

# 2019 Camp Arrah Wanna Summer General Information

Welcome to another summer at Camp Arrah Wanna! This document will help you prepare for your time at camp, so don't be shy... read up!

We welcome campers and families from our community, the Portland area, and around the Northwest - from ANYWHERE! Our trained & screened leadership & staff work hard to create a comfortable, safe, fun and powerful environment for all who want to have an awesome experience at camp. We are a Christian-Faith based program, but IT DOESN'T MATTER where you are from or what your background is... we just want you to come and get to know God, experience his Love, and make life-long friends.

Have questions or concerns?

Office: (503) 622-3189 | Fax: (503) 622-1229 | registrar@camparrahwanna.org | www.camparrahwanna.org

## SECTION 1: Dates, Cost & Check-In (See Section 2 for instructions on How to Register).

Register online for ALL camp sessions at [www.camparrahwanna.org/our-programs](http://www.camparrahwanna.org/our-programs)

CAW WILL NOT CHECK IN CAMPERS BEFORE 12:00 pm ON CHECK-IN DATE. IF YOU ARRIVE EARLY, YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO STAY WITH YOUR CAMPER(S) UNTIL CHECK-IN BEGINS. DO NOT LEAVE UNTIL CAMPERS ARE COMPLETELY CHECKED IN WITH CAW STAFF, AS SUPERVISION IS NOT PROVIDED UNTIL CHECK-IN BEGINS.

**HIGH SCHOOL CAMP: July 8-12 (Monday - Friday) For campers who have completed grades 9-12**

**COST:** \$275.00 if registered on or before **June 17th** ~ \$295.00 if registered between **June 18-July 1**

**CHECK IN @** 12:00 PM on **Monday, July 8**

**CHECK OUT @** 2:00 P.M. on **Friday, July 12**

**MIDDLE SCHOOL CAMP: July 22-26 (Monday - Friday) For campers who have completed grades 6-8**

**COST:** \$275.00 if registered on or before **June 17** ~ \$295.00 if registered between **June 18-July 15**

**CHECK IN @** 12:00 PM on **Monday, July 22**

**CHECK OUT @** at 2:00 P.M. on **Friday, July 26**

**ELEMENTARY CAMP: July 22-26 (Monday - Friday) For campers who have completed grades 3-5**

**COST:** \$255.00 if registered on or before **June 17** ~ \$275.00 if registered between **June 18 - July 15**

**CHECK IN @** 12:00 PM on **Monday, July 22**

**CHECK OUT @** at 2:00 P.M. on **Friday, July 26**

**DUE TO LACK OF INTEREST, WE DO NOT HAVE PLANS FOR A 2019 PRIMARY CAMP (for 1st & 2nd graders)**

If you are seriously interested in sending your children to a 3-day/2-night Primary camp, please call our office by June 19th so we are aware of your interest. If we receive a high level of interested families, we will try to schedule a weekend camp for August.

## **FRIENDS & FAMILY CAMP | Aug 30 - Sep 2, 2019 | Labor Day Weekend**

**\*\*\* AN END-OF-SUMMER WEEKEND FOR ANYONE AND EVERYONE \*\*\***

Register by August 21 | Check-in Friday @ 6:00-8:00 (7:00 Dinner provided) | Check-out Monday @ 10:00 am

**COST:** \$50-\$150 per-person for entire weekend depending on Lodging & Meal choices (Tent, Cabin, Cottage, or Motel Bluff Unit) / Partial-Weekend pricing also available

Bring your family and friends and celebrate the end of another beautiful summer at CAMP ARRAH WANNA! With loads of activities to choose from, acres of peaceful forest land to explore, and amazing food to keep you satisfied, how can you say no? Campers of all ages can enjoy as much, or as little, of our planned activities as they want: start your day with morning vespers, hang out playing cards under an umbrella on the deck of our historic Main Lodge, show off your fancy cannon-ball skills at the pool, and then finish up the day dancing cheek-to-cheek with your sweetheart at our Saturday Night Dinner Party. However you like to spend Labor Day Weekend, come spend it with us!

## **Camp Arrah Wanna Open House | Sunday, September 1st**

This event is for ALL PEOPLE who are interested in enjoying Arrah Wanna or hearing more about it! ALL PEOPLE are invited to a joint worship service at 10:30 am, and then all of the classic "camp" activities will be available throughout the day. Bring your friends for a BEAUTIFUL, RELAXING, FUN, and SPECIAL day on Mt. Hood!

