

A large, stylized graphic of a baseball is centered over a black and white halftone photograph of a baseball stadium filled with spectators. The words "Home Team" are written in a large, red, cursive script across the baseball. A thick red brushstroke underline is positioned below the text.

*Home Team*

*Counselor Booklet*



## Welcome to Winter Camp

### THEME VERSE: ROMANS 12:1-2

"I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect."

## Counselor Meetings

PONDEROSA CHAPEL || 6:00PM FRIDAY || 4:45PM SATURDAY || 4:45PM SUNDAY

Please attend all counselor meetings for important information about camp. Sunday counselor meetings are held during holiday weekends only.

### NEED TO FIND A REDCOAT?

Redcoats (Hume Winter Camp Lead Counselors) are at all meals, chapels, and can be found roaming the major areas of camp. Should a need arise late at night, find them in their lodging upstairs in Ponderosa Lodge.

## Winter Theme

While the world says this life is our own to live how we please, the Christian recognizes that this life is not our own but belongs to the God of all creation. This winter, we will examine Romans 12 to discover that living a life surrendered to God and His Word is one of love, sacrifice, and transformed obedience. The Christian life is a life in Christ wholeheartedly devoted to God, devoted to His Word, and devoted to His Church.



### 1. Be at all Meals

All meals are served buffet style. Please take your plates, cups, and silverware back to the kitchen. Stack your chairs and wipe down your tables before you leave the dining hall.

### 2. Be at all Meetings

Please sit with your students during chapels and ensure they are on time. Chapel doors will open 10 minutes before meetings begin.

### 3. Be Modest

Please do not wear spaghetti straps, strapless or halter tops, sagging pants or shorts which expose undergarments, spandex shorts, clothing that exposes bare midriffs, and no short shorts/skirts/dresses. When wearing leggings, please tie a shirt, flannel, or sweatshirt around your waist.

### 4. Don't Be Messing Around

- No drugs, alcohol, tobacco, firearms, fireworks, or weapons of any kind
- No guys in the girls' cabin area; no girls in the guys' cabin area
- No wrestling or horseplay
- No electronic devices
- Stay out of the way of traffic
- No walking on the frozen lake or pond







## THINGS TO DO

### ESCAPE ROOM

\$10 per person // Located on the hill above the Activities Center // Gather your team to solve puzzles and escape from Hermit's Cave! // Sign up at the Escape Room — first-come, first-served!

### TUBE RUN // SNOWBOARD RUN // ICE SKATING

Free // Just show up and our activities staff will get you set up with all the equipment needed to enjoy the fun!

### BASECAMP

Free // Located between the Tube Run & Health Center // Come enjoy, fire pits, hangout areas, hot chocolate, and freshly popped popcorn!

### BAZOOKA BALL

Free // Meadow Ranch Chapel // This is a fun, fast-paced combat sport where players use air-powered launchers to fire golf ball sized, squishy foam spheres, offering the thrill of paintball without the mess or sting! // Sessions every 15 minutes — first-come, first-served!

### CANDLE MAKING

\$10-\$15 // 1:30pm-4:30pm in Cedar Chapel // A quick and enjoyable activity where you choose the vessel, scent, and name for your candle!

### HUME COFFEE CO.

Warm up and have a delicious cup of coffee, hot chocolate, or warm cider. Hume Coffee Co. is a great place to have a good conversation or to play cards!

### OK CHALET, TATONKA, + ROCK WALL

Join us in the OK Chalet for a little break from the cold! Enjoy a soft couch, great food, games, and more! Plus, you can take on our mechanical buffalo, Tatonka, AND climb our indoor rock wall!

### *OK Chalet*

#### **Regular Weekend Hours**

Friday // 3p-6:30p, 8:45p-10:15p  
Saturday // 11:30a-5p, 8:15p-9:30p

#### **Long Weekend Hours**

Friday // 3p-6:30p, 8:45p-10:15p  
Saturday // 11:30a-5p,  
8:15p-10:15p  
Sunday // 11:30a-5p, 8:15p-9:30p

### *Hume Coffee Co.*

#### **Regular Weekend Hours**

Friday // 3p-5:30p, 8:45p-10:15p  
Saturday // 7a-8:45a, 11:15a-5  
8:15p-9:30p

#### **Long Weekend Hours**

Friday // 3p-5:30p, 8:45p-10:15p  
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## RECREATION

### *Our Philosophy Behind Recreation*

Above all, our desire is that recreation is simply another tool for bringing your students into a living, meaningful relationship with Jesus Christ. It is an opportunity for your students to bond together and for walls to breakdown, allowing trust and friendships to be built. Hopefully, this trust and friendship will translate into enriching conversations in your cabin discussions.

