

# 2012 Family & Adult Camp

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Family & Adult Camp Guest Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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| <p align="center"><b>Meal Plan Options</b><br/>Available in Hilltop Dining Hall<br/>(Please confirm at Registration)</p> | <p align="center"><b>Saturday Smorgasbord (5:30 pm)</b><br/>Adults \$12.00 Children (7-11) \$10.00<br/>Children (4-6) \$8.00<br/>Children Under 3 Free</p> | <p align="center">2012 Family &amp; Adult Camp<br/>Arrival &amp; Registration Saturdays<br/>2-5pm<br/>Check-out – Saturdays 9am</p> |
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Please indicate the number per meal per age group for each day.

|                          | Saturday | Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wed. | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| <b>Meal Choices:</b>     |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| <b>Breakfast</b>         |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Adults \$5 each          |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children (7-1) \$4 each  |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children (4-6) \$3 each  |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children Under 3 Free    |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| <b>Lunch</b>             |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Adults \$6 each          |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children (7-11) \$5 each |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children (4-6) \$4 each  |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children Under 3 Free    |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| <b>Dinner</b>            |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Adults \$8 each          |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children (7-11) \$7 each |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children (4-6) \$6 each  |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |
| Children Under 3 Free    |          |        |        |         |      |          |        |          |

**Please note: Saturday evening Dinner is replaced by the Smorgasbord (5:30pm) – Reservations are Required!**

## STANDARD of CONDUCT

As a Christian ministry, Sacandaga Bible Conference holds a unique position within the world today. As a Ministry we are dedicated to Reach, Equip and Disciple! Those who are associated with SBC, including the Director, Board Members, Administration, Cottage Owners and Staff form a community and are not a group of autonomic individuals. We consequently bear certain responsibilities and obligations within the ministry for the implementation of its purpose, to reach, equip and disciple. In order that the ministry may function smoothly and that its purpose may be realized, it is necessary that there be a commitment to certain guidelines which when embraced, involve the willing surrender of certain individual gratifications, purposes and goals.

Since Sacandaga Bible Conference is a Christian ministry, we must follow specific Biblical principles which relate to Christian behavior, SBC, therefore, prohibits practices which are clearly forbidden by the Word of God (eg: I Corinthians 6:9-23, drunkenness, sexual immorality, dishonesty, ect). Further, it is expected that the Christian should exemplify Christian love, consideration for the rights of others, honesty and a high sense of Christian ethics as to not cause spiritual harm to other members of the Christian community. Because the Scriptures prescribe great caution in how Christians should exercise manifestations of the Holy Spirit (such as speaking in tongues and healing), and because believers hold many different beliefs regarding them, it is the policy of SBC that all persons using the Sacandaga Bible Conference facilities and grounds refrain from practicing and promoting them while at SBC.

Biblical considerations:

I Corinthians 6:12: Lawful, but not expedient (not profitable for our good)

"To reach, equip and disciple kids of all ages with the love of Christ, enabling them to reach the world for Christ.."

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I Corinthians 10:23: Lawful, but not edifying; I Corinthians 8:9: Could be a stumbling block;

Romans 1:32: Christians are different, and by living like the world we approve of it. There should be no pleasure in watching sin; Ephesians 5:6-7, 11: Do not be deceived with vanity and participate in it; Colossians 3:17: Make sure it pleases the Lord, not the emotions, flesh or self; Hebrews 12:1-2: Lay aside weights as well as sin.

Sacandaga Bible Conference rejects the principle that exposure to and/or experimentation with the doubtful and objectionable elements of "life" are essential to the development of moral or intellectual discernment and/or discrimination. SBC reserves the privilege to make the final decision for any questionable area.

Certain principles of conduct are believed to be a necessary part of the effort to establish an atmosphere within which the ministry of SBC may be most effective. For this reason, SBC requires all guests and staff of SBC to refrain from the possession and use of alcoholic beverages, tobacco, illicit/narcotic drugs, smoking, gambling, immodest attire (one-piece bathing suits are required for women and swim trunks for men), swearing and negative language, immoral publications, firearms, knives, martial arts items and items of racial, social and/or physical discrimination.

It is encouraged that during your time at SBC, that you join in with the scheduled programs for you and your family. Please use Christian discernment in your choice of entertainment, including movies, television, audio & visual recordings, as well as other forms of entertainment and literature.

Sacandaga Bible Conference recognizes that the observance of these guidelines do not comprise the whole of one's responsibility to God and hence do not necessarily indicate that one is or is not living a life of full commitment. The philosophy of SBC, however, maintains that one's willingness to obey these guidelines shows a maturity and spiritual concern for the whole Christian community. (Galatians 5:13-24)

The conduct of any guest and staff of SBC that is an offense to good taste, sound moral or Christian ethics will not be accepted. While some may not have personal convictions wholly in accordance with the above guidelines, the purpose underlying them necessitates ones honorable obedience to them. If in conscience, a person can no longer in integrity conform, he/she should withdraw from SBC. Willful disobedience of the above guidelines will bring about dismissal from SBC.

