Our Overnight Camps

CMMBC offers overnight camps for Trailblazers Camp (grades 4-7), and Senior Camp (grades 8-12). Each open-air cabin (boys' cabin pictured below) has 8 bunk beds, and typically houses 6-7 campers with a cabin counselor. The cabin counselor leads campers to ensure that God is honored in all circumstances and to guide them to a maturing relationship with Jesus. In addition, a junior counselor is recommended for Trailblazers Camp.

The Campers' Cabins



Boys: Antioch, Berea, and Corinth Girls: Galatia, Hebron, Iconium and Joppa

Our Day Camps

CMMBC offers Pathfinders Camp (grades K-5) and Trailblazers Camp (grades 4-7). The counselors for day camps guide campers through the scheduled activities for the day and build personal relationships with them to share the love of lesus.

Mission of CMMBC

to worship God and enjoy Christian fellowship and discipleship in the midst of his beautiful creation;

to present the gospel of Jesus Christ to youth, adults and families through the camp's outreach and community involvement.

Location of CMMBC

CMMBC is located in rural Lee County approximately 8 miles from Jonesville in southwestern Virginia. Detailed driving directions may be found at cmmbc.org.



CONTACT US...

For additional information, please contact CMMBC by phone (276-346-1013) or by e-mail (cmmbc1950@gmail.com).

Summer Camp Mission Teams



Psalm 121:1-2 ...my help comes from the Lord!

THANK YOU

We appreciate your interest in hosting a week of Bible camp at Covenant Mountain Mission Bible Camp. Please use the information in this pamphlet to support your church's decision to sponsor a week of camp.

Please call us if you have any questions.

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TYPICAL SCHEDULE

Mission Teams typically arrive on the Saturday afternoon or evening before camps start. CMMBC staff, local workers, and the mission team have ~24 hours to become a unified camp staff. Camp schedules and more detailed timelines are provided at our website.

Mission teams depart either the evening after campers leave or early the next morning.

Pathfinders are scheduled onsite from 9 AM to 3 PM on Monday - Friday. Camp staff are served breakfast before and supper after the day camp schedule. Lunch and snacks are provided to all during the camp.

Trailblazers are scheduled from 9 AM to 7 PM on Monday - Thursday. All meals are provided to campers and staff during the camp schedule.

Senior Camp starts on Sunday afternoon with registration from 3-5 PM and closes <u>after</u> the 7 PM chapel service on Friday evening. Activities may be scheduled offsite for one or two afternoons. All meals are provided to campers and staff during the camp schedule.

Soccer Camp is scheduled offsite from 6 to 7:30 PM on Monday – Thursday or Friday. Supper is served prior to traveling to Soccer Camp, and a hearty snack is served after Soccer Camp. A light snack is also provided to campers and staff during the camp.

Arts Camp is a day camp on Monday –Friday that is offered for various ages as staffing is available, including art, music, and/or theater. Lunch and snacks are provided

Bicycle Camp is scheduled offsite as staffing is available.

More information can be found at cmmbc.org.

Sponsoring Camp at CMMBC

Staffing needs

Staffing needs vary by the age group of the camp that is being sponsored. Please contact us or see our website for more details about staffing requirements. Typical roles to be filled include:

- *mission team leader
- ♣camp speaker
- ♣lead cook
- ♣support staff / jr. staff director
- nurse
- cabin counselors (at least 1 year post high school graduation)
- ♣junior cabin counselors (16+ years)
- ♣craft director
- ♣music director
- ♣activities / games director
- support staff and junior staff (kitchen, games/activities/crafts, music)
- *Prayer Partners (Other Church Members who may not physically be onsite)

Some of the roles can be filled by local volunteers, so please communicate any expected gaps in staffing as soon as possible.

Developing Teamwork

Please take time to develop relationships among your team members prior to arriving at CMMBC. Identify directors and counselors as soon as possible. We encourage the formation of small groups for Bible study to facilitate the spiritual growth for your team prior to and during their mission trip.

The cost of hosting camp

Churches that sponsor a week of summer camp need to consider the costs associated with the mission trip. Sponsoring churches are responsible for:

- ♣their own transportation costs
- food costs for their own staff (approximately \$15 per day per person)
- ♣supplies for activities/crafts
- **curriculum**
- ♣cost of t-shirts for staff
- ♣cost of background checks

Other appreciated support may include:

- ♣camper t-shirts
- ♣transportation costs for day camps
- ♣canteen or craft supplies
- ♣camper scholarships
- supplies (trash bags, paper towel, napkins, cleaning agents, etc.)

Safety

Each sponsoring church is responsible for assuring the safety of their teams. Please have medical information sheets, including allergies and insurance information, for each team member prior to your arrival. Individuals under age 18 must also have parental consent forms, and those over 18 must complete volunteer applications (including background check). Most churches have existing processes and forms in place, but do not hesitate to contact us if you need example forms. In addition, emergency procedures will be provided onsite.