



## NNE COG YOUTH AND DISCIPLESHIP DEPARTMENT

January 2024

Dear Northern New England Church of God Youth Camp participants,

Special Greetings!

I would like to take a moment and share with you some news concerning Youth Camp this summer, we will once again be **at China Lake Conference Center!**

1. There will again be two (2) sessions. There will be a Teen Camp (which includes young people in 6th - 12th grade) and Elementary Camp (which includes young people in K - 5th grade.) (Grade is determined in Spring 2024.)

2. The order of camps this year will again be Teen first, followed by Elementary. Teen Camp will be held from Saturday June 29 - Wednesday, July 3rd. Elementary Camp will be from Wednesday, July 3rd- Saturday July 6th.

3. The early bird registration will include a t-shirt. Please do not ask us to extend these dates as I need all early bird registrations postmarked by, Monday May 6, 2024 so that t-shirts can be ordered.

Registration Fees: (\*\***A \$75 non-refundable and non-transferable deposit must accompany your application. This includes the t-shirt for Early Bird Registration.**)

\$175 - Early-Bird - Postmarked by May 6th

\$200 - Regular Fee - Postmarked by June 10th

\$225 - Late/Walk-on - Anything after June 10th. (Pls call for availability.)

**Please do not mail out after June 120th. Hand deliver at Camp Meeting or bring to camp.**

**The \$75 registration fee is part of the total fee. Ex. Early bird would send \$75 by May 6 and bring \$100 to camp.**

4. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call and ask:

Pastor Art's Cell - 603-486-3494

**Email Address - [nnecog.youthdept@gmail.com](mailto:nnecog.youthdept@gmail.com)**

5. Our Mailing Address is:

NNE COG Y & D Dept.

2 Winslow Road

Falmouth, ME 04105

I would also like to take the opportunity to let you know about some of the upcoming events that the Youth Department will be sponsoring in the 2024 church calendar year.

February:

22-24 Prayer Conference - Waterville, ME

April:

12 - Youth Rally @ Faith Temple in Belfast

June:

1 - YWEA 2022 - Monies due

17-20 NNE Camp Meeting - Scarborough, ME

20—PK Birthday Party @ Camp Meeting

29-July 3—Teen Camp (China Lake Conference Center)

July:

3-6 - Elementary (China Lake Conference Center)

Blessings!

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**2024 Northern New England Church of God Youth Camp**  
**China Lakes Conference Center—292 Neck Road China, Maine**  
**Student Application**

Teen Camp (6th-12th grade) - June 29—July 3  
Elementary (K-5th Grade) - July 3-6



**Checklist:**

- Completed application**
- \$75 non-refundable/non-transferable deposit**
- Copy of insurance card**
- Pastor's signature**
- Parent's signature**
- Student's signature**
- Immunization record (State of Maine Requirement)**

**Mail applications to:**

**NNECOG Y&D Department**  
**2 Winslow Road**  
**Falmouth, ME 04105**

website: [www.cognne.org](http://www.cognne.org)

email: [nnecog.youthdept@gmail.com](mailto:nnecog.youthdept@gmail.com)

Phone: 603-486-3494

Applications are accepted on a first come, first served basis. **It is possible for a camp to reach capacity (100 campers per session).** It is our policy to limit attendance at each camp to ensure the safety of all campers. Every effort will be made to accommodate rooming requests. However, request for room assignments cannot be guaranteed. Rules for acceptance and participation in camp are the same for everyone without regard to race or nationality.



# NNE Youth Camp 2024—Rise Up

China Lakes Conference Center—255 China Neck Road, South China, ME 04358

\_\_\_\_\_ Teen Camp (Grades 6-12) **June 29-July 3**  
(Grade completed in June 2024)

\_\_\_\_\_ Elementary Camp (Grades K-5) **July 3-6**  
(Grade competed in June 2024)

Please Print:

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone:( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Cell:( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent e-mail address (**please print clearly**): \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like your acceptance letter sent via e-mail, provide your e-mail address. The letter will be sent from nnecog.youthdept@gmail.com. Please add our e-mail to your safe list.

Local Church: \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Male/Female (circle one) Birthdate: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level Spring 2024: \_\_\_\_\_ Student e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Problems: \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Last Tetanus Shot \_\_\_\_\_ (**Please attach a copy of all immunization records**)

Medications taken (including prescription and over the counter supplements): \_\_\_\_\_

**(MUST BE SENT TO CAMP IN ORIGINAL CONTAINERS)**

Roommate Preference: \_\_\_\_\_ Cabin Leader Preference: \_\_\_\_\_

Your rooming preference **can not** be guaranteed, but we will make all reasonable efforts to honor.

I understand that camp maintains a Christian standard for conduct and dress. I sign my name hereby promising to abide by all rules and policies and submit to those in authority during my stay. It is understood in making this application that the administration of the camp reserves the right to send any camper home for any reason, at the expense of the camper, in the sole discretion of the camp administration.

**Camper's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Pastor's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Applications must be signed by local pastor to be accepted)

## PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST COMPLETE

I hereby give my permission for my child to participate in any and all Church of God Youth Camp activities, and waive all claims to injury or loss of property arising out of the activities against the leaders of this camp, the other participants, and the Church of God Executive Offices of Northern New England and/or International.

Parent/Guardian Initial Here: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand the camp insurance policy provides secondary coverage only. My insurance will provide primary coverage.

Parent/Guardian Initial Here: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby consent to allow camp officials to seek and secure medical treatment for my child in the event of an emergency.

Parent/Guardian Initial Here: \_\_\_\_\_

I have attached a copy (front and back) of my insurance card.

