

# **Father Son Weekend at Camp Shamineau**

We can't wait for you to join us for Camp Shamineau's Father & Son Weekend! We hope you are excited to join us for a time of building relationships, having fun, and most of all--worshipping God!

## **DIRECTIONS- 2345 Ridge Rd, Motley, MN**

We are located in the center of Minnesota, midway between the Twin Cities, Fargo, and Duluth. Travel time is approximately 2½ hours from each city. Shamineau is located 28 miles north of Little Falls or 5 miles south of Motley on Hwy. 10. Watch for the brown "Camp Shamineau" sign and the green "Ridge Road" sign at mile marker #120 on Hwy. 10. Proceed 1 1/2 miles east of Hwy 10 on Ridge Road. You will see our Camp Shamineau sign on the right.

## **Frequently Asked Questions:**

### **1. What kind of activities will be available for the weekend?**

We offer a variety of activities over the weekend and you can pick and choose which ones you would want to be part of. Some of your options are:

- Horse Trail Rides
- Leather Shop
- Broomball
- Ice Tower
- Wild Game Feed
- Polar Bear Plunge (weather dependent)
- Campfire Doughnuts
- Gift/Snack Shop
- High Ropes Course
- Nature Center
- BB Gun Range
- Crafts
- Open Gym including Climbing Wall, Bouncy Castle, Basketball, Dodgeball, Volleyball, Crate Stacking, 9 Square

**ALL activity fees are included in your registration price so you will not need to pay for anything once you get to camp except any snacks you buy at the gift shop. It helps if you bring extra cash for those small snack shop purchases.**

### **2. What time is check in? When are we done on Sunday?**

Check in is at 6:30 pm on Friday night and you will be done after chapel around noon on Sunday. There is no lunch served on Sunday.

### **3. Are you able to accommodate food allergies?**

Our food service is used to working with guests with food allergies and special diets. Gluten free options and dairy free options are offered at each meal. For more specific food issues it would be best to call camp and speak with our Food Service Director and he can go over the weekend menus to help with your planning. Email [foodservice@shamineau.org](mailto:foodservice@shamineau.org)

#### **4. What are the sleeping arrangements? Will I be housed with people I don't know?**

Dads and sons are housed together in the same room with other sons of similar age and their dads.

If you are coming with a group of dads and sons, you will be housed together. and you would know the others in your cabin or room. If coming with a group be sure to indicate that when you register.

We have a variety of buildings that house our guests. Our Retreat Centers have sleeping rooms that each typically have 3 sets of bunks in them. The bathrooms are a short walk down the hallway. Our cabins have 6 sets of bunks with the bathrooms located in a building just a short walk away from the cabin. Younger sons and their dads will typically be housed in buildings with bathrooms right down the hallway from their room.

#### **5. What do I need to pack?**

If you think you need additional items, bring them!

- Pillow and sleeping bag or bedding for a twin size bed
- Bible
- Towel and toiletries
- Flashlight
- Warm Clothes (Casual and suitable for the season.)
- Tennis shoes
- Boots/outdoor clothing
- Swimsuit if you plan to do the polar bear plunge!

#### **6. What is a typical schedule for the weekend? (Schedule subject to minor changes)**

##### **Friday**

6:30 PM	Check in at the gym
7:30 PM	Chapel
9:00 PM	Friday night activity

##### **Saturday**

8:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 AM	Devotions
10:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Open Recreation
12:00 PM	Lunch
5:00 PM	Supper
6:30 PM	Chapel
8:00 PM	Evening Extravaganza!

##### **Sunday**

8:00 AM	Brunch
9:00 AM	Open Recreation
10:30 AM	Closing Chapel
12:00 PM	Head for home

**Any questions? Call us at 218-575-2240 or email [shamineau@shamineau.org](mailto:shamineau@shamineau.org)**