To insure that the doctrinal position of Sacandaga Bible Conference will be maintained in an uncompromising manner, it is asked that all guests and staff of SBC individually affirm the above guidelines.

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Guest and/or Staff of Sacandaga Bible Conference

## STATEMENT OF FAITH

**Preamble.** The Sacandaga Bible Conference (SBC) Statement of Faith serves two primary purposes: it informs interested parties what the SBC ministry believes and teaches; it also provides a doctrinal basis for accountability. In the interest of Christian harmony and a testimony to our SBC family and surrounding community, the SBC board asks that all individuals and groups respect and uphold the SBC Statement of Faith and Standards of Conduct in a spirit of Christian charity.

**The Holy Scriptures.** We believe that the Holy Scriptures in the Old and New Testaments are verbally inspired of God, inerrant in the original writings, and the supreme and final authority in faith and life. II Timothy 3:16; II Peter 1:20-21.

**The Godhead.** We believe in one God, eternally existing in three persons--Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We believe that these three are one in essence and attributes, yet distinct in offices and activities. Deuteronomy 6:4; Matthew 28:19; Luke 3:21-22; Acts 2:33.

**Jesus Christ.** We believe that Jesus Christ, God in the flesh (John 1:1,14), came to earth born of a virgin (Matthew 1:23), lived a sinless life (Hebrew 4:15), and offered Himself as the perfect sacrifice for sinners by dying on a cross (1 Peter 1:19). He arose from the dead (Luke 24:6), appeared among men (John 20-21), ascended to heaven from where He rules all creation today (Acts 1:1-11), and will return again someday to reign on earth (Revelation 20:1-10). In the present age (or, until He returns) He calls us to believe in Him as the only way of salvation (John 14:6), to grow spiritually in His image (2 Peter 3:18), to consider Him precious in our sight (1 Peter 2:7), to glorify Him and to continue His mission of evangelizing the lost (John 20:21).

**The Holy Spirit.** We believe that the Holy Spirit indwells every believer from the time of his salvation, that He equips believers with power for fruitful service and operates in the edifying and building up of the Church through the believers. John 3:3-5; Acts 1:8; Romans 8:9, 11; I Corinthians 3:16; 12:4, 11-13; Ephesians 4:4-16; I John 4:13. Although the sign gifts (tongues speaking, faith healing, etc.) are not for this age.

**The Fall of Man.** We believe that man was created in the image of God; that he sinned and thereby incurred not only physical, but spiritual death, which is separation from God; that all human beings are born with a sinful nature and become sinners in thought, word, and deed. Therefore, all need salvation. Genesis 1:26, 27; John 8:44; Romans 3:21-26; 5:12; Ephesians 2:1-2.

**The Incarnation.** We believe that Jesus the Christ was begotten of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, and is both true God and true Man. Matthew 1:18-23; Luke 1:30-35; Philippians 2:5-11.

**The Atonement.** We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures as a representative and substitutionary sacrifice, so that all who believe in Him are justified through His shed blood. Ephesians 1:7-12; Romans 5:1, 8; 4:24; II Corinthians 5:21; Galatians 1:4; 3:13; Titus 2:14.

**The Resurrection of our Lord.** We believe in the resurrection of the crucified body of our Lord, in His ascension into heaven, and in His intercession for believers as High Priest and Advocate. Romans 8:34; Acts 1:9-10; Hebrews 7:25-27.

**The Second Coming.** We believe in the personal return of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, as the "blessed hope" of all believers. John 14:1-3; Titus 2:11-13; Acts 1:11; I Thessalonians 4:13-18.

**Bodily Resurrection.** We believe in the bodily resurrection of the just and the unjust, the everlasting blessedness of the saved, and the everlasting conscious suffering of the lost. Daniel 12:2-3; Matthew 25:46; I Thessalonians 4:13-18; John 5:28-29.

**Salvation.** We believe that all who receive by faith the Lord Jesus Christ are born again by the Holy Spirit and thereby become the children of God. John 1:12-13; Galatians 4:4-7; Romans 8:14-16. Those genuinely saved in Jesus Christ cannot lose their salvation. John 10:26-29; 1 John 5:13.

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## SACANDAGA BIBLE CONFERENCE FAMILY PET POLICY.



Sacandaga Bible Conference realizes that many families have pets that travel with them and are a part of the family! In that regards, we will allow pets, provided that they are well mannered and a few guidelines are followed.

- 1) Pets **MUST** be leashed and under the owner's care at all times.



- 2) We do also ask that your pet be picked up after in regards to its natural bodily functions!



- 3) We ask that you be respectful of other SBC guests in regards to your pet.



- 4) Pets **WILL NOT** be allowed in the waterfront area.



- 5) Pets **WILL NOT** be allowed in SBC cottages or other SBC buildings.



- 6) Owner's **MUST** take full responsibility for their pet and its actions at all times.