Parent/Guardian Initial Here: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby give the camp nurse permission to administer (**initial the allowable medications**) to my child as needed.

### Registration Fees;

\$175 - Early-Bird - Postmarked by May 6 (**choose shirt size**)

\$200 - Regular Fee - Postmarked by June 10 (no t-shirt included)

\$225 - Late/Walk-on - Anything after June 10. Please call for availability. Please do not mail out after June 10.

**\*\*A \$75 non-refundable and non-transferable deposit must accompany your application. (For early-bird only this includes shirt)**

**This deposit is part of the registration fee, not in addition too.**

Camp T-Shirt included in early bird registration. (**Regular and Walk-on camper t-shirts may be available at camp for \$20 based on limited availability.**)

Circle Size:

Adult: S M L XL XXL

Child: S M L

Office Use Only: Complete/Incomplete Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Amt Rec'd: \_\_\_\_\_ Ch #: \_\_\_\_\_

Pre-Paid Camp Canteen Cards:

**Elementary Camp Only Card Amount \$** \_\_\_\_\_



## NNE Youth Camp FAQ's

Camp Speakers:	Elementary Camp (K-5th grade) - Oceana Church of God—Oceana, West Virginia Teen Camp (6th—12th grade) - Pastor Randy Bowles—Oceana, West Virginia
Camp Features:	Fun Time Activities, Electives, Outdoor Activities, Swimming, Canoeing, Ministry Opportunities, Bible Study and Worship Service.
Canteen:	Canteen will be available throughout the day in all camps to sell snacks, misc. items and small gifts. A limited number of camp t-shirts will be available for \$20 (a good reason to register by the Early Bird Deadline). Elementary Campers can pre-order canteen cards or purchase them at camp registration.
Water Baptism:	When a student confesses salvation in Jesus Christ at camp and requests water baptism, a special notification will be sent to his/her Pastor so a scheduled baptism can be arranged at his/her local church. This will allow parents and family members to witness this important spiritual experience.
<b>Medications and Inhalers:</b>	<b>If you have an inhaler, you will be allowed to keep it with you with a doctor's note. <u>Medications MUST be in their prescribed containers, along with detailed instructions.</u></b>
Visitors at Camp:	Because <b>visits during the day can be very disruptive</b> to the camp schedule and to our ability to provide a highly secure/safe environment; we ask that a <b>visit during the day be of absolute necessity only.</b> <b>However, anyone is welcome to attend our worship services at night.</b> (Please call the Regional Office for service times). For security purposes, <b>all visitors will be asked to check-in, wear a visitor's lanyard/tag,</b> and leave the campground as soon as church is over. It is recommended that phone calls to camp be limited.
Check-in:	<b>Registration is as follows for each camp:</b> <b>Teen Camp (Saturday June 29) 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.</b> <b>Elementary Camp (Wednesday July 3) 11a.m. - 12 p.m.</b> <b>Please do not arrive early. <u>Dinner, Saturday night, will be the first meal provided for Teen Camp. A hamburger or hot dog, chips and a bottle of water will be provided for lunch Wednesday during the change. If you want more than one, extras can be purchased.</u></b>
Check-out:	Teen Campers are to check-out promptly at 10 a.m. on Wednesday July 3.  Elementary Campers can check out promptly at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday July 6.
Drivers at Camp:	Anyone driving to camp will be expected to park their vehicle in the designated parking area. The vehicle will need to remain parked until the individual has checked out of camp. Anyone leaving the campground without permission will be dismissed from camp.
What to Bring:	Appropriate clothing for Church and Recreation (See Code of Conduct) Bedding for bunk beds Towels, washcloths and toiletries Plastic bag for dirty clothes Swimsuit, cover-up and sunscreen Sweater or light jacket Sneakers for Rec. Time (flip flops, sandals etc. strongly discouraged for Rec. Time) Medications in their original containers ( <b>Elementary Campers please include a current photo</b> ) Bible, notebook and pen Spending money for canteen Positive Expectant Attitude
<b><u>What Not To Bring:</u></b>	Phones or other electronics (at your own risk) Firearms/knives/weapons of any kind Fireworks Expensive items Cigarettes/alcohol/drugs/drug paraphernalia <b>Please limit phone calls and texting while at Camp.</b>  <b><u>Special Note:</u></b> <b><u>We reserve the right to search all personal belongings and luggage. NNECOG is not responsible for lost or stolen property brought to Youth Camp.</u></b>

## **CODE OF CONDUCT**

- 1. All Campers will be under the supervision of their cabin leader at all times.**
- 2. Alcohol, tobacco and illegal drugs are strictly prohibited. All medication brought to camp must be left with the camp nurse.**
- 3. No fireworks, firearms, knives, or weapons of any kind are allowed.**
- 4. All campers are expected to attend all camp activities unless excused by the Head Cabin Leader.**
- 5. All language, behavior, and clothing must be appropriate and modest according to the Christian Faith.**
- 6. All campers and volunteers must adhere to the dress code. In general: clothing deemed immodest or inappropriate by the administrative staff will not be allowed at camp.**
- 7. Everyone at camp will be expected to help keep the grounds and facilities clean. Dorm rooms will be inspected daily.**
- 8. All automobiles are to remain parked until camp is dismissed. No one may leave the grounds without special permission from the Camp Coordinator. This includes campers and staff.**
- 9. No Campers are to be out of their dorm after “lights out.”**
- 10. Any breach of proper conduct or disregard of camp rules will result in disciplinary action. Serious or repeated infractions will result in dismissal from Camp.**