

2024 CAMPS PARENT INFORMATION PAGES

DIRECTORS FOR 2023 RESIDENT CAMPS ARE:

Discovery Camp:	Shelly Garrison , Village Christian Church, Colo Spgs, CO (719-201-3419) Gayle Grace , Village Christian Church, Colo Spgs, CO (719-201-3635)
Junior Camp:	Ann Espey , Evergreen Christian Church, Denver, CO (303-618-5407) Sondra Tilsley , Evergreen Christian Church, Evergreen, CO (303-249-2015)
Chi Rho Camp:	Rick Espey , Evergreen Christian Church, Denver, CO (303-506-5204) Mike Hatler , First Christian Church, Colorado Springs, CO (719-648-9559)
CYF Camp:	Katie McGlade , First Christian Church, Casper, WY (307-262-4651) Rachel Nelson , Heart of the Rockies CC, Fort Collins, CO (970-372-7090)

CRMR Associate Regional Minister to Youth:

Shelly Garrison, Village Christian, Colorado Springs, CO (719-201-3419)

CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT TIMES FOR RESIDENT CAMPS:

DISCOVERY	Check-In: 4:00 p.m., Thursday, June 20 Check-Out: 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 22
JUNIOR	Check-In: 4:00 p.m., Sunday, June 16 Check-Out: 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 22
CHI RHO	Check-In: 4:00 p.m., Sunday, June 16 Check-Out: 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 22
CYF	Check-In: 4:00 p.m., Sunday, June 16 Check-Out: 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 22

PLEASE DO NOT DROP OFF CAMPERS EARLY.

It is La Foret's policy that no youth may be on the premises until check in begins, see above for check-in times. The camp staff will not assume responsibility or liability for any youth until they have officially checked into the camp. Also, please be prompt in arriving to pick up campers on the last day of camp.

2024 DROP OFF AND PICK UP PROCEDURES

Junior, Chi Rho, and CYF camp check-in will be at Inglis Hall. After completing check-in, drive your camper(s) to their cabin to unload and meet their cabin counselors and mates. Only campers and counselors should enter the cabins. Discovery campers will check in at the Ponderosa lodge on the 20th, and following check in will remain there while their parents drop their luggage off at their cabin.

For pick up on Saturday, please drive directly to your camper's **cabin** and **wait in your vehicle** for him/her. One of the cabin counselors will have a sign out sheet for you to sign before leaving with your camper.

MEDICATIONS:

All medications, including vitamins, cough drops, etc., should be packed separately, **IN THEIR ORIGINAL CONTAINER**. The container shall be clearly labeled with the camper's name and turned in to the camp health staff during check in.

SPECIAL HEALTH NOTE:

Please do not send your child/youth to camp with any of the following symptoms:

- Undiagnosed rash, sore or other skin condition
- Sore throat
- Coughing
- Diarrhea or vomiting
- Fever
- Any Covid or other contagious disease or symptoms

INSURANCE:

Both La Foret Camp and the Christian Church (DOC) Central Rocky Mountain Region, carry “excess insurance” to cover accidents, *not illness*, for those attending camp. “Excess Insurance” means that any costs which are not covered by personal insurance plans on the camper will be covered by the La Foret and/or CRMR policies. You will provide the information we need about your family medical insurance on page 5 of the registration form, along with a **copy of the camper’s insurance card**. We must have this information, and this will be the information we use, in case we need to take your child / youth for emergency medical care. Any bill which you receive for emergency medical care while at camp, over and above what is covered by your insurance, should be submitted for payment to the CRMR.

SUPERVISION AND PARTICIPATION:

Campers are under the supervision of a cabin or group counselor and the directors of the camp and are expected to abide by the rules and covenant of the camp at all times. Campers are expected to participate in all camp activities unless specifically excused by a doctor or parent in writing (page 5 of registration form). The ultimate result of non-cooperation and / or consistent behavioral problems will be expulsion from camp and a phone call to the parent to pick up the child. In this instance the Regional staff and the local pastor will also be contacted.

VISITATION DURING CAMP:

We do not allow visitors during our camps so that the campers and staff may remain focused on the community and activities they are involved in. If, for some reason, you do need to visit please arrange it in advance with the directors of the camp. If you simply need to communicate with your camper during camp, please contact one of their camp directors and they can arrange a call or video call during an appropriate time on the camp schedule.

PHONES:

Campers are not permitted to make phone calls unless it is deemed necessary by or has been previously arranged with a director of the camp. Campers are not to bring cell phones or other communication devices. Those who travel with their cell phone to camp must check them in at registration and they will be returned at check out.

MONEY:

Campers may bring money for the offerings and items from the camp store. Discovery and Jr campers may elect to turn their money in to the directors during check-in. If this is done, the camp Directors will keep charge of this money and keep an accounting of it for the youth, and the leftover money will be returned to the youth at the end of camp. The purpose of this is to remove money from the cabins and all the problems that can come with money being lost or taken. Excessive amounts of money should not be brought to camp.

DO NOT BRING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

TV’s or similar items, vaping, tobacco or marijuana products of any nature, illegal drugs or alcohol, firearms, knives of any kind, fireworks, candles, matches, lighters, cell phones, laser lights or pointers, CDs; electronic games, iPods, iPad or other tablets, computers/laptops. If any of these items are desired or needed for the camp, the directors will arrange for and provide these items.