Chaperone Information

We are eager for you to join us at Camp Dixie and we hope that you are just as excited to bring your group out for a time of fellowship on Perdido Bay. Please review the following information to prepare your group for your stay at Camp Dixie.

Participants & Chaperones: We ask that you bring 1 adult chaperone for every 7 youth. If you are bringing male and female participants, you must bring at least one chaperone of each gender. Adult chaperones must be 18 years of age or older.

Group chaperones are responsible for their group during your time at Camp. This includes supervision, behavior management, and in case of emergency, adult leaders should have access to health information for each participant in the group.

Group Leader Checklist (Must be completed 2 weeks prior to arrival)

- ☐ Certificate of Insurance
- ☐ Waiver Form Completed for Each Participant
- ☐ Roster of Group Participants
- ☐ Payment Made in Full

Retreat Paperwork

Certificate of Insurance: Each group must present a Certificate of Liability Insurance from the church's insurance company.

Waiver Form: Each participant must have a completed waiver form on file with Camp Dixie. See the end of this packet for the attached form.

Group Roster: The primary group leader should submit a group roster that lists the names and grades of each student participant, as well as the name of each chaperone.

Recommendations

Camp Dixie recommends that the primary group leader bring a health form for each individual that attends with the church group. Group leaders are responsible for access to this information in the case of an emergency.

For allergies and dietary needs in the church group, please contact Camp Dixie prior to the event. We cannot guarantee full accommodations for each case, but will be happy to work with churches in order to ensure that participants are cared for during their time at Camp.

Generic Packing List

Please review the weather forecast and pack accordingly. The most important items to pack when attending Camp are always a Bible, water bottle, bedding (twin size mattresses), towels,

and toiletries. Other items that may be useful are flashlights, swimsuits, bug spray, and sunscreen.

Camp Dixie is a property free of cigarettes, vapes, and other illicit substances. Please do not bring these items, alcohol, fireworks, or weapons.

Phone Policy
Camp is a place where we unplug. Phones should be used by chaperones only, for pictures only. While Camp Dixie strongly recommends that participants leave phones at home, some church groups may choose to allow the chaperones to hold onto the participant phones for the duration of their stay at Camp Dixie.

Housing Information
Camp Dixie has a central dining hall with separate wings for males and females. Each side of the building has two dormitory rooms, with 12 bunk beds each, and two bathrooms with sinks, toilets, and showers. You will be housed with groups from different churches in the dorm rooms.

As used herein, the term “Participant” refers to: Last: _____ First: _____ M.I. _____

Camp Dixie Outdoor Ministry
Release, Waiver, and Indemnity Agreement

It is my intention by this agreement to exempt and relieve Camp Dixie Outdoor Ministry (hereafter referred to as “Camp Dixie”), and its officers, agents, or employees from liability for personal injury, property damage, or wrongful death of the Participant named above caused by any act of negligence of , and its officers, agents or employees.

For and in consideration of permitting the Participant named above to observe, or use any facility or equipment of Camp Dixie, or engage in and/or receive instruction in any activity or activity incidental thereto some of which may involve dangers and risk of bodily injury at Camp Dixie, Elberta, AL, Baldwin County, Alabama, beginning on the day of _____/_____/_____ (program start date) the undersigned parent and/or guardian of the Participant named above hereby voluntarily and absolutely releases, discharges, waives, and relinquishes any and all loss or damages or actions or causes of action for personal injury, property damage, or wrongful death occurring to the Participant named above as a result of the Participant named above observing or using facilities or equipment of Camp Dixie, or engaging in or receiving instructions in any activities some of which may involve dangers and risk of bodily injury or in activities incidental thereto wherever or however the same may occur, and for whatever period said activities or instructions may continue.

The undersigned parent or guardian of the Participant named above for him/herself, his/her heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns agrees that in the event any claim for personal injury, property damage, or wrongful death shall be prosecuted against Camp Dixie, or its officers, agents, servants, or employees, the undersigned parent or guardian will indemnify and hold harmless Camp Dixie, and its officers, agents, servants, or employees from any and all claims or causes of action by the Participant named above or by any other person or entity, by whomever or wherever made or presented, and under no circumstances will the undersigned parent or guardian of the Participant named above present any claim against Camp Dixie, and said persons for personal injuries, property damage, wrongful death, or otherwise, caused by any act of negligence by Camp Dixie and said persons.

The undersigned parent or guardian represent that he/she has read this Release, has requested and has been provided with, or has requested and declined advisement on the potential dangers/risks of engaging in the observation, activities, or instruction offered, assumes all risks associated with such dangers and risks, and is fully aware of and understands the terms and the legal consequences of the signing of this Release. The undersigned parent or legal guardian intends his or her signature to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law and if any portion of the Release is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

Authorization for Medical Treatment and Release of Information
I hereby give permission to the medical personnel selected by the camp director to administer first aid, and to order x-rays, routine tests, and treatment. In the event of an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the camp director to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and to order injection and/or anesthesia and/or surgery for the Participant named above. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the camp director to secure and administer treatment, including hospitalization, for the Participant named above. I hereby agree to be responsible for payment of all costs or expenses of any health care provided or other person who acts in reliance upon this consent and authorization for treatment.

Authorization for Off-Site Trips
I hereby grant permission for the Participant named above to engage in off-site day and/or overnight trips and other enrichment activities that may be part of the specific camp program that the Participant named above is registered for. Furthermore, I hereby grant permission for Camp Dixie to transport the Participant named above to and from such off-site activities in camp designated vehicles or contracted bus services.

Authorization for Photo Release
I hereby grant permission to Camp Dixie use photographs and/or video images of the participant named above for use in official Camp Dixie materials (print, internet, video, and other media) at the discretion of the Camp Dixie staff.

_____ _____
Name of Participant (Printed) Date of Birth

_____ _____
Signature of Parent or Guardian for Participant Date

_____ _____
Signature of Adult Participant Date