



KIDS CAMP

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
NEO
Northeast Oklahoma District

CHURCH CAMP COORDINATOR GUIDE

KIDS CAMP 2025

For kids who have completed 1st - 6th grades

July 14-17, 2025

Salyer Lake Campground

24132 Hwy. 152
Minco, OK 73059



WELCOME

Thank you for volunteering your time to serve as Church Camp Coordinator (CCC). We are so grateful for you! We know you are sacrificing your time and we can't thank you enough. We are praying for you, along with the kids and the volunteers who will be attending camp this year. We know that God has an amazing week in store for us as we grow in our love for him and one another.

This guide will give you help in registering campers and volunteers, along with other duties you will be responsible for as CCC.

Please don't hesitate to ask questions if anything is unclear! Remember we are in this together for the glory of God!

NEO KidMin Team: Amanda Carroll (Director), Rebekah Gschwandter (Quizzing Director), Stefanie Harris, Wendy Johnson, Megan Barrett, Beckie Richburg, Christina Gilmartin, Lauren Stout, Evan Offutt Boesiger

Coordinate Registration

The CCC will help parents/guardians register their kids through our district website. Please direct parents to the Kids Camp Parent Guide for more information. All forms will be completed online.

Collect Camp Fees

Parents will pay a \$25 non-refundable deposit at registration. The CCC will collect the balance of the camp fees and give it your church treasurer. The CCC will also ensure that a CHURCH CHECK is brought to camp with the balance of all camp fees due. An email with information about who is registered from your church will be sent weekly once the registration process begins.

Secure Volunteers

The CCC will help to make sure there are volunteers to attend camp with your kids. See page 4 of this guide for the number of volunteers recommended. The CCC will also make sure each volunteer has read the Kids Camp Volunteer Guide and has the appropriate NazSafe certification and training for camp.



CAMP RATES

Early Registration - \$185

Online registration completed and \$25 deposit paid on/before May 31.

Regular Registration - \$200

Online registration completed and \$25 deposit received from June 1 through June 30.

**T-SHIRT SIZES CANNOT BE GUARANTEED FOR REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED AFTER JUNE 30.

Late Registration - \$225

Online registration completed and \$25 deposit received on/after July 1.

**The \$25 deposit is non-refundable.

DISCOUNTS

Family Discounts

\$10 off per sibling



REGISTRATION

Step 1

Direct parents/guardians and volunteers to register online at neokdistrict.org. Find camp registration by placing your cursor over EVENTS, then select Kids Camp 2025.

Step 2

Collect balance of camp fees from parent/guardian for each camper registered.

Step 3

Send balance of camp fees by CHURCH CHECK, for each camper and volunteer registered, to camp.

All steps must be completed on/before due date to secure registration price listed.

PAYMENT & FORMS

The balance of camp fees should be paid to your local church. You, as CCC, will send a CHURCH CHECK payable to NEO NDI to camp. We will not accept personal checks for registration.

VOLUNTEERS

Costs

We don't want the camp cost to be a financial burden to our volunteers so we don't charge the full camp price for them to serve at camp.

We try to maintain a 1:5 ratio between volunteers and campers. The cost for volunteers is \$85 according to the following schedule of campers from your church.

1-5 campers - 1 volunteer at \$85

6-10 campers - 2 volunteers at \$85 each

11-15 campers - 3 volunteers at \$85 each

CHECK-IN

Camp CHECK-IN will begin at 11:00am on Monday of camp. There will be NO LUNCH provided on Monday of check-in. Once registration begins, you will be asked to select a check-in time for your church. Each church should arrive at camp at their selected check-in time. As you enter the campground you will follow the signs to the check-in site. Please have 1 adult check your group in. After you check in, you can then bring any kids who have medication in to the camp nurse.

If, as the CCC, you are not attending camp, please pass this information to your adult volunteers.

Any volunteer over the schedule on the left will pay the full price of \$185, if registered by June 30.

Number of Volunteers

To ensure we have the proper number of volunteers for the amount of kids registered for camp, every church sending campers is HIGHLY ENCOURAGED to send at least 1 volunteer for every 5 campers. It is important to keep in mind the gender of the volunteer. If you are bringing 10 boys and 4 girls, please send 2 male counselors and 1 female counselor instead of 4 female counselors. This helps us make sure all kids are properly taken care of at camp.

Please do not let this discourage you from sending kids to camp. If you are having trouble finding adult volunteers, try joining with another church, so long as the final result ends with the encouraged amount of adult volunteers. If you do join with another church in your volunteer ratios, please let the camp registrar know so that he/she can coordinate rooming properly.

CHECK OUT

Camp is completed on Thursday at lunch. Please ensure there is someone at camp by this time to check your kids out.



2025 CAMP THEME

Speakers

This year we are privileged to have 3 of our own as camp speakers: Megan Barrett, Ben Finkbeiner, and Evan Offutt-Boesiger.

Megan and Evan are children's pastors on our district and Ben is a lead pastor on our district. All 3 are passionate about teaching kids about Jesus. They especially love camp!

Theme

Are y'all ready to saddle up for the wildest, rootin'-tootin'est, adventure this side of the Mississippi? Well, hold your horses 'cause we've got a rip-roarin' time waitin' for you! We've got barn-burnin' games and activities that'll make your mama say Yeehaw! And don't forget about chapel y'all—we'll be singin' songs, playin' games, and hearin' messages that'll help your heart make a connection with Jesus, the best trail boss there ever was!

2 Corinthians 5:7 (ESV) - For we walk by faith, not by sight.



QUESTIONS

Please contact the camp director or registrar at neokidscamp@gmail.com with any questions or concerns.

FACEBOOK GROUP

Join our Facebook group, NEO District Nazarene Kids, for updated news and pictures throughout the week! Join before camp so you don't miss anything.

