



2024 Fall Retreat Information

We are so excited for your student to attend our 2024 Fall Retreat! This informational document will give you the details you need to know to ensure a great experience for your students this Fall.

Who: For students in 6th-12th grade
Where: Green Country Camp
136 Garrison St, Disney, OK 74340
When: October 18th - 20th
Cost: \$65 per student

To register please fill out the attached form or complete the form online at foundationchurch.com/fallretreat

Retreat Check-In and Drop-Off

Arrive at Foundation Church on Friday, October 18th at 2 p.m. at Foundation Church
7785 S. Hwy 97 Sapulpa, OK 74066

- Parents, please come inside the building to check your student in. You will need to check in medication, finalize payment, and double-check registration forms at this time.
- Students, please eat lunch before you arrive.

Departure:

We will leave the church at 3:00 p.m.

Arrival

We should arrive at Green Country Camp by 4:30 p.m.

Camp Pickup

We will return in time to attend service at Foundation Church on Sunday, October 20th! The service will begin at 10:30 and the students can leave after the service is done—around 11:45 a.m.!

Cell Phones

We believe God wants to spend time with you during this retreat. We wouldn't want you to miss out on it because you're distracted by Snapchat, TikTok, or texts. They will only be used for emergencies to contact parents.

Feel free to bring your phone for the weekend, but please do not use it during service or small groups. You will be asked to put it away. If you continue to use your phone, we will notify your parents, take it from you, and keep it for the weekend.

COVID-19

We value the health and safety of your student—and all of our students. If your child has been exposed to someone with COVID-19 or is experiencing symptoms such as fever or chills, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue, muscle or body aches, sore throat, headache, nausea, vomiting, and/or diarrhea, please keep your child at home.

Discipline

The church assumes heavy responsibility when caring for teenagers. We are responsible for the well-being of all students, so please know that we will do what we need to do in order to ensure the safety and civility of this event.

If a student disrupts or breaks camp rules, they will be warned by their leader. If the behavior continues, FC staff will be brought into the discussion. At this point you, the parent/guardian, may be called to discuss the situation with one of our leaders. We will give a fair warning that your student is showing signs that they don't want to be at the retreat by not being compliant. If the behavior does not stop, you will be called to pick up your student from Green Country Camp.

Examples of unacceptable behavior: complete disrespect for any leader, hiding, truancy from events, vandalism, bullying, pulling pranks, or breaking the previously defined rules.

If rules are broken or any discipline issues arise, a staff member will address the issue. If the situation warrants, students will be sent home. Parents are responsible to make arrangements for their student to be picked up from camp. Parents agree to support the adults' decisions about sending a student home.

Dress Code

The intent of the dress code is to provide an equitable dress code for all campers that will encourage modesty above legalism.

Please do not bring shirts or tops that expose the midriff (no crop tops), are extremely tight fitting, display or promote tobacco, alcohol, controlled substances, or inappropriate language or pictures.

Please ensure the length of your shorts meets the end of your fingertips. Leggings are not pants, so do not wear leggings without a dress or skirt on top of them.

If your clothing does not meet the dress code, you will be asked to change.

Meal Times

Breakfast, lunch, and dinner will be provided Friday and Saturday. You will be required to eat at every meal. You are welcome to bring snacks to eat between meal times. There is also a Snack Shack where you can purchase snacks.

If you have any dietary allergies or restrictions, please make a note on your medical release forms so we can plan accordingly for the menu.

Please eat before we leave for camp on Friday, October 18th. We will have breakfast at camp Sunday, October 20th before returning to Foundation Church.

Medical Care

We have multiple medical professionals attending camp with us as well as medical personnel on site at Green Country Camp. Foundation Church sponsors will oversee all medication and any medical needs we may have at camp.

