lunch will be served to departing campers, sack lunches can be purchased for \$3.00. **NOTE:** If someone other than the authorized person listed on the application form will pick up the camper, a written authorization signed by the parent must be presented. Those picking up campers must present a photo ID.

CAMP CODES

The camp codes should be respected and followed, not as a moral judgment, but as a way to facilitate a meaningful and organized camp experience in which participants will be better able to focus on strengthening a closer walk with the Lord.

- * Your counselor must know where you are at all times.
- * Food is absolutely not permitted in camper lodgings. NO GUM CHEWING.
- * No wading or swimming at anytime outside of supervised recreation activities.
- * During the day you will have many opportunities to talk with your friends. Please, no visiting or note-passing during worships or classes.
- * Verbal or physical abuse to others is not tolerated. This includes tripping, pushing, annoying, teasing, or throwing things at another person.

- ✱ Campers will be expected to make full restitution for any destruction of property.
- ✱ Food-fighting or horseplay is unacceptable behavior.
- ✱ Campers are expected to eat the food they take.
- ✱ Knives and/or tools brought for specific classes should be used for that purpose only.
- ✱ We encourage the formation of true Christ-centered friendships. Please remember that the most important reason for YD Camp is to help deepen your relationship with your Friend, Jesus. Exclusive and/or intense friendships are not permitted.
- ✱ Appropriate camp attire:
 - Girls:** Everyday wear for most camp activities should be *modest* skirts, dresses or jumpers. Skirts should cover the knee when standing or sitting, and allow a full stride when walking. Slits must end *below* the knee. Low-cut, see-through, tight, or sleeveless tops are not appropriate. Tops must be long enough to cover bare skin when reaching or bending over. For designated activities, *fingertip-length* shirts or tunics over pants are acceptable. No makeup or nail polish.
 - Guys:** Shirts should be tucked in. Hats should not be worn backwards or sideways, and should be removed inside a building and for all prayers.
 - Both:** Bring sturdy clothing and shoes that will hold up to camp activity and dusty conditions. No shorts, tank tops, sleeveless items, or jewelry. No questionable or suggestive messages on clothing. Bring casual dress clothes for the Friday evening meal and for Sabbath. Ties for young men are appropriate but not mandatory. Be sure to pack warm clothes and a jacket for cool mornings and evenings.
- ✱ All inter-camp mail messages should be written on a Camp-O-Gram or other similarly-sized card. All messages must be unsealed, should be uplifting and encouraging, and should not be directed to campers or counselors of the opposite gender.
- ✱ Deliberate disobedience and a defiant attitude have no place at Young Disciple Youth Bible Camp.

CAMP BANK

To facilitate shopping in the Camp Store and to avoid potential loss, campers are advised to deposit their cash in the "Camp Bank." They can draw upon this as needed. Any balance remaining will be refunded on the closing day of camp.

CAMP STORE

The Camp Store contains a number of camp-related items, including T-shirts, water bottles, batteries, flashlights, memo pads, pens, and class-related books and supplies. Suggested spending money is \$25–\$50.

CANCELLATIONS

Camp space is limited, and we are expecting each camper that is accepted. Once the camp is full, we will have to refuse any further applications. A last-minute cancellation is unfair to those that may have been denied admission. **If a cancellation is necessary, please notify the camp office immediately so other campers can be given the opportunity to come.** Refunds of camp fees cannot be made after camp begins.

FAMILY LODGING

At this time, lodging and camping facilities are not available on the camp premises for non-staff family members. The camp office maintains a list of camping sites, hotels, and cabins in the area.

FOOD

Camp food is vegetarian, dairy-free, and low in refined sugars and fats. Campers with food allergies or sensitivities must take personal responsibility to avoid such items. Anyone needing to bring specialized food items to accommodate their dietary needs must clear this *in advance* with camp administration. **No food items may be stored in camper lodgings.**

FRIENDSHIP FEASTS

A highlight of the camp is the weekly “Friendship Feast.” Appropriate attire for the Friendship Feast is nice Sabbath clothing. Optionally, campers may dress according to the theme of the meal. Themes are as follows:

Outdoors: Hawaiian

Missions/Music: International (clothing from other countries and cultures)

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Qualified medical personnel will be on the premises to insure camper safety. Emergency medical care is located in nearby Inchelium. In the event of a medical emergency, the camper’s guardians will be notified as soon as possible.

