FBC ALTUS STUDENTS

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WHAT-YOU-NEED-TO-KNOW PACKET



SCHEDULE

MONDAY

9:00AM – Meet at FBC Altus / Load bags into trailer / Check-in in Fellowship Hall

12:30PM – Arrive at Falls Creek / Lunch

5:30PM – Dinner

6:55PM – Arrive at tabernacle for service

10:00PM – Be in big room for cabin devotion (Start at 10:15 sharp)

11:45PM - Lights out

TUESDAY - FRIDAY

7:30AM – Wake up

8:00AM - Breakfast

8:40AM - Quiet time

9:00AM - In cabin games & bible study

10:00AM - Small group time

10:35AM – Head to tabernacle for morning worship

12:00PM – Lunch

1:30PM – Breakouts, recreation, and missions

5:30PM – Dinner

6:50PM - Head to tabernacle for evening worship

10:15PM – Be in big room for cabin devotion

10:35PM – Small Groups

11:45PM – Lights out

SATURDAY

Have all stuff packed and ready to go Friday night

8:00AM - Be in main room with all of your stuff. Load it on the trailer. Grab breakfast.

9:00AM – Leave Falls Creek (will send parent text with ETA)

11:30AM - Arrive home to FBC Altus Youth House

DEPARTURE & RETURN

Monday July 21 - Meet at the Uhaul in the east church parking lot at 9:00am

- 1. Drop suitcase & bedding at Uhaul
- 2. Check-in in FBC Fellowship hall
- 3. Parent(s) drop any medication & complete medication form at med table
- 4. Prayer
- 5. Load into assigned buses/vans & head to camp!!

Saturday July 26 - Arrive back at Youth House at approximately 11:30am

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Garrett Biliske (Student Pastor): 405-312-6446

Garrett Biliske camp cell phone: *will text out to all parents before camp

Amy Biliske (Student Ministry Assistant): 580-603-2697

Carson Mardis (Student Intern): 580-481-8146

Destiny Abila (Student Office Intern): 580-301-0893

Falls Creek Camp Office: 580-369-2101

FBC Altus Office: 580-482-0230

MORE ABOUT FALLS CREEK

CAMP DATES: JULY 21-26, 2025

LOCATION: FALLS CREEK: 6714 OK - 77D, DAVIS, OK 73030

WHAT WE ARE ABOUT

Falls Creek Youth Camp exists to support the local church in reaching lost students in their communities and raising a generation of teenagers who walk with God and actively make disciples.

We have a three-year theme cycle emphasizing root issues in the Christian student's journey:

- → Knowing the Character and Nature of God
- → Practicing Spiritual Disciplines
- → Living a Disciple-making Lifestyle

Mornings at camp provide relevant worship and creative biblical teaching, challenging believers to walk with God, to share their faith in Christ consistently, and to know God more deeply. Afternoons offer many activities, engaging students physically, socially, and spiritually. Each evening in our worship service, the Gospel is clearly presented, and students will have an opportunity to respond.

Each week we place a high priority on Scripture, worship, relationships within the local church, and opportunities for students and adult leaders to sharpen their skills and prepare to serve God consistently after camp. Falls Creek Youth Camp is designed to reach and equip Oklahoma students and serve Oklahoma Baptists but is open to churches across the nation that share the biblical values of Oklahoma Baptists.

THIS SUMMER'S THEME



"Humble yourselves before the Lord, and He will lift you up." James 4:10

We often think of spiritual growth as production and miss the fact that growth in the Christian life starts with and is dependent upon God's work more than our effort. We think the answer is to work hard, to become disciplined, to fight when to level up, we must first become less. This isn't easy and doesn't come naturally.

This summer we will walk through James 4 and look at the attitudes with which we pursue a life of spiritual discipline in Christ. As believers, we are to take the posture of:











PACKING LIST

Basic Checklist for Campers:

- Bible with name written somewhere inside or out
- Notepad & Pen/Pencil
- Modest clothing for six days (all clothing must abide by the dress code, please refer to the dress code at the end of this document)
- Clothes for theme nights (optional)
- Reusable WATER BOTTLE with name
- Spending money for concessions/gift shop. (optional) (\$50 should be plenty)
- \$ for Offering for Missions (optional, Thursday night)
- Watch (optional but encouraged)
- Bag for dirty clothes (helpful)

Cabin Items:

