Hi Parents and Guardians!

What a pleasure it is to be able to serve your family and the wonderful kids in your care! It has been a blessing to observe the energy and joy in the Children’s department this year at South Hills Church of the Nazarene.

We are pleased to inform you of the awesome opportunity to extend the learning of Jesus and the fun of fellowship through the Pittsburgh District Church of the Nazarene Kid’s Camp.

For those of you who are unaware, the South Hills Church of the Nazarene is a part of a large network of churches that spans the western part of PA. There are close to 90 churches on our district and it is a blessing to gather together at our district campgrounds in Butler, PA. These campgrounds have been a gathering place for many years, and have been a place where life-long friendships are gained in the name of Jesus Christ.

The Kid’s Camp is for children who have completed 1st grade through those that have completed 6th grade. All pertinent information concerning this camp is included with this correspondence. Please keep in mind that scholarships will be available to those in need of funding. Please simply let Pastor Ryan, or the church office know of the need.

Pastor Ryan Baird will be attending the camp all week as one of the male counselors, so there will be at least one familiar face in the crowd for the kids of SHCN. However, the team and the ministry professionals that are assembled to operate this exciting week will do more than a wonderful job of making all kids feel safe, welcomed and secure.

Please read through the information included within this envelope and let me know if there are any questions or additional information needed.

Thanks so much!

Hannah Baird

Children’s Director at SHCN
hbaird07@gmail.com
724.570.2983

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all – 2 Corinthians 13:14
Pittsburgh District Church of the Nazarene
KIDZ CAMP 2016
For Children who have completed 1st—6th Grades

Mt. Chestnut Nazarene Center; 177 North Road, Butler, PA 16001
JUNE 13-17, Monday—Friday

Olympics: Linked for Christ

Full Cost: $175
Early Bird Discount $160 if submitted and postmarked by June 3rd.

Registration can be completed online at this link:

http://tinyurl.com/kidzcamp2016

Please submit your payment to your church. Your church will write one check made out to Pittsburgh District SDMI with memo: Kidz Camp.
Registrations not completed online and church payments can be sent to:

joanne Tutor, 8 Hazen St. Union City, PA 16438
Cell: 814-661-4226
Joanne_tutor@yahoo.com

This is a safe, relevant and fun summer camp for kids. Children will make important positive connections with friends, grow in their relationship with Jesus and make life—long memories. For further information or questions feel free to contact:

Reverend Christine Siordia
724-627-7593 (church); 724-710-6433 (Cell)
onwiththecall@msn.com; Facebook: Chris Horst Siordia
Pittsburgh District Church of the Nazarene
KIDZ CAMP 2016
CHECK OUT ALL OUR OLYMPIC PLANS!

Olympics: Linked for Christ

- TEAM BUILDING EXERCISES
  - OLYMPIC TRAINING
    (Basketball, Track & Field, Beach Volleyball, Triathlon and more!)

- Tournaments
  - Represent a Continent
  - Targeted Preteen Pursuits
    (Designed especially for that age group)

- Wet and Wild Camp Wide Activities
  - Devotional Discipleship
  - High Energy Worship
    - Biblical Teaching
  - Special Speaker

DEB MCKAY

Pastor Deb McKay has been active in ministry for the last 17 years as a Children’s Pastor, Camp Speaker, Children’s Ministries Trainer and Bible Teacher. Ordained as an Elder in the Church of the Nazarene in 2008, Pastor Deb has ministered with local churches and districts in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Maine and Virginia as well as using technology to mentor Children’s Ministries leaders around the nation. Currently, she is better known as Mrs. McKay to her Bible students at Grove City Christian School where she teaches Doctrines and Disciplines to High School Freshmen.
Dear Parents,

We are excited for this year’s Kidz Camp Olympics: Linked for Christ, theme! We look forward to seeing what God will do in the lives of your children through the messages, worship and fellowship. With God’s direction, we are planning to send them home with lots of stories about their awesome week!

Registration begins at 10 am. Children will be checked by the nurse to ensure health and safety protocols and then proceed to their assigned cabin to settle in. Parents can leave when their child is settled into their cabin. Registration can be completed online at this link:


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We will do everything we can to insure your child’s safety. All counselors will be at least 16 years of age and all staff will be required to have a Criminal Background Clearance filed at the District Office. We want this to be the BEST WEEK of your child’s summer!

We ask that you please send your camper mail. This is a highlight for your child as names are called during lunch time. They really need to hear from home. You can send some self addressed stamped envelopes if you’d like so your camper can write home too. Send mail to: Your child’s name, c/o Kidz Camp, 177 North Road, Butler, PA 16001. Please send it before they leave for camp and no later than Tuesday, June 16th.

Taking care of your children is a responsibility we do not take lightly, and we need your support. During the week, for emergencies only, you may call me at my cell phone or the District Office:

To better help your children be homesick free, he or she will not be allowed to keep cell phones or call home unless approved by me. We will call you if there are any problems or concerns.

In His Grace,

Pastor Chris Siordia,

Pittsburgh District Children’s Pastor
Email: onwiththecall@msn.com; Cell: 724-710-6433; Office: 724-627-7593; Home: 724-627-6009
Camp Schedule
(Subject to change)

Monday

9 am  Staff prayer and information meeting
10 am Registration opens/ Campers move into cabins
12 pm  Lunch/ parents depart
1 pm  Team Building Activity
2 pm  Free Time
3 pm  Opening Ceremonies
4 pm  Olympic Training
5 pm  Dinner line-up
5:15 pm  Dinner cat and clean up tables
6:15 pm  Olympic Training
7 pm  Evening service
8:30 pm  Snack Bar/playground Flashlight Tag
9:30 pm  Showers-Devotional and Prayer
10:30 pm  Night Owl Staff Devotions (Baun Lobby)
11:00 pm  LIGHTS OUT!!!

