

# Counselor Information – Kids' Kamp 2026

This information is intended to help you and your campers during Kids' Kamp. We have included some guidelines regarding the Campground Rules. We have also included devotions that you will be leading with your campers each night before bedtime. We appreciate your willingness to minister here at Kamp!

- **You are the camper's key role model.** You are showing Christ to them. They are watching your example. They are looking to you to guide them, listen to them, and communicate information that is important.
- **You must know where your campers are at all times.** You do not always have to be with them, but you must know their location.
- **All campers must use the buddy system** when they are at camp. You will need to remind campers of this guideline.
- **NO FOOD IN CABINS:** All food must be given to the director for the "BEAR BOX" at registration at the Kamp. All food will be returned on Sunday when Kids' Kamp ends. (Palomar Camp Rule)
- **Campers may not use their electronics at camp,** even in their cabins. This includes phones, ipads, computers, etc). This is a time for fellowship and Jesus, not the internet.
- **Counselors and staff should never use their electronics around the campers.** Limit use to camper free moments, if you have to use them at all.
- **Water is important to each camper** because we have a busy schedule and everyone needs to stay hydrated. You will have access to water bottles for the campers and yourself upon registration at Kamp. (Kids Kamp Water Bottles will be provided).
- **Try to make sure each camper starts every meal with a glass of water** before they drink anything else.
- **The cabins will be checked each morning during breakfast** to see who wins the "Golden Broom Award" for that day. Encourage campers to clean their cabin very well each morning.
- **After evening room checks by the facilitator, begin your devotional time** with the campers. Devotions to match the lessons are provided.
- **If ANY assistance is needed please contact the Kids' Kamp Facilitator.**
- **If any child becomes sick or injured contact the Kids' Kamp First Aid staff member and the Kamp Facilitator.**
- **ALL communication to parents during Kids' Kamp is the responsibility of the Kids' Kamp Facilitator.** If the Facilitator is not available please contact the Kids' Kamp Pastor. Do not contact the camper's family yourself. The Kids' Kamp Staff will make the contact. This will prevent misunderstandings with parents and campers.
- **Have fun and enjoy your own time of spiritual growth and connection with God during Kamp. The best counselors are the ones who model their own spiritual walk with Jesus during Kamp and all year!**