

OKLAHOMA BAPTIST YOUTH CAMP

Camp Registration Information

Dates

Teen & JR Camp: June 2nd-6th, 2025

Check In: 2:00pm Check Out: 10:00am

Camp Location

Camp WOW (Walk on Water) 8256 Diagonal 1500 Rd Stuart, OK 74570

Camp Speaker

Teen Camp Speaker: Park Sutton

Junior Camp Speaker: Trevor Reynolds

Camp Cost

\$275 if registered by Monday, April 21st \$300 if registered after Monday, April 21st

There is a non-refundable \$40 per person registration fee due by April 21st. This fee is included in the total price.

The price is the same for both teen and junior campers. All campers must complete a Camp WOW liability waiver.

Camp Directors

Teen Camp Director: Pastor Tim Russell (417)414-7400 Junior Camp Director: Pastor Joe Decker Jr. (417)379-1227

How to Register

Mail to Victory Baptist Church at: 252 N Nicholas Rd. Nixa, MO, 65714

Or Email to:

tim.russell@victorynixa.com Please submit registration by Monday, April 21st.

If you have any questions about camp, please feel free to contact Tim Russell at the email listed above. Thank you for partnering with us, and we look forward to being with you this summer, June 2nd-6th.

Dress Code

Everyone

All clothes must be modest and loose fitting. No attire with questionable writing or graphics will be allowed. No shorts are allowed during the evening chapel service.

If wearing shorts, skirts or culottes, please sit modestly and appropriately in order to prevent your clothing from riding up on your thigh.

Girls/Ladies

Dresses, skirts, culottes, or loose-fitting athletic shorts are approved attire. All should be at least knee length. All tops must be modest. No sleeveless shirts, tank tops, or pants for girls.

Young ladies are encouraged to wear a knee length dress or knee length skirt and modest top to evening services. No shorts or athletic attire may be worn during evening services.

Swim wear must be 1 piece or full coverage 2 piece (no bikinis). Campers and Counselors should be fully dressed (shorts and shirt) coming and going to the springs.

Boys/Men

Jeans, khakis, loose fitting athletic pants, or shorts are approved attire. All shorts should be knee length.

Young men are encouraged to wear collared shirts to evening services. No shorts or athletic attire may be worn during evening services.

Swim wear includes modest shorts or swim trunks. Campers and Counselors should be fully dressed (shorts and shirt) coming and going to the swimming area.

No jewelry (except for medical identification purposes).

Basic Info

Ages/Grades Eligible to Attend

Junior campers are children 3rd grade (8 years old) through 6th grade (12/13 years old). Teen campers are young people currently in 7th-12th grade. Questions about age restrictions may be directed to Tim Russell and are primarily up to each church's discretion.

What to Pack

Bible, sleeping bag or bedding for twin mattress, pillow, appropriate attire for services, activities, and swimming (see dress code), toiletries (toothpaste, deodorant, soaps, etc.), towel(s), money for snacks, sunscreen, bug spray, flashlight.

Do not bring

Gaming devices, headphones, weapons, drugs, alcohol, vaping devices, movies, fireworks, or lighters.

Activities

Basketball, volleyball, gaga ball, zip line, climbing wall, human foosball, lakeside swimming area with loads of water activities, and much more!

Competitions

FOR SENIOR CAMPERS

- We will divide all of the teen campers from all of the churches into 4 separate teams that will compete in various indoor and outdoor competitions throughout the week.
- We plan to have church versus church volleyball (5v5) and basketball (3v3) for both guys and girls. (Rules and information at the end of this form)
- We plan to have a music (solo, group, and instrumental) competition and preaching competition. (Rules and information at the end of this form)

FOR JUNIOR CAMPERS

Most competitions will be boys vs. girls.

Special Music

We will have a camp choir for both teen campers and junior campers for all of those who are interested. We will send out music to all churches who will be attending, and we would encourage you to practice with your students before you attend camp.

