2025 CAMPER INFORMATION & RULES

Camp Rules:

- Respect for others must be shown at all times.
- No one is to leave the grounds before camp is dismissed without written approval of parent/guardian or verbal approval of parent/guardian directly to the Camp Director. Identification required.
- There will be no visitors during each scheduled camp session.
- Campers must attend all scheduled activities.
- Clothing with alcohol, tobacco, satanic, sexual slogans or images, or gang related clothing is not permitted.
- Shorts must be loose fitting and be no shorter than mid-thigh.
- Shirts with a strap less than 2in wide, plunging neck line, or shirts that allow the belly or undergarments to be exposed are not permitted.
- No fireworks, matches, lighters, firearms, tobacco, alcohol, drugs, drug paraphernalia, or pets allowed on grounds.
- Room and grounds must be kept clean and left clean at the end of camp.
- Campers are responsible to pay for any damages they cause to facilities.
- Use of cell phones is not permitted. Cell phones seen being used will be confiscated until the conclusion of camp. Cell phones may be used as alarm clocks only.
- Violations of camp rules may result in the contact of a parent/guardian with the possibility of the camper being sent home and forfeiting their camp fee. Expense of transporting expelled campers home will be borne by the parent/guardian.
- Campers are not permitted in or near the sleeping facilities of the opposite sex.
- Campers are not allowed in sleeping facilities without their counselor.
- Campers may not sleep in any room other than the one they have been assigned to.
- Campers must sleep in their own bed.
- Campers must not use the Counselor Bathrooms.

Sick Campers: Please do not send a sick child to camp.

Your Church Camp Coordinator has been instructed to survey each camper prior to transporting them to camp. If brought to camp, sick campers will not be permitted to stay which may create transportation issues. Campers should be fever free for 48 hours prior to attending camp.

Campers that get sick at camp will receive care by the camp medical CREW and the campers parents will be notified. If the sickness is severe or contagious the campers parent/guardian will be contacted and will be asked to pick up the camper.

Lost Items: The New Mexico Ministry Network will attempt to return lost items to their owner. The New Mexico Ministry Network is not responsible for items left behind, lost or stolen.

Medications: Each church is responsible to have in place a system for managing their groups medications. See your Group Leader for instructions. Medication Forms have been made available to assist the Group Leader in managing medications. Locking medication bags will be made available for group use at camp.

Bank: It is recommended that money be given to your church camp coordinator to be held for your child is in need of help managing his/her money. See your church camp coordinator for instructions.

WHAT TO BRING:	TOWEL	SOAP	BIBLE
MODEST ATTIRE	JACKET	SHAMPOO	NOTEBOOK
☐ SLEEPING BAG	FLASHLIGHT	LOTION	PEN
☐ PILLOW	SHOES FOR	CHAP-STICK	UMBRELLA
☐ RECREATIONAL	WATER GAMES	TOOTHPASTE	SNACKS &
CLOTHING	LAUNDRY BAG	SUNSCREEN	SOUVENIR \$

Cook Canyon Ranch is located in Lincoln National Forest, <u>Just 4.2 miles from the main highway in Ruidoso, NM</u>. Telephone communication is limited. In case of emergency please call Austin Poper (Camp Director) @ 936.718.8353, Brady Durling (Ranch Manager) @ (469) 337-7794 or NM Ministry Network @ 505.899.5399.