



October 5, 2013

Dear Friends,

Though it's a beautiful fall day here today, we'd like to extend a warm welcome to you to come and join us at Covenant Point for a wonderful and wintry week of *Christmas Camp*, December 27 through January 1.

Christmas Camp aims to be just the right mix of shared meals, programmed activities both inside and out, restful downtime, and worship that continues the celebration of Christ's birth. It's the perfect time and place to actually enjoy getting "snowed in," to allow yourself or your family to simply "be," and to experience the joy of Christmas with the community and natural surroundings of Covenant Point.

Our staff will be ready to serve with well-groomed ski trails, excellent homemade meals, fun and friends for kids of all ages, a warm fireplace, intergenerational worship, a full coffee pot, clean cabins, and a hot sauna. It will be up to you to do the rest: to simply come as you are.

Registration is open, and I would be happy to answer any questions you may have. Looking forward to it all.

Grace and Peace,

Erik Strom
Executive Director

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Christmas Camp

Covenant Point Bible Camp

December 27 – January 1



A wonderful week to relax and spend time enjoying family, friends, winter sports, good books, and warm fireplaces while immersed in the natural beauty of Upper Michigan.

Activities include:

- Sledding and tubing
- Broomball
- Ice skating
- Cross country skiing
- Downhill skiing and snowboarding (at nearby Ski Brule)
- Sauna and polar bear dip
- Roller skating and basketball in the tabernacle
- Air hockey, ping pong, and foosball
- Games and puzzles
- Indoor swimming (\$3-6 at nearby George Young Rec. Center)
- Ice fishing (must possess valid MI fishing license if you are above the age of 16)
- Skeet shooting

Christmas Camp begins Tuesday, December 27 at 5:00 PM and finishes up on Sunday, January 1 after brunch. The full time rate is \$265.00 for those 13 years and older, \$140.00 for those 3 – 12, and \$40.00 for children under three. (Weekly cross country ski rental or daily snowshoe rental is included.)

Our first meal together is on December 27th at 6:00pm. Plan on staying after the meal for our first meeting together.

A housing-only option is also available for the night of the 26th, at a pro-rated cost. Please indicate this on your registration form.

What to bring:

- Your own bedding, sleeping bags, pillows
- Towels, toiletries, etc.
- Warm clothing, winter coat, boots
- Slippers, books, and games for around the fireplace and in the dining hall
- Swimsuit for sauna and a “polar bear” dip

Temperatures during the day usually range from 0 to 25 degrees Fahrenheit. Camp buildings are warm, and there is wood available for the fireplaces and woodstoves. Wool sweaters, heavy jackets, and plenty of warm socks are most appropriate. Camp policy prohibits alcoholic beverages on camp grounds and smoking in camp buildings.



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Housing Options:

Maple Lodge: 8 rooms housing 3-4 people per room, three bathrooms for the lodge and a lounge area shared by all rooms.

Aspen and Birch Lodges: 2 rooms in each, housing 12 people per room, each room having a private bathroom and a small lounge shared by both rooms. (Minimum fee for one room is full-time rate for 4 adults).

Pine Lodge: 4 rooms housing 8-12 people per room, two bathrooms for the lodge and a large lounge shared by all rooms.

Cedar Lodge: 4 rooms housing 10 people per room, each room has a private bathroom and a large lounge shared by all rooms. (Minimum fee for one room is the full-time rate of 4 adults). The lounge area overlooks the indoor climbing wall which will be used by people throughout the week on a limited schedule.

Squirrel's Cage: 3 bedroom housekeeping unit; one room with two bunk beds, one room with a double bed and a bunk bed and one room with a queen size bed. (Minimum fee is the full-time rate of 5 adults).

Nature Center: 2 rooms housing 8 people per room, two bathrooms and a large lounge with a fireplace, shared by both bedrooms. (Minimum fee for one room is the full-time rate of 4 adults). NOTE: This building is in our "Back 40," so it is a farther walk to and from the Dining Hall, but our groomed cross country ski trail and a small road provide easy access (no parking is available at the Nature Center).

Sample Daily Schedule:

7:15 AM	Coffee, hot water and cold cereal available
8:30 AM	Hot breakfast (following breakfast, all those wishing to pack a lunch for the day may do so)
9:30 AM	Intergenerational worship
10:15 AM	Enjoy some free time or a staff-led activity
12:30 PM	Lunch
1:30 PM	Enjoy some free time or a staff-led activity
6:00 PM	Dinner
7:15 PM	Intergenerational worship
Next	Optional evening program
10:30 PM	Quiet time in the sleeping areas
	Sauna off



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Please send completed form with
\$300 NONREFUNDABLE deposit to:

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Participant Information:

Housing Preference(s) – Please indicate both preferred lodge and lodging neighbors, if applicable.

Address

Home and Cell Phone Numbers

Email

Participant Name/Age/Dietary or Other Restrictions***

***Please include a written, detailed description of needs/allergies (dietary and otherwise), and applicable emergency action plans.

As parent/legal guardian, I hereby give my consent to have the above-named Participants fully participate in all camp activities, outings and field trips conducted on and off the campus of Covenant Point, recognizing that there are risks known and unknown, foreseeable and unforeseeable involved in participating in these or similar activities. Covenant Point has taken reasonable and prudent steps to reduce known and foreseeable risks. I understand activities may be strenuous and/or outdoors and agree that participation in activities is voluntary. I understand and agree that neither Covenant Point nor its trustees, officers, directors, employees, agents or representatives may be held liable in any way for any injury, harm, damage or death which may occur to the above Participants as a result of participation in these activities and hereby release, save and hold harmless the above mentioned of said injury due to participation in these activities. Further, I do consent to any and all medical treatment that may be deemed necessary for the Participants should he/she require such assistance, including the ordering and administering of medications. I agree that my insurance plan is the primary plan to pay for the medical, dental or hospital care or treatment that is given to the Participants. I agree to allow Covenant Point to transport Participants as needed and to use a photocopy of this form as authorization when necessary. Covenant Point may use Participant's photo, films, digital images, and audio recordings in future promotional materials. I have read and voluntarily agree to the statements herein.

Signature of Adult / Guardian / Parent _____

Printed Name _____ Date _____

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