We will also enjoy special music provided by various groups and soloists selected from the attending churches

2025 Teen Camp Schedule (subject to change)

Monday

- 2:00pm Registration and unpack
- 3:00-3:30pm Orientation (in worship center)
- 3:30-5:30pm Swim Test/Free Time
 - o 3:30pm-4:30pm Girl's swim test/Guy's free time
 - 4:30pm-5:30pm Guy's swim test/Girl's free time
- 6:00pm Dinner
- 6:30pm Free Time
- 7:30pm Camp Choir Practice (cafeteria)
- 8:00pm Evening Service (worship center)
- 9:30pm Evening group activity followed by free time
- 10:30pm Final Assembly (worship center)
- 11:30pm Lights out

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

- 7:45am Morning Assembly (worship center)
- 8:00am Breakfast
- 8:30am Time alone with God
- 9:00am Morning Service (worship center)
- 10:30am Cabin Cleanup
- 11:00am 4-Team competition
- 11:30am Lunch
- 12:00pm Free Time
- Guys 1:00pm-5:00pm schedule
 - o 1:00pm-2:15pm Guys Swim Time
 - 2:30pm-5:00pm Sports Competitions/Free Time
- Girls 1:00pm-5:00pm Schedule
 - o 1:00pm-3:30pm Sports Competitions/Free Time
 - o 3:45pm-5:00pm Girl's Swim Time
- 4:30pm Talent Competitions begin (for those who aren't in sports)
- 5:00pm Shower Power Hour/Talent Competitions (worship center)
- 6:15pm Dinner
- 7:00pm Free Time
- 7:30pm Camp Choir Practice (cafeteria)
- 8:00pm Evening Service (worship center)
- 9:30pm Evening group activity and/or free time
- 10:30pm Final Assembly (worship center)

Friday

- 8:00am Breakfast
- 8:30am Morning assembly (worship center)
- 9:00am Cabin Cleanup/Pack
- 10:00am Check out of cabins and dismiss from camp

2025 Junior Camp Schedule (subject to change)

Monday

- 2:00pm Registration/Unpack/Free Time
- 3:00-3:30pm Orientation (in Cafeteria)
- 3:30pm-5:30pm Swim Test/Free Time
- 5:30pm Dinner
- 6:00pm Funspiration
- 6:30pm Evening Service (chapel)
- After Service Free Time
- 9:30pm Final Assembly
- Lights Out 30 minutes after

Tuesday-Thursday

- 7:30am Time to Get Up!
- 8:00am Meeting in Party Barn
- 8:40am Breakfast
- 9:15am Cabin Cleanup
- 9:30am Free Time
- 10:30am Morning Service (chapel)
- 12:00pm Lunch
- 12:45pm Camp Choir (chapel)/Free Time
- Boys 1:30pm-4:30pm Schedule
 - 1:30pm-2:45pm Boys Swim Time
 - o 3:00pm-3:45pm Team Games
 - 3:45pm-4:30pm Free Time
- Girls 1:30pm-4:30pm Schedule
 - o 1:30pm-2:15pm Team Activities
 - o 2:15pm-3:00pm Free Time
 - o 3:15pm-4:30pm Girl's Swim Time
- 4:30pm Shower Power Hour
- 5:30pm Dinner
- 6:15pm Evening Service (chapel)
- 8:00pm Music and Preaching Competitions (cafeteria)/Free Time
- 9:00pm Evening Activity Time
- 9:30pm Final Assembly (cafeteria)
- Lights Out 30 minutes after

Friday

- 7:30am Time to Get Up!
- 8:00am Morning Assembly (worship center)
- 8:30am Breakfast
- 9:00am Cabin Cleanup/Pack
- 10:00am Check out of cabins and dismiss from Camp