10:00 am - 4:00 pm | Lunch served @ 12:00 pm | Donations Encouraged | RSVP by August 21, 2019

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## Section 2: How to Register

**WE NOW USE AN ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM. PARENTS/GUARDIANS ARE RESPONSIBLE TO REGISTER THEIR CAMPERS. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE INTERNET ACCESS TO DO SO, FEEL FREE TO CALL OUR OFFICE AND WE WILL REGISTER YOUR CAMPER(S) OVER THE PHONE.**

**FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY, EACH CAMPER MUST BE FULLY REGISTERED BY THE LAST DATED LISTED FOR EACH CAMP SESSION (1 WEEK BEFORE CHECK-IN DATE) OR THEY MAY NOT BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND**

1. Navigate to the "Programs & Events" page on our website at [www.camparrahwanna.org](http://www.camparrahwanna.org) and click "Register Here"  
If you do not have internet access, please call our office ASAP and we will register your camper over the phone.
2. **If this is your first time using the online system**, select the green "Register" option and create an account with your (parent/guardian) information. Once your information is complete, you can then register yourself or others for a program.
3. **If you have already created an account** for a previous program, select the gray "Login" button. After entering your email and password, you will then be able to ADD A NEW PROGRAM TO EXISTING CAMPERS, or add new campers.
4. In order to ensure that our excellent counseling staff is in place and ready for your campers, registrations will NOT be accepted after the Monday one-week prior to check-in unless qualified counselors are available at that time
5. **PAYMENT - DECIDE WHICH OPTION APPLIES TO YOU:**

### OPTION 1: PAY YOUR CHURCH

DO NOT SEND PAYMENT TO ARRAH WANNA IF YOUR CAMPER IS ATTENDING THROUGH ONE OF THESE CHURCHES:

Calvary Baptist, Salem	FBC, Coos Bay	FBC, Riddle
Cedar Hills Baptist, Portland	FBC, Cottage Grove	FBC, Springfield
Eastwood Baptist, Medford	FBC, Gresham	Grace Baptist Church, Portland
Emerald Community Fellowship, Eugene	FBC, Lincoln City	Grant Park Church, Portland
Esperanza Church, Portland	FBC, McMinnville	Mulino Grace Community, Mulino
FBC, Astoria	FBC, Milton-Freewater	Pleasant Valley Community Church, Gresham
FBC, Bandon	FBC, Oregon City	Rivergate Community Church, Portland
FBC, Carlton	FBC, Portland	Woodland Park Baptist, Portland

Instead, please CONNECT WITH YOUR CHURCH representative to find out how much of the fee is your responsibility then PAY YOUR CHURCH directly for your camper's registration fee

When your child's online registration is complete, CAW will notify your church. If your church agrees that they "know" your camper then a "Church Voucher" will be added to your camper's online account. IT WILL STILL BE YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CONNECT WITH YOUR CHURCH AND PAY THEM FOR ANY AGREED REGISTRATION FEES.

### OPTION 2: PAY CAMP ARRAH WANNA

If your camper is NOT attending camp through one of the churches listed above, please submit payment for your balance before camp begins to: **Camp Arrah Wanna, Inc | 24075 E Arrah Wanna Blvd. | Welches, OR 97067**

We accept payment via PERSONAL CHECK, BANK CHECK, BILL-PAY CHECK or MONEY ORDER

WE ARE NO LONGER ACCEPTING ONLINE CREDIT CARD OR E-CHECK PAYMENTS

Include **CAMPER'S NAME & CAMP SESSION** on the memo line.

When sending one check for multiple campers, NOTE THE AMOUNT THAT SHOULD BE APPLIED TO EACH CAMPER.

You will receive an email notice once a payment is received and processed by the CAW office.

### 6. **PAYMENT OF BALANCE IS DUE AT OR BEFORE CHECK-IN**

7. Cancellations made at least (2) two weeks before camp are eligible for a refund of all but a \$50 processing fee  
Refunds will NOT be issued for cancellations made less than (2) two weeks prior to session, except in the case of illness or injury

### **DISCOUNTS will be applied during online registration**

- a. Early Registration: All campers who are fully registered on or before June 17th will receive the above-stated \$20 discount (the price will increase by \$20 after date noted above)
- b. Sibling discount: \$10 off each registration if (2) or more siblings per immediate family signs up for camp
- c. NEW CAMPER discount: \$20 off if you have never attended a Camp Arrah Wanna program before

### **Scholarships**

- a. Please contact your local church for scholarship availability first
- b. If you aren't connect with a church, or they are not able to provide a scholarship, don't worry! Just follow these steps:  
CAW believes it is important for each camper/family to contribute SOMETHING towards their camp cost, but we never want people to miss out on this special opportunity because of an inability to pay the full registration fee. Because of that commitment, a partial scholarship will ALWAYS be awarded to any camper who takes the time to complete all 3 of these steps:

1. Request the CAW Scholarship Application Paperwork
2. Fill it out entirely
3. Submit it to the CAW office via email, snail-mail, our website, or fax

To request Scholarship Application Paperwork, please contact our office directly at least 2 weeks before camp

Phone: (503) 622-3189

-or-

Email: [info@camparrahwanna.org](mailto:info@camparrahwanna.org)

CAW Scholarships will not be awarded to individuals without completed paperwork on file.

