



Welcome 2021 Campers!

Thank you for registering for camp! We are so excited for you to arrive!
We are praying for a wonderful week of fun and adventure for you!

Please read carefully through this information to be prepared for camp; Keep a copy in your files for reference.

2 Weeks Before arrival: Balance due Paid in Full Canteen \$ deposited All forms completed online

What to bring...

Make sure your name is on EVERYTHING

- Bible (optional, we have many you can borrow (and take home!))
- Masks (1-2/day) to be worn indoors in public spaces at all times
- Canned food or paper products for offering
- Water bottle
- Hand Sanitizer
- Flashlight (plus batteries)
- Money for camp store (unless prepaid)
- Sleeping bag & pillow
- Towel & wash cloth
- Shower shoes (flip flops)
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste & toiletries
- Swimsuit/Towel
- Sunscreen, hat and/ or sunglasses
- Shoes (closed-toe & sandals)
- Rain jacket and/or warm jacket
- Insect repellent lotion (optional)
- Shorts & one pair of long pants
- T-shirts (long & short sleeve)
- Socks & underwear
- Camera (optional - please label)
- Completed paperwork (If not completed online)

Basketball (additional Items)

- Athletic shoes (non-marking soles)

Ranch Camp tent camping (additional items)

- Sturdy shoes (boots/close-toe, hard-sole shoes)
- Long pants for riding
- Sleeping pad

Camper Drop Off & Pick Up

Arrival: (Sunday)

- Registration takes place between 3:30 pm and 5:00 pm
- First Stop: Pavilion for health & temperature check
- To maintain a safe environment only 1 person will be able to accompany each camper to the registration station
- Please have medications ready to turn in

Pick Up: (Friday)

- Pick up is 11:30 am -12:30 pm in the parking lot
- There will not be a closing program for parents/public
- Only one person will be allowed to pick up camper

❖ Please note:

❖ On-site Day Camps:

- Drop off time at camp is 9:00 am Monday-Friday
- Pickup is at 3:00 pm Monday-Friday

❖ Navigator half weeks:

- Drop off 3:30 pm Sunday-Pick up Tuesday 11:30 am
- Drop off 3:30 pm Wednesday-Pick up Friday 11:30 am

What to leave at home, Please!

- Electronics (cell phones, iPods, iPads/Tablets, etc.)
- Personal equipment, i.e. sporting goods, instruments
- Your pets (Pets are also not allowed at Sunday Drop off or Friday Pick Up)
- Pocket knives or any weapons
- Snacks/candy/gum/soda
- Valuables
- Apparel referencing alcohol, drugs, negative language, violence, politics

Medications

As a safety measure and to ensure your camper is receiving their correct medications, all medications must be turned in to the camp health care staff at registration in the original container. Directions and dosage on the container are what we are required to follow. Medications such as EpiPens and emergency inhalers may be kept outside of nurse's cabin after discussion with healthcare staff.

Find Us!

...on Facebook

Follow us on Facebook at “Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp” to stay up to date on what’s happening at FLBC. Watch for pictures, updates & more!

... on Instagram

Search @flatheadlutheranbiblecamp for photos of what’s happening around camp day to day.

...at www.flbc.net

Learn about upcoming retreats and events and find all the information you need for summer camp, including forms and registration.

Share your story!

We would love to hear about your camp adventure! Share your story with us on Facebook (tag us!), or email office@flbc.net

Directions 550 Lutheran Camp Road
Lakeside MT 59922

Located on the west side of Flathead Lake along Highway 93
Turn onto Lutheran Camp Road (between mile markers 94 & 95)
After 1/2 mile, turn left at the ‘Y’ and continue another 1/2 mile to the parking lot on the right - staff will be there to direct you! Questions?
Contact 406-564-5039 or registration@flbc.net

Camperships

FLBC believes that every person who wants to come to camp should be able to do so! No one is ever turned away for financial reasons.

25% of all program fees are already funded through generous gifts from FLBC supporters. If your child or a person you know needs financial assistance, “Camperships” are available beginning April 15th. After you have checked with your congregation and /or family for scholarships, call the FLBC Business office at 406-752-6602 to request a Campership application.

Camper Mail

Campers LOVE to get mail! As you plan for sending your camper mail we ask that you **please DO NOT SEND care packages including food, candy or gifts**. Keep mail travel time in mind when sending through the post office or drop off mail at Sunday registration to make sure it arrives!