LAUNDRY FACILITIES

No public laundry facilities are available. Each camper should bring enough clothing to last for the entire week. Laundry service will be provided at the end of the first week of camp for those staying for both weeks of camp (*camper’s name should be clearly marked on each clothing item*).

MAIL CALL

During camp, young people especially appreciate mail from home. We encourage family and friends to send mail often and early. Mail to:

Name of camper
C/O Young Disciple Youth Bible Camp
PO Box 400
Inchelium, WA 99138

Please do not send food, candy, or other restricted items.

PHONE CALLS & E-MAIL

CAMPER PHONES/ELECTRONICS: Camp is a place to make friends, enjoy nature, and learn about God. To help achieve these goals, we ask that electronic devices such as cell phones, games, computers, and media players be left at home or turned over to the camp for safekeeping till the end of camp. If a camper has a genuine need to place a call, it will be done in the camp office under the supervision of their counselor.

PARENT CALLS: Parents needing to contact a camper should call the camp office at 509-722-4300. Campers are generally not able to come to the phone unless there is a true emergency, but camp staff will gladly take a message for a camper. Messages may also be sent via fax or E-mail.

INTERNET/E-MAIL: Campers will not have E-mail access during camp, however messages sent to ydcamp@youngdisciple.com with the camper's name in the subject line will be delivered at mail call.

PROBLEMS AT CAMP

Campers are expected to follow all camp codes and policies, and to accept the leadership of their counselors and other camp staff. Young Disciple Camp administration reserves the right to send home any camper who does not comply. In such an event, the parent or guardian is responsible for the cost of transportation, and the camper will forfeit his or her camp fees.

PROHIBITED ITEMS

Portable electronic devices (such as cell phones, computers, games, or music players), food, gum, sodas, card games, secular reading material, pets, jewelry (including rings), makeup, nail polish, tobacco, alcohol, drugs, weapons, fireworks, or any item that detracts from the goals of camp. If a camper has any of these items with them at registration, they must turn them in to customs for safekeeping. Items will be returned to the camper at the end of camp.

VISITORS

Because of space restrictions, we invite visitors to limit their visits to the evening campfire programs and the Sabbath School and church programs. We regret that meal service for visitors is not available. Should a parent or guardian wish to remove a camper from the camp program for any period of time, clearance must be made in advance with the camp office.



WHAT TO BRING

- KJV Bible
- Study material for personal devotions
- Everyday clothes (see page 5 for camp dress codes)
- Shorts and T-shirt for swimming and (for girls) 1-piece swimsuit
- Boys/Girls*: Pants you don't mind getting dirty for Obstacle Course
- Girls*: *Fingertip-length* T-shirt or tunic to wear with *loose fitting* pants
- Sabbath clothes
- Clothes for Friendship Feast (see page 6)
- Sturdy walking shoes
- Daily changes of socks and underwear
- Laundry bag
- Medium-weight jacket (mornings and evenings can be chilly)
- Pajamas
- WARM sleeping bag (nights are cold); pillow
- Shower shoes/flip-flops
- Towel and washcloth
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Hairbrush, comb, etc.
- Bath soap
- Shampoo (if you need conditioner, find a shampoo-conditioner combination, or bring a leave-in conditioner; shower time is limited)
- Deodorant*
- Sunscreen
- Insect repellent*
- Flashlight*
- Money for church offering and camp store purchases
- Note pad*
- Pens and pencils*
- Recommended items for classes (see class descriptions for details)
- Prescription medications you must take or may need (e.g. asthma medication)
- Water bottle*



Highly recommended:

- Camera
- Strong's Concordance**
- Umbrella



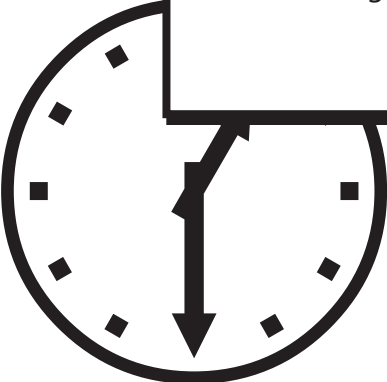
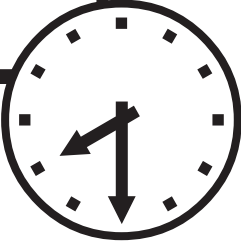
Note: For those planning to bring a curling iron, a cordless butane model is recommended.