Teen Basketball Tournament Rules

- This will be a double elimination style tournament. (unless another format is determined to be better based on the number of teams participating.)
- Each game will be played on a half court with one basket.
- A coin toss will determine who receives the ball first.
- Every successful shot inside the arc is awarded one point, while every successful shot behind the arc is awarded two points.
- The games will be a single period of 8-10 minutes. The winner will be the first team to score 21 points or the team with the highest score at the end of the time period. A tie in regulation leads to an untimed overtime period, which is won when one team achieves a 2 point advantage.
- Game play starts with the defensive team exchanging the ball with the offensive team behind the arc. This exchange is also used to restart the game from any dead ball situation. If a foul is committed that results in the non-fouling team retaining possession the non-fouling team will receive the exchange.
- If the defense gains possession of the ball within the arc, by a steal, a block or a rebound, the team must move the ball behind the arc before being allowed to take a shot.
- After a made goal or free throw play restarts with a player from the non-scoring team taking the ball directly under the basket and then dribbling or passing it to a point behind the arc. The defense is not allowed to play for the ball inside the block/charge semi-circle under the basket.
- A substitution can only occur during a dead ball. The team captain must inform the referee of the substitution before play can resume. Illegal substitutions result in one free throw to opposing team.
- Each team is allowed one timeout (The official may still stop the game in case of player injury or other dangerous situations).
- Individual personal foul counts are not kept. In other words, players cannot be disqualified on the basis of personal fouls. However, a player who commits two unsportsmanlike, or flagrant fouls is disqualified. (Referees determine flagrant fouls)
- A Christlike attitude is the most important part of this tournament. Poor attitudes from players and/or observers will not be tolerated and may result in forfeit of the game. (Proverbs 25:28)

Teen Volleyball Tournament Rules

- This will be a double elimination style tournament. (unless another format is determined to be better based on the number of teams participating.)
- There is a maximum of 3 hits per side
- Points are made on every serve for winning team of rally (rally-point scoring).
- A player may not hit the ball twice in succession. (A block is not considered a hit.)
- The ball may be played off the net during a volley and on a serve.
- A player's person may not hit the net while attacking the ball (small incidental contact will not counted).
- A ball hitting a boundary line is in bounds.
- It is legal to contact the ball with any part of a player's body.
- It is illegal to catch, hold or throw the ball (carrying-rule).
- A player cannot block or spike a serve.
- All players must rotate after change of possessions.
- After the serve, front-line players may switch positions at the net.
- Each game will be played to 21. You must win by 2, or be the first team to reach 25 points.
- To begin the game, a "volley for serve" will determine who serves first.
- Individuals may only play for one team. Individuals are not allowed to switch teams or sub for a different team.
- Selections of the initial tournament bracket and match ups will be done at random.
- A Christlike attitude is the most important part of this tournament. Poor attitudes from players or observers will not be tolerated and result in a forfeit of the game. (Proverbs 25:28)

Music Competition Information

Music competitions will be overseen by Trey and Hannah Graf of Grace Baptist Church in Sperry, OK trey.graf@gbcsperry.com

- There will be separate competitions for junior and senior campers.
- We will have two categories in the vocal competition solos and groups (of any size). We will have an instrumental competition as well.
- Entries are limited to 3 per category per church.
- Please limit all music selections to around 3 minutes.
- Your church's group leader/pastor should pre-approve song choices to ensure they are conservative Christian songs appropriate for a church service.
- The purpose of this competition is to encourage young people to serve the Lord with the talents He has given them. Singers should strive to improve in every area which affects their ability to honor God, which is why they will be judged and critiqued. All critiques will be constructional.
- Each soloist/group/musician will be judged by physical appearance/attire, blend, platform presence, technique, arrangement, tone quality, audience contact, and enunciation.
- Sunday dress is appropriate for the contest. Young men should wear a collared shirt with a tie, while young ladies should wear a nice dress or skirt and top.
- We ask that you not use soundtracks and that you not play an instrument while you sing. If you do not have your own accompanist, please send your music selections to the talent competition coordinators and we will have one of our accompanists play for you.

Preaching Competition Information

- This preaching competition is reserved for male campers only.
- Entries are limited to 3 student preachers per church.
- Young men should prepare 1 sermon approximately 5-8 minutes in length.
- Each preacher will be judged by their physical appearance/attire, platform presence, eye contact, enunciation, content (interpretation of the passage, application, illustration), and ability to stay within the time constraints.
- The young men are encouraged to seek advice from their pastor or youth pastor while constructing their sermon. However, the young men are expected to create their own original outline/sermon.
- Sunday dress is appropriate for the contest. Men should wear a dress shirt and tie. Sports coat/suit jacket is optional.

Cabin Cleanup

Cabin Cleanup Preparation

Every church group should bring its own cleaning supplies (disinfectant, glass cleaner, brooms, rags or paper towels, toilet bowl cleaner and scrubber, etc.). You may also want to bring your own hand soap. That is prone to run out. The camp will provide trash bags and replace paper towels for hand drying. These supplies are most easily obtained in the lodge cleaning closet or by checking with a camp WOW staff member.

