

The “Ten Commandments” of Camp Northwest:

FOR CHURCHES

1. Have an enthusiastic coordinator run a “manned” sign up table after a Sunday morning service to help sign up campers.
 2. Have a contact person who has an e-mail address, if possible, so that information can be sent quickly from Camp NW to your church.
 3. Collect all camper fees at your church. Bring a church check with you to pay the remainder of camper fees at the registration table when you arrive.
 4. Try to get your kids to invite their lost friends to come to camp, even if you have to take up a love offering to help pay or do fund-raisers such as: rent-a-kid, garage sales, car wash, fireworks stand, pizza feed, etc.
 5. **Send all the Camper Registration forms to us at one time, as best you can, and enclose a copy of the Church Registration form filled out completely by the camp coordinator**
 6. Those who are approved for volunteer staff at camp will be contacted individually and sent a copy of the Staff Handbook and Counselor Manual (if they are a counselor).
 7. Make sure that the Pastor approves and signs all Staff Applications.
 8. Please call the camp office ASAP concerning changes, problems, or questions that might arise after you have mailed your forms to us.
 9. Ask adults to volunteer as staff workers, if they love working with kids or teens.
 10. Promote! Promote! Promote! by using a camp poster on a bulletin board. Also call other Pastors and churches and let them know about Camp Northwest.
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FOR COUNSELORS

1. Bring flip flops with you for the showers.
 2. Bring a coffee cup or mug with you for “get-up-and-go” juice in the morning.
 3. Exercise some before you come to camp.
 4. **Read the Staff Handbook and Counselor Manual BEFORE you come to camp.**
 5. Bring some warm clothes and a rain jacket.
 6. Bring an old pair of shoes, a flashlight, a hat, and an extra towel.
 7. Bring any “*Mission: Possible*” type stuff with you that might help with morale.
 8. Pray for your campers before you get to camp.
 9. Have a positive faith attitude on the way to camp and especially during camp.
 10. Come with a desire to make a difference by speaking the truth in love and by living the Christian life in front of your campers.
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FOR CAMPERS

1. Make sure all campers bring a garbage bag or laundry bag for dirty clothes.
2. Make sure campers bring enough clothes for the week, including an extra pair of old shoes.
3. Make sure the girls have the proper length for their clothes.
4. Make sure campers bring an instrument for the music competition, if they plan to compete.
5. **Make sure all Camper Registration forms have a parent or guardian signature.**
6. Make sure that before you leave to come to camp, each camper has a pillow, sleeping bag, proper clothes, toiletry items and flip flops.
7. Make sure that campers know that if they want to bunk with a friend, that they put the person’s name, grade and church on their Camper Registration form.
8. Have a positive faith attitude, even when things go wrong, because God is in control.
9. Have each camper bring a Bible, if they have one.
10. Make sure your campers understand what NOT to bring to camp.