### *Be Intentional With Recreation*

**Encourage Your Students To Get Involved.** If you do not want to participate or have a bad attitude, they will follow you. Whether you win or lose, remember the point is to have fun and to build unity within your group.

**Be Respectful.** It is easy to get a little too competitive, even as counselors. Remember, these students are watching you!! If you are yelling at the refs or being rude to the other teams, it can just turn ugly. Show your students what it looks like to be competitive with integrity.

**Dress Appropriately.** Help us out by making sure your students are dressed in such a way that whether they are bending over or leaning down while playing Broom Hockey they won't be revealing themselves inappropriately.



Questions? Chat with your Redcoat. They can be found at all meals, chapels, and at free time.

## BROOM HOCKEY

### *Teams*

- \* Teams may be comprised of several churches or one church may consist of several teams.
- \* Each team consists of 6-8 campers. Campers may only play for one team in the tournament. Counselors may not play in camper tournaments.
- \* Tournament play is gender specific. No co-ed teams.
- \* Develop a creative, appropriate, and wholesome name for your team.
- \* Register your team during breakfast.

### *Rules*

- \* No cleats, blades, or shoe modifications of any kind permitted on the ice at any time.
- \* Each game starts with a face-off and is 4 minutes long.
- \* All players must hold onto their broom at all times.
- \* For a goal to count, the puck must break the plane of the back side of the goal line and be under the height of the cones.
- \* Goalkeepers must remain on both knees and stay in the goal box. At no time may a goalkeeper consistently lay down between the cones.
- \* Goalkeepers may trap the puck with their hands and/or feet. When the puck is trapped, players must move back to allow the puck to be put into play. The goalkeeper must use the broom to put the puck back into play.

### *Sudden Death*

- \* In the event of a tied score, the game will go into "sudden death" overtime.
- \* Goals are widened and the first team to score wins.

### *Safety*

- \* No climbing or sitting on the railing.
- \* Keep all snow and foreign objects off the ice rink.
- \* When entering/exiting the rink, always use the gate closest to the ark window.
- \* Helmets and gloves must be worn at all times while on the ice.

## BOXSLED BLITZ

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- \* Each church is allowed to send down 1 boxesled with at least 2 but no more than 6 riders.
- \* Register your church's boxesled at the final counselor meeting.

### CONSTRUCTION

- \* You are only allowed to use duct tape and cardboard to create your boxesled. Painting or putting anything on your boxesled other than duct tape and cardboard will result in disqualification.
- \* Boxesleds can be built before coming up to Hume. Students can put on the finishing touches while at camp. You may build your sled in Memorial Chapel, we just ask that you and your students clean up after you are done.
- \* Put all trash and excess cardboard in designated locations.
- \* You may purchase additional duct tape at the General Store.

### CHECK-IN, SCORING, AND JUDGING

- \* Only the riders, a counselor, and a few of the students who helped build the box are allowed at check-in. One student will have 1 minute max to explain the concept behind the sled. Judges base their score on two components: the creativity of the boxesled and the quality of the run.

### SAFETY

- \* Each rider must be wearing gloves, a long sleeve shirt/sweatshirt, and long pants. We will provide helmets for all riders.

### THE GOLDEN MAILBOX

- \* The church that receives the highest score in the Boxesled Blitz gets to take home the Golden Mailbox for an entire year.
- \* If your church wins the Golden Mailbox it is up to you to bring it back when you return the following year and try to win it again.
- \* You as a church can add anything you want to the mailbox (eg. a picture of your youth group, wheels on the bottom, have everyone sign it, etc.). Be as creative as you want!
- \* The only rule is that you may not remove anything from the mailbox that is already there.
- \* Our hope is that the mailbox comes back every year with something new added to it.

## THE HEALTH CENTER

The Health Center is located at the bottom of the Tube Run.

