

CAMP BRIARWOOD SUMMER 2024

CELEBRATING 60 YEARS!



DAY CAMP

LOCATION: Day Camp is held at Camp Kanawahala, located approximately 15 miles from Briarwood Presbyterian Church. Camp will be held from 8:30 a.m. until 3:15 p.m. each day. Lunch is provided each day.

ACTIVITIES: Each session includes hiking, swimming, arts and crafts, canoeing, B.B. guns and archery. Bible stories and songs help children grow in their relationships with each other and with God. Lunches and snacks are provided each day.

COUNSELORS: A ratio of approximately 6 campers to each counselor ensures that each child will receive personal attention. Counselors receive training in all aspects of camp.

CHECK-IN: Each session runs from Monday through Friday. Campers and a guardian should arrive at Briarwood's church Fellowship Hall on Monday at 8:00 a.m. for check-in and information. Tuesday–Friday campers should arrive at 8:30 a.m.

CHECK-OUT: Check out takes place each day at 3:15 p.m. from the Briarwood Presbyterian Church gym. Anyone picking up a camper must be approved by the camper's guardian in writing, and be ready to show a current driver's license.

PARENTS MEETING: A Parents Meeting will be held Monday, June 3 from 5:30–6:30 p.m. in the Chapel at Briarwood Presbyterian Church.

WHAT TO WEAR: (Please label everything) Shorts, t-shirt, socks, closed-toe shoes (lace-up or Velcro), swimsuit & towel in waterproof bag (each day of camp). *No sports or fishing gear needed.





OVERNIGHT CAMP

LOCATION: Overnight Camp is held at YMCA Camp Chandler, located on Lake Jordan near Wetumpka, AL. Covering 475 acres. It is the perfect setting for a week of fun and growth!

ACTIVITIES: Overnight Camp offers activities such as canoeing, sailing, skiing, riflery, archery, arts and crafts, horseback riding, and a high ropes course that thrills every participant. Certain activities are available for specific age groups.

CHECK-IN: Each camper and a guardian should arrive at Briarwood's Fellowship Hall no later than 8:30 a.m. on the first day of camp. Transportation to Camp Chandler is provided. **Session C will check in on Sunday, June 30 at 1:45 pm*

CHECK-OUT: Parents should pick up their children from Camp Chandler no later than 10:00 a.m. on the last day of the camp session. We encourage parents, however, to attend the closing ceremony at 9:00 a.m. Directions to Camp Chandler can be downloaded from our website: www.CampBriarwood.org

MINI-WEEK SESSION FOR 3RD AND 4TH GRADES (SESSION C): This will be a Sunday-Wednesday session and will include all the activities of a full week, but at a lower cost! Campers should arrive at Briarwood Presbyterian Church no later than 2:15 p.m. Sunday for check-in. Closing ceremonies will be at Camp Chandler on Wednesday at 1:00 p.m.

PARENTS MEETING: A Parents Meeting will be held Monday, June 3 from 7:00-8:00 p.m. in the Chapel at Briarwood Presbyterian Church.

OVERNIGHT CAMP: (Please label everything) Long pants (for hiking and horseback riding), shorts, shirts, swimsuit (no bikinis), 2 pairs of shoes (one pair of closed-toe shoes), jacket, pajamas, underwear (for each day), robe, towels (bath & beach), blanket, 2 sheets OR sleeping bag, pillow, washcloth, toothbrush, toothpaste, flashlight, comb, soap, Bible, notebook, pencil, stamps, stationery, and hair dryer. **OPTIONAL:** battery operated fan

SPECIAL CONNECTIONS

Special Connections Day Camp is a Christian camp for boys and girls with mild to moderate disabilities. Camp Briarwood partners with the Special Connections ministry, a community outreach to families touched by disability. If your child is interested in attending Day Camp as a special needs camper, please contact Michael Johnson, Special Connections Director, at (205) 776-5291.



DAY CAMP:

Session	Entering Grades	Days of Week	Dates	Cost
1	1st-3rd	Mon-Fri	June 17-21	\$435

OVERNIGHT CAMP:

Session	Entering Grades	Days of Week	Dates	Cost
A	4th-6th	Mon-Sat	June 17-22	\$740
B	4th-6th	Mon-Sat	June 24-29	\$740
C	3rd-4th	Sun-Wed	June 30-July 3	\$640
D	5th-7th	Mon-Sat	July 8-13	\$740
E	7th-10th	Mon-Sat	July 15-20	\$740

Registration closes for each session when it fills up. Campers' registrations received after a session is full will be put on a waiting list.

