

MAN CAMP

The Basics...

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Hey Men (and Families)!

This packet will tell you everything you need to know, but here are a few important basics:

- Camp starts Sunday, June 20, at 3 p.m. Please note that there will **not** be a family barbecue this year!
- Camp ends Friday, June 25 with a slideshow for campers and family at 2 p.m. and goodbyes at 3 p.m.
- Make sure to fill out all the enclosed waivers and medication forms and bring them with you!
- Make sure to read over the “to-bring” list carefully and bring everything you’ll need!
- Please check out the enclosed information on this year’s camp missionary, Leslie Reavely, and the homeless ministry she started four years ago with her sister Lauren. We’re so excited to be supporting Hope2Others this year!

See you soon!

Oatmeal



Home Ec and MAN CAMP

Camp is coming up soon, and we are so excited! We are going to be doing all kinds of crazy stuff this year, and it will knock your socks off! Our directors are Oatmeal and Rougie, and they will be leading us through this adventure of challenges, traditions, and brand new activities!

So... Who are Oatmeal and Rougie?!

He's a gux...

...She's a girl.

He celebrated his fifth birthday in Indianapolis...

...She celebrated her fifth birthday in France.

While he endured rubber band fights with his six brothers...

...She chatted until midnight with her two sisters and slumber party girlfriends.

He canoed the rivers of the Midwest...

...She captained a rubber raft in Congo, Africa.

He owned a dog...

...She owned a lamb.

He spent his summers splashing around in Lake Michigan...

...She spent her summers summiting Mt. Adams.

He's a guitar dude...

...She's a piano girl.

He loves hot peppers...

...She loves mango sherbet.

He tears it up on the ultimate Frisbee field...

...She unskillfully maneuvers the soccer ball.

He studied numbers in college...

...She bandaged wounds and memorized medical terms.

He crafts a mean bowl of oatmeal...

...She creatively coordinates family holiday dinners.

He's thrilled with stories from history...

...She discusses life lessons with girlfriends over tea.

He worked at Camp Jonah for the first time last summer...

...She experienced her first Jonah summer camp in 1999.

Both are in love with Jesus. Both are married (to each other, if you hadn't guessed). Both are making exciting discoveries about what it means to be a real man and a real woman in the midst of a crazy, confusing culture. Both love to have ridiculously exciting camp fun.

We are Oatmeal and Rougie, your very own Home Ec and Man Camp directors for 2010!

Gentlemen... Ladies... prepare yourselves for a power-packed week as we learn what it means to do hard things as a real man and a real woman...

We can't wait to meet you!

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The To-Bring List

Hey Men!

Are you pumped for Man Camp this year?!

We are going to learn a ton about what it means to be a man of God! We are also going to learn some Man Skills. We'll learn bachelor skills, like ironing dress pants and tying a tie. We'll learn a few wilderness skills, like using a compass. We'll learn basic necessities, like first aid and how to marinate meat. We'll get to learn all new stuff, like gun safety, and of course, we'll have our Man Camp-Out! A few lucky guys will even have the chance to ride in a small airplane over the Trout Lake Valley!

So get ready for a crazy week!

To Bring:

Enough clothes for the week (jeans, shorts, shirts, socks, underwear...)

Toiletries (deodorant, toothpaste/brush, shampoo...)

Sweatshirt

Flashlight

Tennis Shoes (2 pairs)

Sleeping bag/pillow/sleeping pad

A button-down shirt

Mud clothes

Bible, notebook, and pen

Meat to grill (one serving, your choice of beef, pork, chicken, fish, deer, elk, etc...)

To get the best camp experience, please...

Do Not Bring:

Cell phone

iPod

Laptop

Bad attitude



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The Mission...



Here's some exciting news: Leslie Reavely is our camp missionary this year! She, along with her younger sister Lauren, started a nonprofit organization called Hope2Others (H2O) four years ago. They attended our Missions Camp when they were just 14 and 11 years old and got inspired to reach out to homeless people in their own area, and they've been able to help other kids, teenagers, and churches all over the world to do the same thing!

Hope2Others is a non-profit organization whose mission is for panhandlers and homeless people worldwide to receive hope through H2O bags (lunch bags containing a small non-perishable meal, a water bottle, socks, a rescue meal voucher, and a gospel tract).

We're so excited to have Leslie on staff this summer to help our staff and campers get excited about doing hard things, making an impact on their world, and reaching out to the people around them! We also want to help Leslie and Lauren grow their H2O ministry. That's why...

Campers this summer can choose to participate in this mission in three ways:

**Buy a Bag for \$3.00* and keep it with you to give hope to a homeless person or panhandler you meet.

**Bring some of these brand new supplies for a homeless shelter:*

- Bibles (NLT)
- Socks
- New undergarments (men and women)
- Hooded sweatshirts
- Jeans (men)
- Sleeping bags
- Twin blankets
- Backpacks
- Spray deodorant
- Disposable razors
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Travel-size toiletries

**Bring money to help support a homeless person through the recovery program.* This will cost \$15,000-\$20,000, but every little bit helps! Campers can bring money with them, or they can also choose to leave any leftover snack shack money to help reach this goal.

We can't wait to have you at camp!

-Oatmeal and the Jonah crew