

Dear Camper,

Let me take a moment and introduce myself. My name is Tracie Orłowski and I have been volunteering at Rock River Christian Camp for about 7 years. I have 4 kids that have attended Rock River for about 8 years. I didn't grow up going to church camp but because of my husband's love for camp he introduced me to camp here at Rock River. I have been so blessed, encouraged and inspired over the past several years by the campers, faculty and staff. It's such a blessing to be serving as dean this summer for this week of camp.

I am so excited for you to be joining our session of camp! Rock River Christian Camp's theme for Summer 2019 is **oBE**dient. Be his heart, Be his hands & Be his voice. Our theme verse for the week will be Psalm 100:3, "Know the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture." Our lessons will focus on the Psalm 23. Please read through the chapter and we will talk more in depth about these verses and the role of a shepherd and his sheep. I believe if we can better understand our shepherd, we are better equipped to be His heart, His Hands & His voice to those around us.

In addition to the items to bring to camp, you will need a couple of pairs of old jeans and a pair of riding boots or sturdy shoes for riding. You can bring your own helmet, if not we will provide a riding helmet for you. We will be at the ranch for about three hours each day. We will be traveling off site to a couple of stables during the week.

This year our mission is to be His hands in various ways. We will be participating in some hands-on service projects by making cards, blankets and other projects for non-for-profit organizations.

See you at RRCC!

Anchored in Him,

Tracie Orłowski

Equestrian Camp Dean