*Available at camp store



CAMP SCHEDULE

Camp schedule is approximately as follows:

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- 6:00** Wake up; Showers; Devotions
 - 7:00** Unit Sharing
 - 7:45** Morning Exercises
 - 8:15** Breakfast
 - 9:10** Camp Cleanup
 - 9:40** Deep Bible Study Class
 - 10:40** Outreach Classes
 - 11:40** Recreation Classes
 - 1:00** Lunch
 - 2:00** Quiet Time
 - 2:40** Special Activity
 - 4:00** Lifeskills Classes
 - 6:00** Supper
 - 7:25** Campfire
 - 9:00** Lights Out
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CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

Each camper will take one Lifeskills class, one Recreation class, and one Outreach class for each week attended. Class space is limited, and classes will be filled primarily on a first-come-first-served basis.

Regular class registration: Complete the class selection sheet, listing your first, second, and third class choices, and return it to the camp office promptly.

Online class registration. You may input your class selections online at youngdisciple.com/camps. Use the class registration ID listed on the class selection sheet.

Please note: Classes cannot be reserved until regular camp fees have been paid (class fees may be paid at registration).

*Classes marked with an asterisk qualify as prerequisite classes for the Young Disciple Mission Experience. Next scheduled Mission Experience is Spring, 2013.

Outdoors Camp

LIFESKILLS CLASSES

Spanish: Did you know that Spanish is the native language of 332 million people around the world? In this class, you'll learn basic phrases necessary for communication, as well as several Spanish songs and Scripture texts. A great start at learning the language! **Bring:** 100 3x5 note cards **Instructor:** Jacqueline Arana

***Literature Evangelism:** You—yes, you—can be an effective colporteur! After practicing your skills in the classroom, you'll go out into the community for some real door-to-door experience! Expect to earn some money and spread blessings! **Advance preparation:** *We will send a canvass to memorize before camp.* **Bring:** Walking shoes and a bag for carrying books. **Instructor:** Eugene Prewitt

Search & Rescue: An Alzheimer's patient wanders from home, a hiker gets lost, a child is stranded. How can you help? Learn the proper search tactics, gear, and equipment you would need to make a life or death difference. Get hands on practice simulating search and rescue missions for urban, wilderness, and other environments. **Age:** For campers 14 and up. **Bring:** Sturdy footwear. **Instructor:** Robert Norris

Scrapbooking: Learn how to make beautiful and memorable scrapbook records of the special events and experiences in your life. During this class you'll make your own mini scrapbook. An 8" x 8" scrapbook is included in the class fee. **Bring:** At least five photos covering one theme of your choice (i.e. family, a vacation, 2012 highlights, etc.). **Class Fee:** \$15.00 for materials and handouts. **Instructor:** Sylvia Evert

Wilderness Survival: What would you do if you were lost in the wilderness? Over the course of the week you'll learn self-reliance skills and simple techniques utilizing man-made and natural materials that will affect your chances of survival. You'll also learn about bush craft, firebuilding, effective shelter construction, and methods of water purification. Weather permitting, you'll spend a night in a shelter of your own making! **Bring:** Knife (fixed, carbon steel blade is best), and sturdy footwear. **Optional:** Ferrocerium Rod. **Instructor:** Kevin Kimmel

Advanced Wilderness Survival: Learn skills that could help you survive a dangerous situation in the wilderness, with or without man-made resources. You will craft stone cutting tools, practice advanced firebuilding, help prepare animal skin garments, construct hidden shelters, and build a survival raft. **Bring:** Sturdy footwear, leather gloves, and fixed-blade or folding knife. **Recommended:** Army poncho or parachute cloth or wool army blanket. **Prerequisite:** Completion of YD camp Wilderness Survival class or equivalent. **Instructor:** James Collar