TO SECURE A SPOT, we must receive:

- Register online at campbriarwood.org or complete registration form and mail to Quest.
- If not paying online, a non-refundable deposit for each camper must be received by one week after registering.
- Full registration fees will not be refunded after May 31, 2024
- If your camper has any medical or special needs please email them to the Quest office.

TO KEEP YOUR SPOT, we must receive the balance of your camp fee by June 6. On June 7 we may fill the spots of unpaid campers with those on the waiting lists.

Some scholarships may be available and are awarded based on need. Please contact the camp office for an application. Scholarship applications are due April 29.

Camp Briarwood does not discriminate on the basis of any race, color, national or ethnic origin, or religion in administration of its policies or admission.

Camp Briarwood was established in 1964 by Briarwood Presbyterian Church as a Christian camp for boys and girls. The camp is led by Quest Recreation Outreach, a sports and recreation ministry with a global reach under the supervision of Briarwood Presbyterian Church. Each session of camp is designed to offer summer adventures your child will never forget. Camp provides an ideal atmosphere where the physical and the spiritual blend together. Bible discussions, stories, songs and vesper services help children grow in their relationships with God and others. Camp Briarwood is a place of life-changing experiences. Each year, campers come from several states across the U.S.



**QUEST
RECREATION
OUTREACH**

If you have any questions, please call the camp office at 205-776-5237. Registration may be dropped off at Briarwood Presbyterian Church in the Camp Office (G-100) or mailed to: Camp Briarwood, 2200 Briarwood Way, Birmingham, Alabama, 35243

For more information and to register, go to CampBriarwood.org.

REGISTRATION FORM

To secure a spot for camp, please complete a separate form for each child and send with a non-refundable deposit of \$100 and mail to: Camp Briarwood, 2200 Briarwood Way, Birmingham, AL 35243 Full registration fees will not be refunded after May 31, 2024.

Last Name First Name child goes by

Date of Birth Age Gender Grade (Entering in Fall)

Child's Address

City State Zip

Father/Guardian's Name Cell Phone #

Mother/Guardian's Name Cell Phone #

Primary Email Address Secondary Email Address

Emergency Contact Name Phone #

Physician's Name Phone #

Camp Session (Please circle one): Day Camp: 1 Overnight Camp: A B C D E

Would you like to help send another child to camp? If so, indicate the amount here: \$_____ and include with your payment. This is a tax deductible gift.

Special Connections: If your child is interested in attending as a special needs day camper, please contact Michael Johnson, Director, Special Connections at (205) 776-5291.

I would like to order the following:
() Camp T-Shirt: \$15 • Quantity_____ () Camp Group Photo: \$8 • Quantity_____

T-Shirt Size (Please circle one): Y-S Y-M Y-L A-S A-M A-L A-XL

Choice of Roommate or Groupmate:

First Choice Second Choice

Full Name of Church Now Attending

School Attending

PLEASE CONTINUE ON REVERSE

(for office use only)

MEDICAL TREATMENT & PHOTOS CONSENT & RELEASE

Camper Name:

1. In the event that my child named on the reverse side becomes ill or is injured while under the supervision of Camp Briarwood, I authorize the Camp authorities to do the following:

A. Contact the parent or legal guardian of the camper and follow his or her instructions;

B. In the case of an emergency, when neither parent nor a guardian can be reached immediately, Camp authorities are authorized to use best judgment in contacting a physician or other health care provider and to authorize the provision of necessary medical, surgical, or other care;

C. By this CONSENT, I appoint the proper Camp authority as my attorney-in-fact for the purposes herein stated.

2. I give consent for my child to participate in all activities at Camp Briarwood.

3. I am attaching any special instructions, in regard to my child's allergies, medications, or specific needs, to this form.

4. In consideration of Briarwood Presbyterian Church making available Camp Briarwood and for the other benefits that I and my child receive, I do hereby release and discharge Briarwood Presbyterian Church, Camp Briarwood, its agenda and employees, from all liability of any kind or nature, claim, demand or cause of action which might be asserted. I understand that this is a RELEASE and with that knowledge, I voluntarily sign it.

Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name

Signature Date

PHOTOGRAPHY CONSENT: I understand that photographs taken of campers during their sessions may be used on the Camp Briarwood, Quest Recreation Outreach and Briarwood Presbyterian Church web pages and for promotions in brochures, displays, newsletters, fundraising and other items of publicity.

() I hereby give my permission to Camp Briarwood to use photographs taken of my camper.

() I do not give permission to Camp Briarwood to use photographs taken of my camper.

Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name

Signature Date