Once the CAW Scholarship amount is confirmed, we will notify you via email about remaining balance & payment options

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### Section 3: Transportation

**\*\*\* CAW will NOT be providing bus transportation to or from camp this 2019 Summer Camp \*\*\***

**If you would like assistance in finding a ride, please call or email us at least 2 weeks before check-in**  
so we can connect you with someone in your area who may be able to assist you.

If you or your church are providing your camper's transportation to and/or from Arrah Wanna, please note the check-in and check-out times in Section 1.

### Section 4: What to Bring & NOT to Bring

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| 1. Sleeping bag / bedding / pillow / PJ's             | 7. Shorts for warm days / pants for cool nights            |
| 2. Personal hygiene toiletries and towels             | 8. Warm sweatshirt & jacket for cool nights                |
| 3. Rain jacket                                        | 9. Bible, notebook and pen/pencil                          |
| 4. Sturdy shoes for general camp use                  | 10. Flashlight                                             |
| 5. Flip-flops or sandals for pool area / shower shoes | 11. Bug spray                                              |
| 6. Modest Swimwear                                    | 12. Money for the camp store/canteen (CAW t-shirts = \$15) |

\* Bring shoes or clothing that you do not mind getting dirty, muddy or wet

\* All items should be labeled with the campers name and phone number. Arrah Wanna cannot be held responsible for personal items that are lost, left behind, or stolen.

\* High School campers are encouraged to bring "funky" (and classy) dress clothes for a special evening activity.

#### **PLEASE DO NOT BRING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS TO CAMP WITH YOU:**

1. Non-prescription drugs or drug paraphernalia; alcohol of any kind; tobacco of any kind; marijuana of any kind  
Prescriptions medications must be checked in with Medical Personnel at check-in and will be administered as per Dr. and/or Guardian instructions.
2. Weapons: firearms, swords, knives, etc.
3. Inappropriate clothing: here are some examples:  
Swimwear: if you have a two-piece bathing suits, you will be asked to wear a t-shirt/tank-top over it; no Speedo's!  
You will be asked to change into something more appropriate if your t-shirt has explicit pictures or words on it  
Shorts, dresses and skirts need to be a modest length (fingers don't touch skin if hanging your arms down to your side)  
Arrah Wanna leaders reserve the right to ask any camper to change their clothes at any time  
Let's dress in a way that is respectful to God, ourselves and each other!

#### **ITEMS OF VALUE ARE YOUR RESPONSIBILITY!**

Cell phones, tablets, music players, video games, electronics, etc. can have a negative effect on your experience at camp just as easily as a positive one. If these items are used in a way that make others feel excluded, distract you from any activities, and/or disturb group time, the CAW staff & leadership reserves the right to ask you to put them away for the remainder of camp. It is important to be engaged in the program while at camp at all times.

Our leaders work hard to make the program relevant to all campers, and we know electronics are an important way to stay connected to family and friends - but this is a unique opportunity to step away from every-day life and see things from a new (and less-distracted) perspective.

**PARENTS: PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL OF THIS REQUEST AND CALL THE CAW OFFICE IF YOU NEED TO CONTACT YOUR CAMPER DURING THE WEEK!**

**IF ANY OBJECTS LISTED IN ITEM 1 & 2 ABOVE COME TO CAMP WITH A CAMPER, ARRAH WANNA RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEND THAT CAMPER HOME IMMEDIATELY**

### Section 5: What do we do at camp?

Spending a week at camp is one of the BEST things you will ever do! In the summer, we offer activities like swimming in the heated pool, floating the Salmon river on an inner tube, playing creative and wacky games in the field, archery, zip-line, and so much more! Campers spend some time each day worshipping God in song and discussion as a group, as well as more intimate cabin Bible study sessions. Camp Arrah Wanna is a place you are SURE to make life-long friends, learn more about how much God loves you, and have a blast while doing it. Come check us out for yourself!

### Section 6: Health Information

Trained/certified medical personnel and nearby clinics assure that you are well taken care of while at Arrah Wanna. If there are any changes / additions to your medical form, please contact the camp office prior to your arrival at camp. ALL medications (prescription & OTC) must be registered with the medical staff upon check-in. **Prescription medicine must be in the original container with the original labeling.** Your insurance is primary. Unless prescribed by a doctor, please do not check-in fluoride, as it creates too much work for the medical staff than is necessary. Thank you!