Every group sharing a dorm room with another church should collaborate with the other group leader about dorm cleaning responsibilities. Please do not leave all of the cleaning to one group.

Cabin Cleanup Expectations

- Beds made.
- Luggage orderly.
- Wet clothes and towels hung up (not on floor).
- Bathroom sinks, toilets, and showers wiped down and tidy (No hair or other undesirable waste. Any items you choose to leave out in the bathrooms should be neat and tidy.)
- Mirrors cleaned.
- Floors swept (no trash on the ground but in trash cans).
- Once trash can is full, set bag outside of dorm door. (A trash can with trash in it will not be counted against you. Only trash anywhere else.)
- Each dorm will be judged for smelly odors, so you may want to bring air fresheners.
- Do not leave fans running.

We also expect all of our campers to work extra hard to keep the property and all building clean and free of trash. Our desire is to maintain our reputation of the most respectful and cleanest group.

Church Packing List

Necessary Items

- Bedding for twin size bunk bed Sheets and blanket or sleeping bag, pillow.
- Toiletry Items Bodywash, shampoo, towel, washcloth, toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, sunscreen, & other necessities.
- Clothes 4 sets of nicer clothes for services, clothing for the various activities, pajamas, plenty of undergarments and socks, swimwear, beach towel, rain gear, sweater for cool evenings.
- Shoes Tennis shoes or closed toed shoes are required to do Rockwall and field activities.
 Water shoes are highly recommended to wear while swimming. Having extra pairs of shoes (especially for services) are recommended as one pair inevitably gets wet or muddy.
- Bible
- Medications
 - All medications should be given to your church leader to administer.
 - We will have camp nurses, but they are only for injuries and emergencies. Not medication oversight.
- Water Bottle There are water bottle refill stations located around camp.

Optional Items

- Flashlight
- Small bag or backpack
- Notebook & pen/pencil
- Money for Snack Shack, vending, or merchandise
- Light jacket or rain jacket (be weather aware)
- Nicer clothes for services

Things You Should NOT Bring

- Weapons of any kind (including pocket knives)
- Fireworks or other explosives
- Drugs or Alcohol (Prescription medication must be submitted to leaders)
- Electronics (including cell phones, tablets, and headphones)

Golf Cart and Lodge Room Rental Information

Golf Cart Rentals

Golf cart rentals are \$225 each for 2 seaters and \$275 for 4 seaters. I would need to know if you have a preference for a 2 or 4 seater golf cart when the reservation is made. Otherwise, you will get whatever is left over.

You will be responsible for your golf cart key, so we recommend keeping your key on your person or bringing a special key chain to help mark your key. Any lost or broken keys will result in a \$25 fee.

Lodge Room Rentals

Lodge rooms are \$250 each for the week or \$75 per night. This is in addition to the individual camper fee of \$275 per person.

Each room has its own private bathroom. Bedding is provided along with a few towels. You may still want to bring your own bedding and towels depending on your preferences. You may want to bring a box fan as some rooms have box fans, but not all.

*All Rentals are first come, first serve. All golf cart and lodge room reservations must be made directly with Tim Russell through his email at tim.russell@victorynixa.com.



OKLAHOMA BAPTIST YOUTH CAMP CHURCH REGISTRATION FORM

Complete and mail form to:

Tim Russell Victory Baptist Church 252 N Nicholas Rd. Nixa, MO 65714

Or email form to:

tim.russell@victorynixa.com

There is a \$40 non-refundable deposit due per camper and counselor. The total camp cost is \$275 per. Please submit your church registration by April 21st.

Church Name:		
Pastor's Name:		
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Church Phone:		
Contact:		
Position:	Phone:	
Email:		
Number of Campers/	Counselors	
Teen Boys Junior Boys	_ Junior Girls	Make all checks payable to: VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH
Male Teen Counselors Male Junior Counselors	Female Junior Counselors	
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^{*}The pre-registration fee is \$40 per camper/counselor no matter when you register.