- Please let the registration team know about all your student's medication at check-in.
 - All medication must be in the original packaging. Please include medication in a large Ziploc bag with your camper's name on it, as well as the frequency of medication.
 - If any medical needs arise at camp, we will call you.
- If your student has any special medical needs or conditions, please let the Camp Medical team know at Check-in.
- **Please do not** pack over-the-counter medication (e.g., Tylenol, Pepto, Advil, etc.) These will be provided by our sponsors if needed.
- Please do not bring vitamins unless ordered by your doctor.
- Camp involves lots of walking and very little down time. If you believe this might be a problem for your student, make the nursing staff aware.

Participate

You are required to attend all meals, small group times, services, and recreation activities. Unless it is a dire emergency, you cannot be excused from any of these. If it is a dire emergency, we will get you the help you need.

PDA (Public Display of Affection)

Under no circumstances is PDA allowed.

Recreation

Each day you will have free time to participate in recreation. Green Country Camp offers zipline, laser tag, screamer swing, disc golf, water slide, mini golf, basketball court and volleyball.

Small Groups

You will be in a small group of 4-5 students, led by our adult volunteers, who have all completed and passed a background check. During these times, students will get into the Word of God, pray, and share what God is doing in their lives.

What to Bring/Packing List

- Bible
- Pen or pencil
- Bedding for twin bed or sleeping bag and a pillow
- Water bottle
- Casual/athletic clothes for 2 days (include long pants if you want to do the zipline)
- Flashlight
- Laundry bag or trash bag
- Tennis shoes/sandals/shower shoes (include close-toed shoes if you want to do the zipline)
- Toiletries (shampoo, conditioner, soap, comb/brush, toothbrush, toothpaste)
- Medications (must be turned in)
- Spending money for merch and snack shack (optional)
- Towels/wash cloth/beach towels

If anything is lost or stolen, neither Foundation Church nor the camp is responsible for replacing it.

What Not to Bring

- Weapons of any kind (knives, guns, etc.)
- Alcohol/drugs (including tobacco, lighters, or vapes)
- Medication that is not prescribed to you
- Practical joke items (silly string, balloons, etc.)
- Fireworks
- iPads, tablets, Kindles, portable speakers, etc.
- Body modification tools (tattoo or piercing kits)

Why Fall Retreat?

At this retreat you will have an incredible opportunity to seek God. The Bible says that if you seek God, you will find Him. It is important that you are attentive during each Bible Study and service because for some students, this weekend will be a matter of eternal life or eternal death.

You have the opportunity to make a difference in the lives of your friends by letting them hear and listen to God's Word. Make it a point to encourage others and get to know others this weekend. God is going to do incredible things in you!

If you have any questions or need to contact us at Fall Retreat for any reason:

Gervace Aguila, Student Minister, 918-944-9188

Hillary Atkinson, Director of Operations, 918-361-1987

Green Country Camp Rules

- GCC is a Christian camp and all rules are to help us to reflect Christ in our conduct.
- Please respect all camp properties just as you would at the church you attend. We ask you to assist in keeping the grounds clean of trash. Cans are provided camp wide to contain debris.
- **Medicinal Marijuana**, Illegal drugs, alcohol, knives, ANY form of tobacco, guns, skateboards, and fireworks are not permitted. Such items will be confiscated.
- If property or equipment is damaged, your group will be held responsible for any cost incurred for repair or replacement.
- If dorm room is excessively filthy during your stay or upon departure, your church will be assessed a fine of at least \$100.
- GCC requires two adult sponsors in each dorm room. Sponsors must be at least 18 years old with a background check.
- Shoes must be worn at all times (unless a camper is in the pool, on sand volleyball courts, or on Rec field).
- No clothing which is revealing, suggestive, or advertises alcohol or tobacco products will be allowed.
- Swimsuits must be modest—no bikini or monokini-style or a colored t-shirt must be worn while at the pool. Lifeguards have discretion and can eject anyone not properly clothed from pool area.
- Shaving cream fights, water fights, etc. will not be tolerated. A group doing such in or near enough a building to cause damage, will face a charge of at least \$100.
- No use of the zip line, laser tag, inflatables, water slide, or pool is allowed unless GCC authorized, trained personnel are present.
- Campers are not allowed to enter dorms of campers of the opposite sex.
- Campers are not allowed to leave the campgrounds while at camp unless under direction of lead sponsor.
- Campers must attend all scheduled sessions and activities.
- Campers are not allowed to ride in or on any vehicle at camp. Sponsors may ride in vehicles driven by approved sponsors.
- Campers are not allowed to share ANY medication belonging to them with any other camper.
- No golf carts, four-wheelers, or ATVs of any kind are allowed on camp except those used by the camp staff or unless pre-approved by camp management.
- No food and/or drink items are allowed in Chapel or Sleeping areas.
- Counselors must accompany campers leaving dorms for any reason after lights out.
- All campers must be accompanied by a sponsor to the First Aid Station for treatment.

