



Youth Camps at Camp Onomia

We are glad you will be joining us for a fantastic program!

Arrival Time for 6 day sessions: Check-in at 3:00-4:30 pm on Sunday

Departure Time for 6 day sessions: Pick up at 12:30 pm on Friday

You are welcome to join us for closing worship on Friday at 11:15 AM with a picnic lunch at noon.

Beginners arrival: 3 PM Sunday, Departure 3 PM Monday. Housing w/ parent will be in the Retreat Center

Pioneers arrival: 3 PM Sunday, Departure 7 PM Tuesday. Closing program and pick-up for Pioneers is Tuesday evening. Please join us for dinner at 5:30pm. A short closing program will follow.

GrandparentKID Camp: Arrival time is 3 PM Wednesday. Departure time is 12:30 PM Friday. Lodging will be in the Retreat Center

What to bring

- Bible
- Pillow
- Sleeping bag or bedding
- Towel and wash cloth
- Bug Repellent
- Sun screen
- Modest Swimsuit
- Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, shampoo)
- Clothes for recreation and all weather conditions
- Fans or other comfort items for your room
- Fish camp: Bring your fishin gear!

What not to bring:

We strictly prohibit weapons (guns, knives, firecrackers, matches, lighters, etc.) and illegal substances (alcohol, drugs, tobacco products, and un-prescribed medications). We also ask campers not to bring snacks, MP3 players, cell phones, video games, pets, antibacterial soaps, and clothing that could be considered offensive.

Camp Rules/information:

- Please be respectful at Camp Onomia. If you wouldn't do it at home, you probably shouldn't do it here. This includes care for camp property, animals, other people, and other people's belongings.
- Obey safety regulations around camp. They are there to keep everyone safe and happy.
- For your safety, wear shoes at all times. Sharp rocks and bees hide underfoot!
- Campers are not allowed to leave camp at anytime without the supervision of a counselor or prior permission of a parent or guardian.
- PLEASE keep your cell phone at home! Cell phones should not be brought to camp. Cell phones are a distraction to the community we build at camp and can actually enhance home-sickness. In emergencies, campers are able to call parents using the camp phone. Parents can reach campers when necessary by calling the office.
- All medications and your health form are to be turned into health services during check-in.
- All campers are expected to participate in camp activities. If campers are unable to participate in certain activities, please notify us at check-in.
- We know you will have a great time this week, but if you should intentionally cause injury to others, intentionally break something, or refuse to respect the camp leaders, we will ask your parents to come and get you. Camp can be the best experience of your life. We will do our best to help you make that happen!
- Campers may be transported off-site at times for a program activity. Only camp vehicles with a qualified and certified driver will be used for off-site trips.

Directions:

From the South:

Take US-169 north to Onamia. At Onamia, go left (west) on MN-27/Main St. Follow MN-27 through downtown Onamia and 1.6 miles west of town. Turn right (north) onto Shakopee Lake Rd/CR-26. Camp Onomia is about 2 miles north at 14202 Shakopee Lake Rd.

From the West:

Take MN-27 east to Shakopee Lake Rd/CR-26. Turn left (north) onto Shakopee Rd and travel about 2 miles north to 14202 Shakopee Lake Rd.

From the North:

Take US-169 south to Shakopee Lake Rd/CR-26 (there is a sign for Kathio State Park). Turn right (south) onto Shakopee Lake Rd. Travel about 5 miles south to 14202 Shakopee Lake Rd.

FEE BALANCE AND REFUND POLICY:

We ask that any registration fee balances are paid in advance to Camp Onomia by June 1. This will speed up the registration check-in at camp at the start of your camp week. If your congregation is paying a portion of your fee, please confirm that amount with your church and let us know when you check in.

Refunds are given only in the case of sickness or funeral. In these instances, \$25 will be retained to cover administrative expense. All other cancellations forfeit your full deposit. Other balances will be returned upon written request to the camp.

Once the camper has checked in at the camp, if he or she needs to return home due to illness, emergency, or homesickness, we will return a pro-rated amount less the original deposit. You will need to provide a written request for this refund. Campers who are asked to leave because of misbehavior will forfeit any refund opportunity.

Campers who choose to miss a portion of the week due to sports related or other activities will be allowed no partial refund of their camp week.

Thank you for your understanding.

CAMP WEEKLY OFFERING:

This year, campers and parents will be given an opportunity to support the improvements we are making to our summer facilities during our closing program each week! You are welcome to send with your child a dedicated amount for to assist financing the "Extreme Makeover" of our Camp Onomia summer camp lodges and kitchen, or to invite them to donate a portion of their camp store balance at the end of the week to help renew their summer home! We expect that these improvements will be in place for camp this summer! You will love the new spaces, airy summer cabins, and shiny kitchen!

Attend a second camp week this year for \$100 off!

We are offering many new programs which offer a different camp experience if you can come back a second time this year. We will give you a \$100 discount if you sign up for a second 6 DAY camp session this summer. Simply return your registration form for the second program and write SECOND CAMP on the form to get your discount.

We are looking forward to an awesome camp experience this summer!

Get ready for a great time at Camp Onomia!

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