

CAMP TISHOMINGO

Training Servants of the King

2017 Camp Manual

Camp Tishomingo is a Bible Camp outreach ministry coordinated by participating churches of the Arizona Association of Regular Baptist Churches. The AARBC is a voluntary association of independent Baptist churches that hold to the fundamentals of the faith and work together for the glory of the Lord. The primary goal of Camp Tishomingo is to exalt the Lord Jesus Christ by teaching the Word of God boldly, encouraging young people to trust and follow Him.

- Young people are urged to have a time of private devotions every morning, and to memorize Scripture.
- They are taught the Word of God from their counselor in personal conversation and small group interaction, and by our Camp Speaker in our evening sessions.
- They are encouraged to trust Jesus Christ as Savior and serve Him as Lord.
- They are challenged to develop life skills by...
 - Understanding the Scripture and applying Biblical truth to their daily lives.
 - Learning social skills as they interact with staff and other campers and bear responsibility for their own decisions.
 - Maturing emotional health as they rely on the Word and the Spirit in a new environment.
 - Acquiring healthy habits and discovering the wise use of leisure time.
 - Daily physical activity to encourage a lifestyle of physical fitness.
 - Relying on the truth of Scripture as it speaks to every aspect of life.
- Older campers are given practical leadership experiences.

JUNE 12-17 TEEN CAMP

(for those entering 7th grade through 2016 graduates)

JUNE 19-24 JUNIOR CAMP

(for those entering 3rd through 6th grade)

Each week of camp costs \$120.

Registration is due by May 15th, with a \$10 non-refundable deposit.

Camp Tishomingo is located about 30 miles north-east of Show Low, Arizona.

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- ☑ Adjust—be flexible—cooperate.
- ☑ If it will not bring glory to the Savior, don't do it, say it, or wear it.



In order to help make the camping experience enjoyable for everybody, staff members and campers will abide by this general code of conduct.

1. The following items are not allowed:
 - Guns or knives of any kind.
 - Pets or any living thing.
 - Firecrackers, lighters, or matches.
 - Electronic equipment of any kind. Cameras are allowed, but make sure the ownership is clearly marked. **Cell phones cannot be used, even as cameras or as a Bible**—you must bring a camera if you want pictures, and bring a non-electronic Bible. [Adult staff are allowed cell phones to more effectively coordinate camp.]
 - These and other items viewed as dangerous or disruptive may be confiscated by the Camp Dean and returned at the conclusion of camp.
2. No fighting or play-fighting. No swearing or foul language.
3. Do not catch, touch, or play with anything living or dead. Some critters carry diseases and should not be touched.
4. Littering or damaging the property is not allowed. Any person abusing the property or equipment of Camp will be held liable.
5. All persons are to remain on the property unless permission has been granted in advance by the Camp Dean. While off the property, Camp Rules will still apply.
6. The designated areas for boys and girls are **STRICTLY OFF LIMITS** to each other.
7. Everyone participates. A few activities might be more enjoyable to some than others, but everyone participates in each activity.



Label
everything
with
your name
clearly
marked!



1. Bring your Bible, a pen/pencil, and notepad.
2. Clothing:
 - All clothes must be modest in fit and style.
 - Slacks and jeans (properly fitting, not too tight and not baggy or droopy). Yoga pants or other form-fitting clothes are not acceptable.
 - Knee-length shorts (again, not too tight and not baggy or droopy).
 - Shirts that fully cover the shoulder to the waist (no sleeveless shirts, bare midriff, halter tops, tank tops; no low-cut tops).
 - Underwear and socks for each day.
 - Shoes, hiking boots and/or sandals—the ground is rough. Sports shoes must be worn for games and activities.
 - A sweatshirt, sweater or light jacket for cool mornings and evenings; a warm jacket and warm clothing for the cold nights.
 - A swimming towel and modest swimsuit. For guys—knee length. For girls—fully covering from the shoulders to below the hips, with no bare midriff and not low-cut.
 - Personal hygiene items (soap, shampoo, toothbrush and toothpaste, deodorant, brush or comb, towels, washcloths).
 - A large, labeled plastic bag for dirty clothes.
3. Sleeping bag or bedroll, pillow, blanket.
4. Working flashlight: fresh or extra batteries.
5. Sports equipment (balls, gloves, etc).
6. Heat and sun protection (sun-screen, hat, water bottle, *ChapStick*® or other lip balm).
7. Stamped envelopes or postcards if you want to write home.