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2021 Family Camp Registration

Equipping Youth & Families for Lives of Reconciliation in God's World

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CHOOSE YOUR FAMILY'S SUMMER ADVENTURE TODAY

Looking for an affordable and fun family get-away this summer? Join us for Family Camp Weekends! Each Family Camp, we bring families together for great activities and fun family challenges. A variety of activities are offered for kids and adults of all ages. Also, interactive sessions are offered throughout the weekend to strengthen your relationship as a family with Christ at its center. Meals, transportation, and lodging are all included in the cost. Join us for a weekend by the lake!



WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO:

Camp Tall Turf, a program of Tall Turf Ministries, is an intentionally diverse Christian camp that was founded in 1968. Tall Turf's mission is *equipping youth and families for lives of reconciliation in God's world*. Our summer programs strive to empower youth & families who value diverse people, cultures, and thoughts. Annually, Tall Turf serves around 500 youth and families through summer camp sessions and year-round programming opportunities. Summer camp takes place on the shores of Campbell Lake in Walkerville, MI.

ACTIVITIES:

While at camp, you will have fun spending time with other families during times of worship, dining and leisure. Your family can choose to explore our camp on a hike, go swimming, try archery, participate in a human maze, play a game of volleyball, test your skills in a canoe and much more! There will also be large group games and fun family competitions. Each night will conclude with a campfire and S'mores. COVID-19 restrictions will apply.

LODGING:

Families stay in cabins. Each cabin is equipped with 5 bunk beds and a bathroom with a shower. Due to Covid-19 each family will have their own cabin at no additional cost. Inviting friends to join your family? Families may request to room with another family on their registration form. For those who enjoy "roughing it", tent campsites are also available.

STAFF:

Family Camp will have experienced Tall Turf staff members on site to lead activities and provide food service. Adult Volunteers will be present to lead activities for parents. Some staff and volunteers may speak Spanish. Also, a certified lifeguard and health officer will be on site throughout the duration of the weekend. **Parents are responsible for watching their children at all times, unless it is a designated time where Tall Turf staff will provide childcare.** (Childcare will NOT be available for children ages 2 and younger during this time.)

TRANSPORTATION:

Due to Covid-19, transportation will not be available this summer. Families/Groups will be responsible for providing their own transportation to and from the camp.



Family Camp Registration

Turn in the completed registration, a \$30 **non-refundable** deposit/family to:
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Name of Person Making Reservation(First & Last): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Telephone: (____) _____ Alternate Telephone: (____) _____

E-mail Address: _____

Church Name: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Names of Campers You Wish to Register

CAMPER NAME (FIRST & LAST)	GENDER	ADULT/CHILD	BIRTHDATE (REQUIRED FOR CHILDREN ONLY)	RACE/ETHNICITY (OPTIONAL)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult <input type="checkbox"/> Child		
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Which weekend(s) are you applying for? ☐ July 9—11 ☐ July 30—Aug 1

Housing Request: ☐ Standard Cabin ☐ Campsite

Cabin Placement Request: PLEASE BE AWARE—*No advance guarantee can be made regarding cabin placement; however, every effort will be made to honor requests when possible.*

I (we) request placement in a cabin with the following family: _____

Please list & explain any special needs your family may have in regards to housing or meals: _____

Permission/Authorization (This completed form may be photocopied for trips out of camp and for use in the health office).

- In case of emergency, I hereby give permission to the administration of Tall Turf Ministries (Camp Tall Turf) to disperse all given medications and to secure proper treatment for members of my family, including hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery and/or routine nonsurgical medical care, if so needed in the opinion of an available or attending physician at the time.
- I consent to allow Tall Turf Ministries to provide members of my family with transportation to and from camp.
- I acknowledge that Tall Turf Ministries is not responsible for any lost, stolen or damaged personal property that my family brings to camp.
- I give permission for the use of photographs, videos/DVDs, and recordings including all members of my family to be used in camp publicity and/or publications.
- I understand camp rules and policies and agree to its terms and conditions being ensured by camp staff

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Printed Name _____ Date _____

For office use only - Fee:

Deposit:

Final Pmt:

Session:

Date Received:

Conf: Y/N

Database: Y/N

Family Camp 2021

All Family Camp forms and payments must be completed a minimum of **1 week** prior to the start of your family camp session. Cost is determined according to the number family members present, as well as the age of each family member.

Family Camp Weekends

July 9—11

July 30—August 1

Refunds and Cancellation: If there is a need to cancel your family's registration, your fees will be refunded according to the following guidelines:

- If the cancellation occurs one or more weeks before the first day of camp, then all the fees except the deposit will be refunded.
- If the cancellation occurs less than one week before the first day of camp, no refund will be provided.

Deposit: Your non-refundable deposit is **required** to hold your family's place at camp. It is part of your total cost.

Deposit:	\$30/family
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Family Camp Cost

Age of Family Member	Price for Weekend
0 to 2 years	FREE
3 years to 17 years	\$35/person
18 years & older	\$45/person

Housing Policies

Accommodations:

During family camp, families stay in cabins. Each cabin can sleep up to 10 people. Cabins have 5 bunk beds as well as a bathroom and shower. Smaller families may be assigned to share a cabin with another family. If you are inviting friends to join your family for the weekend, you may request to room with that family on the registration form.

WHAT TO PACK FOR CAMP

- ☐ Clothes for warm and cool weather that can get dirty
- ☐ Tennis shoes for activities
- ☐ Bathing suit and towel
- ☐ Toiletries & bath towel
- ☐ Sleeping bags or sheets & pillows
- ☐ Plastic bags for your dirty/wet clothes
- ☐ Water* and additional snacks (if desired)
- ☐ Insect repellent
- ☐ Flashlights (*optional*)
- ☐ Camera (*optional*)

***Water at camp is drinkable, but is from a well.**



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Included in the Cost:	Policies I Should Know:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing for your immediate family • Six meals for the weekend • Activities • Transportation to and from camp <p><i>*There will not be any additional fees!</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alcohol and smoking on camp property is prohibited. • Weapons are not allowed on camp property. • Pets are not allowed. • Parents are required to supervise their children, unless it is a designated time where staff provide supervision