Tuesday—Thursday

7 am  Wake Up!
7:45 am  Early Bird staff devotions and prayer - Dining Hall
8:30 am  Breakfast line-up
8:45 am  Breakfast
9:45 am  Morning chapel service
11 am  Olympic Training
11:45 am  Lunch line-up
12 pm  Lunch and clean up tables
1:00 pm  Afternoon activities–
            Monday, Track & Field Tournament
            Tuesday, Basketball Tournament; Dodgeball
            Wednesday, Beach Volleyball Tournament
            Thursday, Triathlon
5 pm  Dinner line-up
5:15 pm  Dinner
6:15 pm  Evening Chapel Service
7:30 pm  Snack/ Free time
      Tuesday~ Basketball Tournament Finals; Dodgeball Finals
      Wednesday~ Talent Show
      Thursday~ Closing Ceremonies
9:00 pm  Showers— Devotional and Prayer
10:30 pm  Night Owl Staff Devotions (Baun Lobby)
11:pm:  LIGHTS OUT!

Friday

7 am  Wake Up and PACK!!
8:30 am  Breakfast Line-Up
8:45 am  Breakfast
9:15 am  Cabin Clean Up, Camp Clean Up
10 am  Morning Chapel Service
11:45 am  Lunch Line-Up
12 pm  Lunch, more cleaning~ Parents pick kids up in MPB sign out
1 pm  Campers Depart, Final Camp Cleaning
POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

HEALTH AND EMERGENCY POLICY
Please list of your child's allergies, medications and general medical condition. IF YOUR CHILD REQUIRES A TRIP TO A MEDICAL FACILITY, we will call the phone numbers you have provided. It will be your responsibility to provide your insurance information to the medical providers treating your child and to respond to that facility.

MEDICATION PRESCRIPTION POLICY
All prescriptions and OTC meds MUST be in their original packages and placed inside a zip-top baggie. We will provide a label for your child's baggie. Use one baggie per child. Our Camp Nurse will dispense medications ONLY as directed on the medication label.

PRANKING POLICY
ALL "pranking" by campers is banned. Your child's luggage will be inspected for contraband items (shaving cream, etc.). USE OF ANY SUPPLIES BELONGING TO THE DISTRICT CENTER (i.e. toilet paper, paper towels, soap, etc.) FOR DEFACING ANY BUILDING OR VEHICLE IS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN. Please make sure your child is aware of this policy. Parents, we need YOU to check their bags before they leave the house.

HEALTH SCREENING/LICE POLICY
During check in, your camper will be checked for evidence of mature head lice as well as "nits". To avoid disappointment, please do not send your child if you have treated for lice at home in the THREE weeks prior to camp. The registration will be refunded. If the examination at check-in is positive for lice or nits, we will not be able to allow your camper to stay. The registration fee will be refunded. HOWEVER, if your child stays and lice is discovered during the week, your child will be sent home and no refund will be offered.

FINANCIAL POLICY
All camp registration fees for Nazarene campers, must be paid with ONE check from your church treasurer. Please make sure a list of the campers' names is included with the check. If you are from another denomination or you do not have a home church, you may send a Money Order or bring cash at check in. NO PERSONAL CHECKS WILL BE ACCEPTED.
# CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE - PITTSBURGH DISTRICT - 2016 KIDZ CAMP APPLICATION

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List Child's Health Conditions (i.e. ADHD, Bi-Polar) THEN list serious allergies that you are providing medications for.

**Diagnosed Conditions:**

**Allergies:**

List all prescription and OTC meds YOU will be sending to camp. We will only dose according to prescription labels. ALL meds must be in their original packages and placed inside a zip-top baggie. Use one baggie per child.

**NOTE:** Our on-site registered nurse will treat minor injuries, bumps and bruises. HOWEVER, if your child requires a trip to a medical facility, we will call the phone numbers you provided. It will be your responsibility to provide your insurance information to the medical providers treating your child and to respond to that facility.

**FRANKING:** ALL pranking by campers is banned. Your child's luggage will be inspected for contraband items (shaving cream, duct tape, etc). The use of any supplies belonging to the District Center to use for pranking is strictly forbidden.

**LICE:** During check-in your camper will be checked for evidence of lice. Please do not send your child if you have treated for lice at home in the three weeks prior to the start of camp. The registration fee will be refunded.

**PAYMENT:** You must pay your Nazarene Church treasurer and your church will send ONE check for all the campers from that church. If you are non-Nazarene, you may send a money order. **ABSOLUTELY NO PERSONAL CHECKS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

**SEND ALL MONIES TO:** Jeanne Tutor 8 Hazen St. Union City, PA 16438

I have read and understand the rules and policies explained here and in the registration packet. My child has permission to attend and participate in all activities of this camp. I release the Church of the Nazarene and its staff and volunteers from any liability in the unlikely event of an injury to me or my child while on the premises, or in connection with the summer camp program at Mt. Chestnut Nazarene Center. Initial here ___________________
What to Bring/Camp Regulations

Please pack the following items and clearly mark everything:

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Please DO NOT pack or bring the following items!

All electronic entertainment devices will be confiscated by the counselors and returned to the campers at the end of camp. Cell Phone, Ipod or other personal music player, DVD player or Laptop computer, Curling Iron Makeup, Any books, pictures, clothing or other item that does not glorify God – please dress modestly!