Be sure to include your camper’s first and last name when addressing letters and mail to:

Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp
Camper Name (& cabin name/# if you know it)
PO Box 790
Lakeside MT 59922

We do have a mailbox at camp if your camper would like to send a letter home throughout the week! Help younger campers by sending them with pre-addressed, pre-stamped envelopes.

You may also email your camper at camper@flbc.net. Include their full name (& cabin name if you know it) in the subject line.

Camp Store

FLBC’s camp store is open during both registration and camper pick-up times. We offer FLBC apparel, accessories, water bottles and more! Campers are able to purchase snacks and small items each day throughout the week when the Canteen is open.

Go online to prepay your camper’s canteen balance or put money into canteen accounts upon arrival. Suggested \$30/week for snacks. Any unused canteen money can be refunded to your credit card or **you may choose to donate unused canteen money to summer offering**. If you did not use a credit card to deposit canteen money, your canteen refund will be issued by check. **We will not be refunding canteen money in cash, to cut down on wait time.**

Refund Policy

FLBC will refund all except the \$75 deposit up to one month in advance of your week at camp; if FLBC has to cancel your camper’s program, you will receive a refund of the deposit, as well. If you need to change your plans, the \$75 deposit may be transferred to another week of summer camp, or a different retreat/event in 2021

In Case of Illness

We have health care staff at camp 24 hours a day every week of youth / family camp. A large part of this role is tracking and documenting all medications and first aid treatment. All FLBC counselors are trained in wilderness first aid and CPR to help make camp a safe and comfortable place.

If there is an emergency or serious illness, parents will be notified by camp staff. FLBC's insurance is secondary to the camper's own health and accident insurance. In case of accident, the camper's insurance will be the primary coverage.

A Note on Bullying and Camper Behavior Expectations

At FLBC, it is our deepest hope and prayer that each camper experiences a positive environment where they build positive relationships, grow in confidence, and try new things within a Christian learning environment. We work hard as a staff team to ensure that all feel included and safe while they are attending camp: onsite, offsite and at day camps. Unfortunately, persons who are bullied may not be able to experience camp in the way that we hope. Bullying is inexcusable, and we have a firm policy against all types of bullying. We take such incidents of bullying very seriously. Our staff is trained to promote communication so that campers feel safe alerting them to any problems during their camp experience. We encourage you, as parents, to let us know about any particular bullying concerns you may have regarding your camper. Staff are trained to promote inclusion, kindness and positive relationships within their cabin groups and throughout the camp experience for campers. On the rare occasion that a camper exhibits behavior that is dangerous or overly disruptive to fellow campers, they may be asked to leave the camp session early. The parent or guardian will be responsible for immediate pick up from camp property, and will receive no refund of any kind.

Summer Offering

Join us this summer in contributing to our offering project! This year's offering will benefit the local food banks and FLBC Camperships. Tangible offering (canned goods, TP, etc.) will be taken at worship the first night of camp.

Summer 2021 Health and Safety Guide (including COVID-19 Precautions)

You or your child should be prepared to wear masks and be aware of physical distancing while at camp. The camp experience will focus on small-group activities, which will focus on safety, fun, and spiritual development (as always)! Large group activities will be minimized. Many meals will be eaten outdoors. We are exploring additional ways to maintain the safest environment possible this summer. Updates will be shared with all registered campers as soon as updates are available. As always, safety is our biggest priority at camp. Our amazing team of health care professionals are helping us make decisions and implement policies based on scientific health policy. Thank you for being prepared to help us achieve this goal to have an awesome summer of 2021!

COVID-19 Exposure and Symptoms – Please! Closely observe your camper's health and contacts in the days leading up to camp, and keep them home if they a) have been in contact with anyone diagnosed with COVID-19 within the previous 10 days; b) have been diagnosed with COVID themselves within the previous 10 days; or c) show any symptoms associated with COVID-19. See the CDC Symptom List: www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptomstesting/symptoms.html

Vaccines – Multiple COVID-19 vaccines are increasingly available to an expanding range of adults and youth over the age of 16. As a policy, FLBC will urge all staff and adult volunteers to be vaccinated, as available and medically advisable. FLBC encourages everyone to be part of the global pandemic solution and stay informed about the value of COVID-19 vaccinations for all. Vaccinations are in addition to other safety steps.

Sleeping - Summer 2021 may see modified cabin sleeping arrangements so that campers can sleep with their heads at least six feet apart, head-to-toe fashion.

Modified Program Activities – Certain familiar camp activities could be changed up to avoid too much contact with other people or equipment. You can count on swimming, the challenge course, and all sorts of other favorite camp activities... and the best week of your summer!