



Dear Parents & Guardians of children,

Thank you so much for sending your child to camp with the THBA & LLBA at Grand Oaks! We are so excited to help them learn more about Christ, while providing a fun, safe environment for them. Summer is quickly approaching and that means it is about time to start thinking about camp! Children's Camp will be held at Grand Oaks, July 18-22, 2022, for children who have completed 3rd-6th grades. The theme for this year is "CSI – Christ Scene Investigation." Through Old Testament and New Testament stories, kids will learn truths about Jesus from God's promise to send a Savior through Jesus' promise of the Holy Spirit. Camp will be filled with fun learning activities and Bible studies designed with children in mind. This year our large group worship services will be led by Garrett Trunk from Hamilton Street Baptist Church in Kirksville and worship leader will be Caleb Perkins from First Baptist Church in Green City. We



will have breakout sessions that the children will rotate through. They will also have the opportunity to participate in many other activities during the day such as swimming, fishing, and hiking. There will also be evening activities such as camp-wide games. Our registration fee this year is \$130 per child. This covers everything listed above, AND a t-shirt, three meals a day, evening snacks and housing for the week. The only thing your child would need is any extra money for the camp store (the snack shack) and any meals your church group may stop for coming or going to camp. (Please check with your church group about their traveling and meal plans.)

Registration forms and payment will need to be sent to the THBA office in Kirksville. All forms and fees must be received at the THBA office by June 27. Camp check-in will begin Monday afternoon, July 18 at 1:00pm in the Old Lodge (at the camp entrance). Camp will conclude at 11:00 am on Friday. Those who will be picking up campers are welcome anytime Friday morning, but campers will not be ready to be dismissed until 11:00 am from the Chapel. Please see the following list for specifics of what to bring and what not to bring to camp this year. You are more than welcome to send notes or letters to your child at camp. If you plan to do so, please ensure it will arrive no later than Thursday of camp. It might be best to send before your child leaves for camp on Monday to ensure it is received during camp. Camp Address: Grand Oaks Baptist Assembly, 9463 State Hwy 190, Chillicothe, MO 64601. If you have any questions, please contact the Thousand Hills Baptist Association office at 660-342-7658 or 1000hillsba@gmail.com or David Cook, THBA Children's Camp Director at 660-988-4275 or jarofcookies500@gmail.com.

Can't wait to see everyone at camp!



What to bring:

- Appropriate clothing and undergarments
- Comfortable clothes (no tank tops or muscle shirts. Shirts should be able to cover waistband of pants)
- Comfortable shorts (shorts must be no longer than your fingertips)
- Good shoes for walking and games
- Long pants and sweatshirt in case of cooler weather
- Messy clothes
- Sandals/flip-flops are acceptable for pool and shower, but not for hiking
- Swimsuit and t-shirt cover up (all swimmers will wear a t-shirt while swimming which will help prevent sunburn and provide for modesty)
- Flashlight
- Bedding (sleeping bag or blankets, pillow, etc)
- Bible, notebook, pen/pencil
- Bug spray
- Medications (These will be kept in the nurse's office and administered from there. Please be sure these are listed on your child's registration form and brought in the original prescription bottles)
- Spending money (optional – we suggest a camper not bring over \$10)
- Sunscreen
- Toiletry items (toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, etc)
- Towels and washcloths
- Appropriate clothing (should be appropriate for Christian camp, such as no tube tops, exposed spots bras, shirts with spaghetti straps or revealing tank tops, not distasteful pictures, wordings or slogans is prohibited. Modest clothing should be worn at all times – if you aren't sure if something is appropriate, then probably don't bring it. If clothes are too baggy then bring a belt if you need help keeping your pants up. No short shirts that show your belly button. Shoes must be worn at all times, except when swimming or taking a shower.

Do not bring these:

- Cell phones, tablets, laptops or gaming devices
- Stereos or other musical devices, such as iPods and MP3 players
- Knives, guns or other weapons
- Tobacco, alcohol or illegal drugs
- Fireworks
- Indecent clothing



**WHEN SCHOOL IS OUT,
CAMP IS IN!**