*Hours: 8:00am-11:00pm Daily*

- A nurse is readily available during open Health Center hours.
- If you or your camper is injured or feeling ill, please check with a redcoat prior to visiting the Health Center to be sure a nurse will meet you there.
- The Health Center is closed during chapel. Please encourage your camper to wait until after chapel unless it is an emergency (e.g., allergic reaction, seizure). If an emergency occurs, find a redcoat or staff member who can radio the nurse on call.

*After Hours*

- Emergencies only! Please use discretion regarding incidents at night. An emergency is something which cannot wait until the following morning.
- Please bring the camper to the redcoats at Ponderosa Lodge before going to the Health Center after hours.

*Counselor Responsibility*

- You are responsible for maintaining your campers' health and safety at camp. Please ask students if they have any activity restrictions or allergies.
- Encourage campers to drink plenty of water, attend all meals, and wash their hands for 20 seconds beforehand. Ask if they take any regular medications and remind them at mealtimes to get their scheduled doses.
- Try to remain calm when someone is injured. When injury occurs, your responsibility is crowd control. Please contact a Hume staff member to transport patient to the Health Center. Stay with the injured camper.

*Medication*

- Under California law, you may not administer any medication to a minor, including over-the-counter medicines. Use the lock box in your cabin to store your personal medications and belongings. Students may not keep medication with them or in the cabin, except for emergency EpiPens, inhalers, and diabetic supplies. They can pick up their medications in Ponderosa Dining during the scheduled times:

Breakfast.....7:45-8:45am

Lunch.....12:00-1:30pm

Dinner.....5:00-6:15pm

*\*Bedtime Medications: Students can pick up their bedtime medications at the Health Center starting at 9:15pm each evening. Please ensure that your students pick up their medications before returning to their cabin when the bell rings at 10:15pm.*

## CPR TRAINING



**If a camper is found unconscious and unresponsive please do the following:**

- CHECK the scene, then CHECK the person.
- Tap on the shoulder and shout, "Are you okay?" and quickly look for breathing.
- Send someone to CALL or radio for 9-1-1 if no response and get an AED.
- AED's are located in: Welcome Center, Ponderosa Dining Hall, Ponderosa Chapel, Health Center, Meadow Ranch Coffee Co., and The Ark.
- If no response & not breathing, **BEGIN CHEST COMPRESSIONS.**
- Put the heel of one hand on the center of the chest with the heel of the other hand on top of it. Keep your arms straight with shoulders over your hands.
- Push hard (adult at least 2", child 2") & fast (100-120/minute, to the rate of the song "Baby Shark").
- Let the chest rise completely before pushing down again.
- Continue chest compressions.
- **DO NOT STOP** unless: You see signs of life, another trained responder arrives and takes over, EMS takes over, you are too tired to continue, to put the AED on, or if the scene becomes unsafe.
- If an AED arrives, instructions for use are attached to the AED.







# SESSION THREE

Lined writing area for session three notes.

### CABIN DISCUSSIONS

1. In what ways is the Church an important part of the Christian life?
2. Identify gifts and skills of one another which contribute to the Church.
3. What is the Gospel message?

## Devotion to the Church

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The Bible teaches that the Church is the Body of Christ. It is not a building but a people; those who have received salvation through faith in Jesus. Being made up of all different types of people, members of the Church are to use their individual skills and gifts to glorify God. Read Romans 12:3-8, *3 "For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. 4 For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, 5 so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. 6 Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faith; 7 if service, in our serving; the one who teaches, in his teaching; 8 the one who exhorts, in his exhortation; the one who contributes, in generosity; the one who leads, with zeal; the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness."*

**What does verse 3 warn against?**

**What are examples of individual gifts and skills that contribute to the Church?**

As a Christian, it is important to have an honest, realistic, and clear-headed view of yourself. You might have the tendency to be prideful or the tendency to belittle yourself, and the Bible warns against both. The beautiful thing about the Body of Christ is that we are all created by God, dearly loved by Him, and have a shared identity under the banner of Christ. There is a unity and togetherness within the Church that looks and lives differently than the world. The Church is individually and collectively living sacrificial lives unto God. The Church's mission is to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

**Write out the Gospel of Jesus Christ.**

### PRAYER

*God, thank you for the Church as a community to belong to and as a place to learn more about you. Help me to see the unique gifts and skills of others in the Church. Help me to have a realistic and honest view of myself, knowing I am deeply loved by you.*









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