^{*}A late fee of \$20 will be applied to the cost of each camper who registers after the deadline of April 24th.

^{*}You may contact Tim Russell if you need to pay your deposit by card.

Walk on Water Agreement to Participation Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING

The undersigned acknowledges that during the session that the applicant has requested to participate in. Certain risks and danger may occur. The undersigned recognizes that such risks and danger may include Loss or damage to personal property, physical or psychological damage and/or injury, not excluding fatality due to accident. I certify that I am completely healthy (both physically and emotionally) and capable of participating in this session. I have listed on the medical information form medical conditions That WALK ON WATER Inc. should be aware of which may hinder my participation in the session. However, I understand that it is solely my responsibility to determine whether there is any medical reason That I should not participate in the session and to obtain approval for any and all activities from the appropriate Health-care providers. The health history is correct as far as I know, and the person herein described has permission To engage in all prescribed camp activities except as noted. I hereby authorize the medical personnel selected by The camp director and/or church leader to order x-rays, routine tests, treatment, and necessary transportation for Me/my child as deemed necessary. I, individually and on behalf of the minor and all other family members, Executors or administrators, do hereby release, forever discharge, and agree to hold blameless WALK ON WATER Inc. and its counselors, staff, employees, agents, and lessors from any and all liability, claims, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE NEGLIGENCE OF WALK ON WATER Inc. STAFF, DIRECTORS, COUNSELORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS and LESSORS, or demands for personal injury, sickness, or death, as well as property Damage and expenses, of any nature whatsoever which may be incurred by the undersigned and the participant While said person is participating at WALK ON WATER. In consideration of, and as part payment for, the Right to participate in such a program and the services arranged for me by WALK ON WATER Inc. its staff, Directors, counselors, employees, agents and lessors, from any and all liability, actions, causes of action, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE NEGLIGENCE OF WALK ON WATER INC DIRECTORS, COUNSELORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS and LESSORS, debts, claims, and demands of every kind and nature Whatsoever, whether for bodily injury, property damage or loss otherwise, which I now have or which may arise From or in connection with my program or participation in any other activities arranged for me by WALK ON WATER Inc. its staff, directors, counselors, employees, agents, and lessors, for all members of my family, Including any minors accompanying me. I SPECIFICALLY AGREE THAT MY AGREEMENT TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS WALK ON WATER INC. ITS STAFF, DIRECTORS, COUNSELORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS and LESSORS, INCLUDES ALL LITIGATION COSTS AND ATTORNEY FEES FOR ANY LITIGATION BROUGHT ON BY MYSELF, ON BEHALF OF THE MINOR, IF APPLICABLE, OR ANY OTHER FAMILY MEMBER. I grant permission to WALK ON WATER to use photographs and any video taken by WALK ON WATER for use on web sites or other electronic form or media, without notifying me. I hereby waive any right to inspect or approve the photographs or electronic matter that may be used in conjunction with them now or in the future, whether that use is known to me or unknown, and I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising from or related to the use of the photographs. I hereby agree to release and hold harmless WALK ON WATER, via electronic or media, from and against any claims, damages or liability arising from or related to the use of the photographs, including but not limited to any re-use, distortion, blurring, alteration, optical illusion or use in composite form, either intentionally or otherwise, that may occur or be produced in production of the finished product. I also state that I am not under, and will not be under the influence of any Chemical substance including alcohol. I fully understand that my physical activity involves risks of injury. I also understand that my participation in this WALK ON WATER Inc. program is entirely VOLUNTARY. I enter into this session and take full responsibility for my decision to participate or not to participate and agree To follow all safety instructions.

Name of Participant (please print)	Signature of Participant (If under 18, parent or guardian must sign)	Date
Signature of Witness	Date	

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ALL MEDICATIONS WILL BE HANDLED BY YOUR CHURCH COUNSELLOR(S). THE CAMP NURSE WILL NOT ADMINISTER MEDICATIONS. THE CAMP NURSE WILL ONLY BE AVAILABLE TO TREAT OR ADVISE IN THE CASE OF EMERGENCIES AND INJURIES.

If medication needs refrigeration, please inform us. Please talk to your Pastor before camp about medications, special diets, or medical needs.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION

Date
Title/relationship