

NEW LIFE YOUTH

2017

SUMMER

HANDBOOK

Youth Parents,

This past school year was a wonderful time of spiritual growth for our students. Our Sunday evening discussions over the Book of Genesis were very fruitful, and we look forward to resuming our weekly discipleship programming in the fall.

We're so excited for all the fun opportunities ahead of us this summer. We hope these events give the students opportunities to continue to develop friendships with one another and to serve the Lord together.

This handbook is designed to give you all the information on when and where things are happening, and if there is any cost involved. We hope this will help you plan ahead, and that your student will be as excited as we are about what's in store.

If you have any questions, please contact me. It is a wonderful privilege to partner with you in discipling your children.

Sincerely,

Jay Neisemier Youth Coordinator jay@newlifecs.net We will know the exact situation a few weeks prior to our arrival, but all options will be safe and appropriate for our needs. All students will be chaperoned at all times by at least two New Life volunteers, and men and women will be separated for our sleeping arrangements.

Cost: all students must fill out a Registration Form and submit payment to the New Life office before they will be registered for the trip.

Early Registation: \$35 (on or before June 18th) Regular Registration: \$50 (June 19th-July 9th)

What to Bring:

Bible, Notebook, and Pen Sack lunch for Thursday Sleeping Bag and Pillow Toiletries 3 Days of Comfortable Clothes and Closed-Toed Shoes Towel and Washcloth Shower Shoes/Flip Flops

Optional items:

Cot Air Mattress and Sheets (with air pump) Board Games Flashlight

Do NOT Bring:

Weapons of any kind Electronic Devices (other than cell phones) Bad Attitudes

Youth Mission Trip

Register at www.newlifecs.net/youth

Who: Students who have completed 5th-12th grade

What: A three day, two night trip to Arlington, Texas to serve with Mission Arlington! Mission Arlington has served families since 1986. In addition to providing opportunities for discipleship, Mission Arlington meets real physical needs by providing health care, a dental clinic, school supplies, furniture, clothing, and even food to families that couldn't otherwise afford these things. You can learn more at www.missionarlington.org.

Our students will have the opportunity to welcome guests, organize donations (furniture, clothing, household goods, and more), and serve in the food pantry. All students will be chaperoned at all times by at least two New Life volunteers.

All meals, except lunch the first day, will be provided. Please send your student with a sack lunch on Thursday, July 20th. Before returning to College Station, we will be enjoying lunch at the top of Reunion Tower in downtown Dallas!

When: July 20th – 22nd

Where: Mission Arlington (210 W. South Street, Arlington). Mission Arlington will be providing sleeping arrangements for our volunteers and students, which will either be in the gym/fellowship hall of a partner church, or in unfurnished apartments on the property.

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Capture the Flag: Students vs. Parents

Who: Youth and one or both parents (no siblings, please) What: A "friendly" game of capture the flag between our students and their parents. The race, as they say, isn't always to the swift. We'll eat fresh fish together first, and the main course will be provided.

When: Saturday, June 3rd from 6:30-8:30pm Where: Jim & Trudi Askew's Home (12592 N. Dowling Road, College Station)

Cost: None – but please bring a side or dessert to share!

Caldwell Fireworks and Festival

Who: Youth and their families

What: A fun festival and fireworks show for the whole family. There are carnival games, live music, hay rides, bounce houses, and a silent auction.

When: Monday, July 3rd from 6:00pm-11:00pm (come and go) Where: Elizabeth Lutheran Church (Highway 21 East & Co. Road 307, Caldwell). We will have a meeting hub at the tables near the live band.

Cost: None – but you might want to bring money for food, games, or the auction!

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Back to School Kickoff

Who: Youth Students Only

What: A fun event to begin the school year! Pizza will be provided, and we'll be heading to Grub Burger Bar at the end of the evening for milkshakes.

When: Sunday, August 27th at 5:00pm Where: New Life Baptist Church, Grub Burger Bar Cost: Please send \$5-7 with your student for a milkshake

Church Summer Event Schedule

Summer Fellowship Night at Tanglewood Park

When: Sunday, June 11th at 5:00pm Where: Tanglewood Park (3901 Carter Creek, Bryan) What to Bring: Dinner (bathing suits and towels optional)

Summer Fellowship Night at Shenandoah Clubhouse & Pool

When: Sunday, June 25th at 5:00pm Where: Shenandoah Pool (1501 Southern Plantation Drive, College Station) What to Bring: Dinner, bathing suits and towels for everyone

Members' Meeting

When: Sunday, July 9th at 5:00pm Where: New Life Baptist Church

Baptism Service

When: Sunday, July 16th at 5:00pm Where: New Life Baptist Church

Summer Fellowship Night at Bee Creek Park

When: Sunday, July 23rd at 5:00pm Where: Bee Creek Park (1900 Anderson St., College Station) What to Bring: Dinner

Summer Fellowship Night at Tiffany Park

When: Sunday, August 6th at 5:00pm Where: Tiffany Park (3890 Copperfield Dr., Bryan) What to Bring: Dinner (bathing suits and towels optional)

Back to School Party at Adamson Lagoon

When: Saturday, August 19th at 7:30pm Where: Adamson Lagoon (1900 Anderson St., College Station) What to Bring: Bathing suits and towels