

2025 CAMP WAKON' DA-HO

REGISTRATION FEES AND INSTRUCTIONS

Welcome, and thank you for exploring Camp Wakon' Da-Ho. We encourage you to register online, however, if you prefer a paper registration form, please contact The Christian Church in Kentucky (CCK) regional office at (859) 233-1391. **The deadline for early bird registration is Thursday, May 1st. Rates increase after that date.**

Below you will find links to each of our nine summer camping opportunities. Select the camp you wish to attend, and the link will take you to that camp's registration form. If you intend to participate in more than one camp, you register separately for each. To determine your eligibility, use the descriptions and guidelines you will find listed below.

The biggest change this year is how we will do the billing. We are asking campers to pay when they register. Upon submitting your registration form go to campwakondaho.ludus.com and select the camp/camps you are attending. You can pay for more than one camp when you provide your credit card information. If your church provides financial assistance they will issue you a coupon code that will reduce your fee by the amount of their participation. We will bill your church directly for their share. This change was made to simplify the billing process. Your church will receive an invoice at the end of the camping season. Registration fees are listed below.

REGISTRATION FEES IF FORMS ARE RECEIVED BY May 1st, 2025

<u>Camp option</u>	<u>Total Fee</u>	
CYF Camps 1 & 2	\$300.00	
Eighters Camp	\$325.00	
Chi Rho Camps 1 & 2	\$300.00	
Junior Camp		\$275.00
Mini Camp	\$110.00	
Camp 101A	\$60.00	
Camp 101B	\$35.00	

REGISTRATION FEES IF RECEIVED AFTER May 1st, 2025

<u>Camp option</u>	<u>Total Fee</u>
CYF Camps 1 & 2	\$325.00
Eighters Camp	\$350.00
Chi Rho Camps 1 & 2	\$325.00
Junior Camp	\$295.00
Mini Camp	\$120.00
Camp 101A	\$70.00
Camp 101B	\$40.00

CAMP DESCRIPTIONS AND GUIDELINES

CYF Camps 1 & 2

CYF camps are for youth who completed grades 9-12 in 2025. We offer housing that accommodates any camper's gender identity. These camps also feature a closing night formal banquet, so campers should pack a nice outfit. **Arrival time is Mon.12:30-2:00 PM. Departure time is Sat.10:30 AM.**

Eighters Camp

This is a unique opportunity for youth who completed grade 8 in 2025. We offer housing that accommodates any camper's gender identity. Eighters specializes in human sexuality and spirituality. The Christian Church in Kentucky invites *Just Say Know Ministries* to present this outstanding curriculum. To learn more, go to <https://justsayknowministry.com> and explore their website. **Arrival time is Sun. 4:30-5:00PM. Departure Time is Sat.10:30 AM.**

Chi Rho Camps 1 & 2

Chi Rho camps are for youth who completed grades 6-8 in 2025. We offer housing that accommodates any camper's gender identity. **Arrival time is Mon.12:30-2:00 PM. Departure time is Sat.10:30 AM.**

Junior Camp

Junior camp is for youth who completed grades 4-5 in 2025. **Arrival time is Mon.12:30-2:00 PM. Departure time is Fri.10:30 AM.**

Mini Camp

Mini is a weekend camp for youth that completed grades 2*-3 in 2025. **Arrival time is Fri. 4:00-5:00pm. Departure time is Sun. 11:30 AM. Mini Camp Closing Worship starts at 11:00AM. You are welcome to join your camper for worship.**

Camps 101A & B

Camp 101 is for youth that completed grades K-2* in 2025. These camps are designed to orient children to the camping experience. It also provides an opportunity for them to share the adventure with a trusted friend. Each camper must be accompanied by a parent, grandparent, guardian, or other adult aged 21 or older. Like the camper, the accompanying adult needs to fully register for the camp. 101A is a weekend long, sleepover camp. 101B is a single day but does include all the activities of the overnight camp. **Arrival time for 101A is Fri. 7:00-9:00 PM. Departure is Sun. 12noon. Arrival time for 101B is Sat. 9:00-9:30AM. Departure time is Sat. 7:00pm.**

***Campers that have completed grade 2 can choose either Mini camp or one of the 101 camps.**

We realize that there are always extenuating circumstances that may require exceptions to our age guidelines for campers. If you have a question or challenging situation, please call The Christian Church in Kentucky office at (859) 233-1391. Our goal is to make a place for everyone who wants to attend camp.

Health and Medical Safety Protocols

Camp Wakon' Da-Ho reserves the right to put protocols in place in response to any potential medical situation that could endanger campers, staff, or their family members. This includes masking, social distancing, personal sanitation or other recommendations made by local, state, and federal agencies. We will provide as much notice as possible should we consider these actions necessary.

Gender Safe Housing:

As part of our efforts to create an environment where everyone feels welcome, included, and safe, there will be an option at our CYF, Eighters and Chi Rho camps to stay in a gender identity sensitive cabin. This option is for individuals who do not identify with a specific gender, those that identify in a way other than traditional gender roles, and

individuals that are comfortable sharing a cabin with LGBTQ+ Campers. You can reserve space in a gender identity sensitive cabin on the registration forms for these camps.

