

Welcome Campers of Niche Week,

Your week of camp at Round Lake Christian Camp will be amazing! You will make friends, renew acquaintances and experience things you may never have had the chance to anywhere else. You'll SHINE as we learn about Jesus in this very special setting. There will be numerous opportunities throughout the week for you to grow in your relationship with Jesus, to have fun and to experience the life you were created to have.

Your week of camp is also unique. We have developed a different way to "do" camp. This week is special in that you get to choose <u>one area</u> (a niche) that you would like to focus on for the time you are here. Niche groups will become one of the main areas of study for the week; building relationships and growing deeper in faith and learning or sharpening an area of interest is the goal! Choose a Niche that you will want to spend the week doing—some have equipment that is required for you to bring and all have a maximum number of campers. We ask you to <u>make your choice with a rating of 1st, 2nd, or 3rd.</u> If your first choice is not available you will be given your second choice. All choices will be based on registration dates. Keep in mind that the entire group of campers will spend time together at meals, worship, missions, swim time and campfire. Be an individual and choose the Niche group that <u>you</u> want to be in. The Niche groups and the descriptions are included with this email under a separate file. You will be notified prior to camp which Niche you will be in for the week.

Your camp will include a time to experience missions with Dwayne Castle bringing information on Life Mission Ministry of Kenya. Campers are encouraged to bring an offering to help support the mission to spread the gospel in Africa. Our goal for the week will be to collect \$800.

Please refer to the camp booklet or the website as what you should bring and what **NOT** to bring to camp. **PLEASE LEAVE YOUR ELECTRONICS AT HOME (that means phones)**. Dress code is enforced! Check in time **is** 5:30 pm on Sunday August 5th; there is no need to arrive sooner than 5:30 pm, as you will not have access to the dorm rooms until after you have been checked in. Be sure to grab something to eat before you come, as we'll not have dinner that evening. It is our hope that you have an amazing time at Round Lake Christian Camp and learn more about Jesus while you are here.

Parents, friends and family are welcome to come for our <u>closing program at 3:15 pm on Friday August 10th</u>. We will showcase of all the many gifts that God has given your child. You'll not want to miss this! Campers will be release to parents after baptisms at 4 pm—you <u>must check</u> out with a dorm parent, bring the number part of your child's id bracelet.

Return your Niche Selection via email to sandyweldy@hotmail.com ASAP! See you at camp!

Blessings,

Sandy Weldy, Dean for Niche Week