

Hello Youth Campers!

Summer is nearly here and in a few months Youth Camp at Camp Touchet will be here! I hope you are all excited to return! The dates of this year's camp are **July 17-21**, and the cost is **\$175.00/person**. Just like you'd expect, we have planned a full schedule of fun and worthwhile events!

If you've never been to Camp Touchet, let me tell you why we're all excited: we will run off to a tiny campground tucked into the mountains, spend time reading God's word and listening to great teachers during the week, and run around dodging water balloons and playing silly games. Who could say no? As always, we will enjoy lots of recreation activities, along with special break-out sessions each afternoon, and of course our food will be as great as it ever is! To sign up for all this fun, we need your **registration papers in by July 3rd**. So be sure to get those registrations mailed in or given back to your youth leaders early!

Speaking of registering early, the cabins will also be on a first come, first served basis. We can get over 100 students indoors, but after that we will need to look at other options, including bringing your own tent to stay in for the week. But what if you like roughing it? If your group would like to stay in tents, please let your youth leader or Tina Hammack at the CBBA Office know when you register. **We are limited to 200 total people at camp**. Remember, early registration is best!

There are some things you'll need to plan for before coming to camp. First, pack lots of T-shirts. We want this camp to be noticeably Christian, and our clothes can go a long way toward setting the atmosphere for the week. For this reason, all shirts need to have sleeves and need to cover you well. You might also want to pack some sort of water shoe for river time and good tennis shoe for hiking time. Please be sure and **read your registration form carefully** so you know what to bring and what to leave at home. We want to give you advance notice so you can pack appropriately.

Don't put it off! Set aside that week in July for Youth Camp! Invite your friends to come! Raise your money! Get your counselors ready to go! Again, the registration deadline is July 3rd.

If you have any questions about camp, feel free to contact me or my co-director Travis Muse (Richland Baptist). I look forward to returning to the mountains for another great year at Camp Touchet!

blessings,



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