Camp WKDH Service Animal Guidelines

Note: These guidelines are for service animals. **Emotional support animals are not considered service animals and are not permitted at camp.**

Prior to Camp

- Individual wishing to bring a service animal to camp must provide official documentation that said animal is a certified service animal to both that week's camp director(s) as well as the Executive Director of Camp WKDH.
- Individual wishing to bring a service animal to camp must provide current vaccination records for this service animal to both that week's camp director(s) as well as the Executive Director of Camp WKDH.
- That week's director(s) should notify all staff and campers 2-3 weeks prior to camp so that all individuals coming to that camp are aware that a service animal will be present during their week of camp. The director(s) should ask parents/campers and staff members if they are uncomfortable having a service dog in their small group and/or cabin assignment for medical and/or personal reasons
- The director(s) will honor requests (for allergies or other animal aversion reasons) from campers and/or counselors not to be in small group and/or cabin group with a service animal.

During Camp

- During the camp opening, the service animal should be introduced to the entire camp community. Rules about touching/interacting with the service animal should be explained to all participants and staff.
- The service animal is not permitted in the kitchen at any time. The service animal should also stay away from the salad bar and other food service areas during meal times.
- Service animals should be under the control of their handler at all times.
- Service animals should be tethered with a harness, leash, or other tether, unless it interferes with the animal's work or the handler's disability prevents it.
- Service animals should be housebroken and non-disruptive.
- Service animals should not go where campers are not allowed.
- The handler is responsible for the care and supervision of the service animal. This includes picking up the animal's waste and disposing of the waste in a safe manner.

Camp Rules & Expectations

- * **Liability:** The Christian Church in Kentucky is not responsible for personal items that are lost, stolen, or broken at camp.
- * **Equal Opportunity:** WKDH is open to all regardless of race, creed, color, gender, sexual orientation or national origin.
- * **Camper WILL be sent home** before the end of the event if drugs, alcohol, weapons, fireworks, tobacco products or electronic vapor cigarettes are found in their possession.

- * **No “graffiti”** of any kind is permitted. Campers/Parents will pay for any graffiti or damage to cabins, shelters, etc.
- * **Campers are expected to stay the full time** and should not leave the camp at any time without permission of the Camp Director.
- * **Any camper driving** to camp will not be allowed to leave camp early without written permission of parent or guardian.
- * **VISTIORS** are **NOT** permitted during camp.
- * **Emergencies:** In case of a family emergency, please contact the campsite by telephone at (606) 787-6564, and ask to speak to a Director. Should a camper need emergency medical treatment, a camp director will contact parents via telephone and/or email.
- * **Medications:** Please send an updated list of all medications needed by the camper, including dosage and frequency. **Send all medications, prescription and over the counter, in original containers.** Emergency medications are to be brought to camp; these include EpiPens, Insulin, etc. If a camper arrives without these, they will be sent home.
- * **Medical Insurance:** Be sure to list all medical insurance information. If a camper must go to the hospital during camp, we will list the family’s insurance as primary.
- * **We cannot accept a camper who arrives unannounced or without the approval of a camp director.**
- * **Departure Times:** The camp Closing Circle is important. If you arrive before the departure time, please remain in the parking lot until Closing Circle is finished. **Please arrive within 30 minutes of departure time.**

- * **Refunds:** If cancellation is necessary, please notify The CCK regional office At (859) 233-1391. All cancellations are subject to a \$15 Administrative Fee withheld from the refund. If you cancel at least 14 days prior to the event, you will not receive a bill for your registration fee but will be assessed a \$15.00 cancellation fee. If you cancel less than 14 days prior, you will receive a bill for 50% of the camp registration fee. Cancellations made less than 10 days prior to the beginning of a camp will be billed for the entire fee.

Telephone, Mail, Packages & Email

- * All phone messages will be relayed through the adult camp staff to campers. Campers will not be called to the phone. The phone is not available for campers.
- * Letters and packages may be mailed to the address below. Please make sure to mail early so that it arrives in time. Please use the camper's home address as the return address, in case it doesn't arrive on time:

**Camper's Name,
Week of Camp (i.e. CYF I Camp)
Camp Wakon Da-Ho
7900 East KY 70
Yosemite, KY 42566**

- * Emails will be printed once a day. We ask that you limit the number of emails sent. Please do not send e-cards or photos as they will not be printed. The Directors/Counselors will check and print email for all campers to make sure that all things received are appropriate.
It is up to the discretion of the director to print emails or not. The camp email address is WKDH@CCINKY.net Please use the **Camper's Name in the Subject Line.**

What to Bring

Pillow

Sleeping Bag/Sheets

Casual Clothing-Shorts, Jeans, Shirts, Shoes, etc.

Swimsuits & clothes for several days of water games, including pool towels.

Soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothbrush, toothpaste, etc.

Musical instruments are welcome.

Flashlight with batteries

Offering money

Raincoat

Camera

Water bottle

IPOD with headphones for use in cabin only.

Bible

A nice outfit for the banquet and dance (**this only applies to CYF camps**).

Be sure to mark your belongings!!!!

What not to bring

Laptops

Portable DVD players

Video game systems, etc.

Cell phones, they are cell phones first, not cameras or IPod's.

Weapons of any kind.

Fireworks

NO CANDY, SNACKS, DRINKS OR FOOD ARE ALLOWED IN THE CABINS, they attract wildlife. If the camper has a special snack for dietary reasons, turn it in at check-in.

ALL phones and electronic devices not allowed at camp **will be confiscated** and returned at the end of the week.