



Leadership Training Camp

At Lake Poinsett Camp

Sunday, July 21 through Saturday, July 27, 2019

Welcome to LTC 2019! Thanks for deciding to join us at camp this year. As always we look forward to an awesome week of faith, friends and fellowship!

As a part of our program we invite speakers into speak and teach a large group morning session with small group study. This year our speaker is Andrew Root. Each camper selects two classes to attend in the LTC Academy. We offer a variety of classes that revolve around growing in faith, personal growth and discovery, leadership, and discipleship. The class selection sheet will become available in May or sooner – so check back for that info, and please submit your class requests by **July 1**. Classes are filled on a first come first serve basis; some classes fill quickly so you'll want to return the class selection sheet promptly to the address printed on it.

Each year we do fun money raising activities for the Youth Service Fund (YSF). This year the tradition will continue with the Cabin Cash Competition (C³) so **bring your coins and cash to propel your cabin to a win the overall competition and there will be daily prizes for the cabin that is in the lead.** An addition to our YSF Fundraising is an auction. We invite you to bring something that you have made or something gently used to donate to the auction.

Check In is from 4:00-4:30 PM on Sunday. Please have all forms completed and signed before arrival to speed the process. **Camp Ends** at 11:00 AM on Saturday. Please arrange pick-up at that time.

As you prepare for an exciting and enriching week, here's a list of things to bring with you:

- Pillow and sleeping bag or sheets & blankets
- Personal items like soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothbrush, etc.
- Beach towel, bath towels, wash cloths
- Layers of clothing for warm and cool weather
- **One piece, unrevealing swimsuit. If you do not have a one piece suit, please bring a dark t-shirt to wear or one will be provided**
- Sun screen & bug spray
- Jacket & flashlight
- Tennis or closed toed shoes for activities
- Bible (with your name in it) and notebook
- Devotional materials for cabin group time and solo time
- Optional water sports equipment may include your own lifejacket, snorkeling gear and water shoes
- **YSF: something to donate to the silent auction (homemade or gently used) – this can include, but not limited to: baked goods, homemade craft (art work, knitted/crocheted completed project, toys, etc....)**
- Talents: We welcome you to share your talents during the week. There will be opportunities to share during gathering times, in your cabin, during worship, and during the Talent Show. Please remember to bring along any accompaniment music, tapes, or instruments you will need. For those of you who would like to be in the Praise Band, bring your instrument and any new music you'd like to share.
- Special Attire: If you'd liked to "dress the part" for square dancing and for a beach party, please do!
- **MONEY:** Cash and change can support the Youth Service Fund. You will also want funds for the Camp Store and for your travel to and from camp.

According to camp policy, pets, fireworks, tobacco products, alcoholic beverages, firearms and knives are not allowed on site. **You must turn in YOUR cell phone and car keys for the week.** Anyone not complying with these policies will be sent home.

The welfare of all campers is our top priority. In an effort to prevent the spread of illness, please stay home if you have a fever, are suffering from headaches or do not feel well. We'll transfer your registration or refund your registration fee. The camps have a medication administration policy which requires all prescription and non-prescription medications to be gathered into a safe place at check-in time. No medications can be stored in the cabins (this applies to youth and adults).

Lake Poinsett Camp is located at 20 South Lake Drive on the south side of Lake Poinsett. The lake is 13 miles north of Arlington and 22 miles south of Watertown. Phone: 605-983-5547. Letters from home can be mailed a few days ahead addressed as follows: LTC-(Camper's Name), Lake Poinsett Camp, 20 South Lake Dr, Arlington SD 57212. E-mails can be sent to campers by opening a Bunk 1 account (see details on the back of this letter). No faxes for campers, please.

Please include the leadership team, the camp staff, the program, safe arrival and a fantastic week in your prayers. We are praying for you.

Peggy Hanson, LTC Dean

A copy of this welcome letter may be found on-line at www.dakcamps.org