RECREATION CLASSES

Canoeing: No summer would be complete without a paddle and a canoe! Instruction in strokes, maneuvers, and safety will have you skimming across beautiful Lake Roosevelt in no time. **Prerequisite:** Intermediate swimming certificate or ability to swim 100 yards. **Bring:** Boys: Long T-shirt & knee-length shorts. Girls: Fingertip-length shirt & knee-length shorts. **Instructor:** Rabekah Rice

Digital Photography: Are you a person who loves to capture funny, beautiful, or breath-taking moments? This class is for you! You'll learn the basics of exposure, lighting, and composition, and leave with new skills for shooting portrait, landscape, and wildlife pictures. **Bring:** A digital camera with manually adjustable aperture and shutter speed. **Instructor:** Weston Young

Soap and Lotion Making: Learn how to make your own fragrant soap, silky lotion, fun flavored lip balm, and fizzy bath balls—and take home your finished products! **Class Fee:** \$15.00 for materials and handouts. **Instructor:** Jeanne Norris

Firebuilding: Need to start a fire, but don't have matches? No problem! Learn primitive firebuilding methods you can use in the wild, as well as modern alternatives using aluminum cans, lenses, and batteries. **Instructor:** Robert Norris

First Aid: What would you do in an emergency? Find out how you can help others that have been hurt, and what you can do to prevent injury and sickness. You'll get hands-on experience treating simulated fractures, wounds, impaired breathing, and other emergencies. **Instructor:** Calvin Fischer

Introduction to RC Airplanes: Have you ever wanted to fly a model plane? Now's your chance! This exciting class will teach you the basics of model aeronautics. You'll learn how a model plane works, get "stick time" flying the plane, and learn practical aviation principles. **Bring:** Sunglasses and hat with visor. **Class Fee:** \$12. **Instructor:** Tanner Martin

OUTREACH CLASSES

***Child Evangelism:** Discover the joy of bringing the gospel to the most receptive audience: children! You'll discover ways to reach the minds and hearts of kids at home or in the mission field. Learn how to conduct a complete children's evangelistic series using YD's *Truth 4 Youth* evangelism program. Put your new skills to work in a Sabbath afternoon program for the local children. **Note:** This is a shorter version of the Child Evangelism Lifeskills class. **Bring:** Notebook paper, pencil, and eraser. **Instructor:** Cami Martin

Choir: Over the course of the week, you'll learn several beautiful choir selections, which will be incorporated in a special musical program to be presented Sabbath afternoon. **Prerequisite:** *Ability to sing on tune.* **Instructor:** Tony Evert

***Bible Work:** Have you ever longed for a way to reach out to your community? Learn how to find new Bible study contacts and give a short Bible study to bring courage, light, and hope to searching hearts. On Sabbath afternoon, you will put your new skills into practice. **Bring:** KJV Bible. **Instructor:** Jesse Norris

Missionary Adventures: Dive head first into the life and work of a missionary, as you learn about the joys and challenges they face. Discover methods of reaching out to people who think, act, and speak in foreign ways. Create an outreach plan and learn how to implement it; experience cultural differences through games, activities, and discussion; hear real life mission stories, and even learn how to speak basic Karen and Thai! **Bring:** Notebook and pen. **Instructors:** Hannah and Sharon Steck

Missions/Music Camp

LIFESKILLS CLASSES

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Creative Musicianship: Have fun with music while learning new ways to bless others with your talents! You'll make music with interesting and unusual instruments, use your own instrument to play in creative ensembles, and play music-based games to help sharpen your musical skills. **Prerequisite:** *Ability to read music.* **Bring:** A portable instrument that you can play (keyboards will be available). **Instructor:** Janet Evert

***Homiletics:** Do your knees knock at the thought of standing up front? This class will get you over the hump. In the course of the week, you'll gain experience and

confidence as you learn techniques for giving Scripture and prayer, and preparing and delivering a sermonette. **Bring:** *Strong's Concordance*, writing paper, pencil, and eraser. **Instructor:** Tanner Martin

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Mission Pilot Ground School: Ever dream of becoming a mission pilot? Here's your chance to get a jump start. This basic course covers the knowledge you need *before* you are ready to take to the skies. You'll study navigation, communication, radio use, weather, and flight maneuvers. **Age:** For campers age 14 and up. **Bring:** Notebook, pen or pencil, and a pocket calculator. **Class Fee:** \$60 for actual flight. **Instructor:** Jim Brackett

