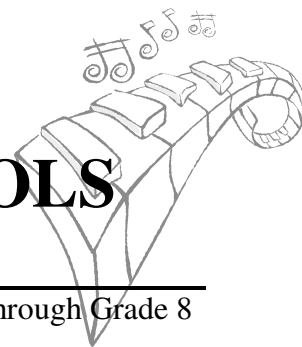


# BANGOR CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS SUMMER DAY CAMP



June 14 - August 20, 2010

for Students Entering PK5 through Grade 8

Dear Parents,

I am very excited to direct the Summer Day Camp for BCS this year!

Many of you know I am a mother of two girls who attend BCS, who will also attend the summer program. I am devoting my summer to this program, and I am asking my girls to do the same. For this reason, I am completely dedicated to making it FUN for all of us!

Though this will be the first time I am involved with the BCS Summer Camp, it is not the first time I have worked with kids at the elementary and middle school levels. I am not fully aware of how the camp was run in the past, but I would like to share with you *my* plans for this summer.

Regular camp hours will begin at 8:00am and end at 4:00pm. A counselor will be here as early as 7am and as late as 5pm. Please note your application if you feel you will need early or late care.

The motivation of my heart is for the students to encounter God in a new and exciting way. I will ask those who play instruments to bring them daily, as we will be spending time in praise and worship prior to our Bible-time. It is my goal to present the Word of God in a real-life relevant way, through object lessons, skits, and dramatic interpretation of Christian music through human videos and American Sign Language. I would like to schedule a show at the close of the summer so that the campers can share all they have learned with their friends and family.

The campers will enjoy time outdoors as well. There will be kick-ball and volleyball games, nature walks and picnics. At least twice a month we will take a field trip to Great Skates in Bangor. This will always be on a Friday, as many parents have specified Friday as the most convenient day of the week to help with chaperoning and driving.

There will be a period of quiet time each day for students who have summer reading or assignments. I would be glad to work with students who need tutoring during this time. Our younger campers can feel free to nap if they would like! Sleeping bags are welcome!

I would ask that parents provide a bag-lunch, a morning snack and an afternoon snack for their campers. There is a refrigerator and a microwave available. The vending machines will be in operation throughout the summer.

The application is included in this packet. Please complete all information thoroughly. My specific plans and staffing for the 10-week program will be highly affected by the number of campers in attendance. I am in the process of interviewing for Assistant Director and Camp Counselor positions. I will not know how much full/part time staffing support I need until I receive your applications. If you have a high-school-age-member in your family who might be interested in volunteering as a Camp Counselor, please have him/her stop in to the Elementary Office to see me. Kindly return the application by May 10<sup>th</sup> if you are interested in enrolling your child. No payment is due at this time. Looking forward!

Because of Him!

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