- Pillow / bedding: (for a twin-size bed sheets, blanket, sleeping bag, etc.)
- Towel(s)
- Hygiene products (deodorant!)
- Shower shoes

Please keep in mind, luggage space is VERY limited in the cabin

No SPRAY OR AERESOL items of any kind allowed at camp this year

Recreation Items (optional):

- Extra clothes that can get wet/dirty
- Shorts (dress code still applies during rec)
- Sandals for sand volleyball
- Closed toe shoes (required for the ropes course and other activities)
- Swimsuit (one piece for girls, long swim trunks and a shirt for guys). Shirts must be worn over swimsuits when walking to and from the swimming areas
- Skateboard, helmet, and pads (Falls Creek provides pads if needed)
- Disc Golf Discs (there will be some discs available to check out from the rec center)
- Pickleball Paddle
- Fishing Tackle and other Fishing supplies
- Appropriate attire for the 5k tennis shoes, dress code appropriate shorts. (Dress code still applies for the 5k)

GREAT ATTITUDE, WILLING SPIRIT AND AN OPEN HEART!

MEDICATION

If a student is needing medication while at camp, you can pick up a medication form at check-in on Monday, July 21 when you drop off your student. All medication including over the counter medications will need to be checked in by a parent/guardian during drop off. Any student needing to take medication throughout the week will need to bring that medication in the original bottle/package with prescription information in a ziptop bag with their name written on it and turn it in to the medication table at check-in. They will need to include a detailed description of when and how much to take. Our cabin nurse will oversee all the medications for our week at camp. Parents may choose to send over the counter 'just in case' medications, but they too will need to be checked in on Monday morning during drop off. Remember, your student may be extremely responsible with medications, but others may not. Please help us protect all students.

THEME NIGHTS

Students and sponsors may choose to dress-up for our in cabin theme nights. There will be individual and team points given to the best outfit each night. Please remember nothing scary and no face coverings or masks. All theme night outfits must still follow the camp dress code. Students may choose if they would like to wear their theme night outfit to evening tabernacle.



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RECREATION OPTIONS

Volleyball, kickball, horseshoes, zip lines, high and low ropes course challenge elements, skateboarding, hiking, running, kayaks, lake park, water slides, spiritual growth breakouts, missions mobilization, swimming, pickleball, and more activities are scheduled for the week of camp. Our cabin will also have board games, ping pong, and other free time activities.

EXPECTATIONS/RULES

- 1. Obey all rules for the week, both written and verbal
- 2. Respect your adult authorities for the week
- 3. Respect other students and their property
- 4. When in doubt, see point #1

Any misconduct will be taken seriously, and any abuse will be reported to the appropriate authorities. We will always do all we can to keep our Student Ministry healthy and safe in this regard. Part of that is letting everyone know up front our seriousness and who you can report to—students can report to any adult sponsor (who will then report it further) or you can report it to Garrett Biliske directly. We don't assume this will happen, but always want to be as prepared as possible.

- No drugs, alcohol, illegal substances, etc.
- No leaving the cabin after curfew
- No violence
- No pranks / bullying
- No aerosols or sprays of ANY kind (bug spray, perfume, deodorant, sunscreen, hair spray, etc.)
- No sharing beds or showers (ex:1 person per shower, 1 person per bed)
- No PDA (No public or private displays of affection)
- Do not bring weapons, fireworks, lighters, or knives of any kind
- Bring and wear appropriate clothing. (Modest and within dress code/no clothing with inappropriate words or images)
- Clean up after yourself. (After meals, upstairs around bunk areas, bathroom areas, etc.)
- Be where you need to be when you need to be. This includes being in the cabin on time.
- Students will have cell phones during afternoon free time. If cell phones or other electronic
 devices become a distraction during the week, they will be collected and stored at the
 discretion of the Youth Pastor.
- Sit together with our group in all services.
- Wear wristband & lanyard at all times.
- Respect other people's property.
- Listen to and respect your adult authorities.
- Have fun!:)

If it is determined that a student will need to be sent home for any reason, including sickness or behavioral issues, it will be A.P.E. (at parent's expense) - parents will be required/responsible to come get the student from camp.

MODESTY/PDA

MODESTY/PDA: Believing that modesty extends beyond the dress code, Falls Creek asks that students refrain from any forms of PDA (Public Displays of Affection).

DRESS CODE

Please reach out with any questions BEFORE camp and help your student pack to ensure they are well prepared for a week at camp.