Wilderness Survival: Could you survive being lost or stranded in the wilderness? Learn techniques for surviving in the wild using simple equipment and nature's provisions. You'll learn about wilderness safety, sanitation, and hygiene; wild edible plants; water procurement and purification; fire-building; and shelter construction. Weather permitting, you'll experience a night sleeping in a wilderness setting. **Bring:** Camp/pocket knife, strong string (for firebuilding), poncho, and sturdy footwear. **Instructor:** James Collar

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Joy of Nature: Explore the amazing intricacies of God's crowning creation: the human body. Through hands-on animal dissections, you'll investigate some of the major body systems. Be prepared to marvel at the discoveries waiting for you. Caution: Not for the faint-hearted! **Class Fee:** \$10 for materials and handouts. **Instructor:** Noemí Vega

Flute Workshop: Take your flute playing to the next level! Brush up on old techniques and learn new ones. Expect to improve your practicing techniques,

your tone, and much more! Come and join in the fun as we make music together.

Instructor: Sylvia Evert

Missionary First Aid: What would you do in an emergency? Find out how you can help others that have been hurt, and what you can do to prevent injury and sickness. You'll learn how to use first aid in a mission environment, and experience hands-on training with simulated fractures, wounds, impaired breathing, and other emergencies. **Instructor:** Calvin Fischer

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OUTREACH CLASSES

Choir: Over the course of the week, you'll learn several beautiful choir selections, which will be incorporated in a special musical program to be presented Sabbath afternoon. **Prerequisite:** *Ability to sing on tune.* **Instructor:** Tony Evert

Orchestra: Calling all musicians! Here is a wonderful opportunity to get together, polish your skills, and use them for God's glory. You'll practice and perfect several sacred orchestral selections to share on Sabbath afternoon. **Prerequisite:** *Ability to read music and to play an orchestra instrument.* **Bring:** Your portable instrument, pencil, and music stand marked with your name. **Instructor:** Katelyn Antuña

Health Evangelism: Learn simple ways to share health principles, deliver health presentations, and conduct cooking schools. Experience the thrill of helping others improve their quality of life. You'll also develop skills in basic massage, hydrotherapy, and other home remedies. You'll gain real life experience that will help you be a medical missionary at home or abroad. **Bring:** Notebook and pen or pencil. **Instructor:** Sherry Coffin

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TRANSPORTATION

AIRPORT INFORMATION

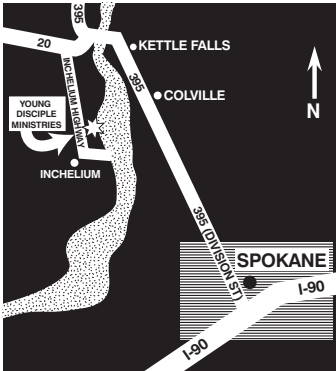
■ **Airport:** Bus service from/to Spokane International Airport is available for campers arriving July 15 or 22 by 2:30 PM and flying out on July 22 or 29 after 1 PM. A fee of \$20 per direction is charged for this service. YD is unable to provide transportation outside of these times.

PLEASE NOTE: Campers must send a copy of their ticket or itinerary to the camp office. It should be sent *at least two weeks* in advance of arrival.

WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU ARRIVE: Unless you have made other arrangements with the camp office, proceed to baggage claim and collect your bags. *Remain by the luggage carousel until a representative from Young Disciple picks you up.* (Look for someone with a sign saying “Young Disciple Youth Bible Camp.”) In the unlikely event that you are still waiting one-half hour after you have collected your baggage, call the Young Disciple office at (509) 722-4300 for instructions.



DIRECTIONS TO CAMP



FROM SPOKANE: Take Highway 395 North to Colville. Continue through Colville and stay on 395, crossing the bridge over the Columbia River (Lake Roosevelt). Turn left onto Highway 20 West toward Republic. Go about 6 miles and take a sharp left onto the Inchelium Highway. After mile marker 21 take a left, onto FDR Lake Road. Follow the signs to the Registration Area.



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