- Pastors and sponsors will be responsible for the conduct of their campers. Extreme discipline problems will be brought to the Camp Administrator &/or appropriate GCC leadership.
- All visitors (including parents and church staff) must fill out a visitor form to enter the premises. No unauthorized person will be allowed on the grounds. **Visitors are to be under supervision at all times.**
- Cell phones may be used ONLY to communicate with parents & are limited to use in your cabin.

All of the above rules are designed to provide a Christian atmosphere, a safe and healthy environment, and provide for the respect of the camp and facilities.

**Foundation Student Ministry Event
Scholarship Application**

Scholarship Information:

We want every student to have the opportunity to attend all Foundation Students events. To create these events there is always a cost involved. However, we understand sometimes in life there are seasons where it is harder to cover the cost. We do not want that to hinder your child from being involved. That's why we offer scholarships. **We do ask that each family pay as much as they can by saving and asking family and friends to help sponsor their student to camp, and our church will do what we can to cover the rest.** If you are interested in applying for a scholarship, please have a parent or guardian fill out this portion of the form. When you are finished, email your copy to gervace@foundationchurch.com.

Last Name:

First Name:

Parents' Names:

Phone:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Describe why a scholarship is needed:

Do you attend church? If so, where?

How many live in your household:

Names and ages of kids in household:

What portion of the cost can you commit to paying?

Parent's Signature:

Date:

GREEN COUNTRY CAMP REGISTRATION/RELEASE FORM

Please Print

Name _____
_____ Birth Date _____ Grade Completed _____ Male _____
Female _____
Telephone _____ School _____

Name of parent/guardian _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
_____ Phone Numbers: _____

Persons (relationship) to contact in case of an emergency (other than parent/guardian):
1. _____ (_____) Home _____ Work or cell _____
_____ 2. _____ (_____) Home _____
_____ Work or cell _____ CDIB? ____ yes ____ no If yes,
Nation? _____

I hereby (do ____) (do not ____) give this church and/or Green Country Camp permission to give over the counter medication to my child. These may include, but are not limited to, Tylenol, Pepto-Bismol, Ibuprofen, or Benadryl.
Parents/Guardians will be contacted before any medication is given.
Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

I, _____, give my permission for _____ to attend this event and will not hold this Church or Green Country Camp (Green Country Baptist Assembly) responsible for any accident that may occur. I also give permission for my child to receive medical treatment or attention in case of emergency or illness while traveling &/or while under the supervision of above referenced Church, sponsors, &/or camp staff. I further give full authority to this Church's staff & sponsors to discipline my child as may be deemed necessary. If my child's behavior is such that it may endanger the happiness or the safety of the entire group, the sponsors have my permission to send my camper home after notifying me of their intention. I promise to pay the cost of the return trip should this action become necessary. I expressly understand & acknowledge that during the course of the camp photographs &/or video footage of my child may be taken & I hereby give permission for such photographs or videos to be used on the camp website &/or for promotional materials for the camp.

X _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Telephone Number

Green Country Camp (918) 782-7097

Date

PO Box 40 Disney, OK 74340