

Windy Gap 2010

BCCA Middle School Retreat

BCCA Tradition...

The annual fall retreat of Back Creek Christian Academy to Windy Gap is a middle school tradition. New students, as well as returning students, will enjoy the opportunity to fellowship with each other in this mountain setting. Situated between rolling mountain ranges, Windy Gap is the perfect place to meet with God.



The four times we gather together for praise and worship and to hear the guest speaker in the County Seat, will be awesome spiritual experiences. Windy Gap is known for having some of the very best free time sports opportunities. The Blob, The Swing, and the Zip Line on the lake are big hits! Sand pit volleyball, tennis, basketball, fishing, Frisbee golf, or just relaxing in rocking chairs by the Sippin' Shoppe makes free time a special time for everyone.



The cost for Windy Gap is \$225 and includes transportation, 5 meals, lodging, and a t-shirt. Make checks payable to Back Creek Christian Academy. Please pay this as soon as possible (Let your child cut grass or do neighborhood work to help pay for this special retreat). All shirt sizes are due in to the school office no later than August 6th. If there is no response, an adult medium t-shirt will be ordered for the student.

What to Bring:

Windy Gap is a premier Christian youth camp. The facilities are some of the best in the Southeast. Linens, towels, and a mattress will be provided.

Sleeping bag

☆Pillow

☆Bible

☆Notebook

☆1 suitcase

☆1 carry-on bag

☆jeans

☆athletic shorts

☆t-shirts (no tank tops or sleeveless tops)

☆athletic shoes

☆toiletries (shampoo, soap, etc.)

☆swimsuit (girl's one piece, modest)

☆towel for water sports

☆tennis racket and/or fishing pole

☆jacket (for cool mornings and evenings)

☆Western style clothing for Thursday night activities



All clothing should be modest, neat, not tight fitting, free of offensive pictures, symbols, or logos. Girls should not bring soffies or spaghetti strap tops. Inappropriately dressed students will be asked to change clothing.

Items that are not allowed:

Cell phones

I-pods

CD players

Gameboys or game systems

Essential Information...

- Dates: September 8, 9, and 10
- Location: Windy Gap, Young Life Camp
120 Coles Cove Road
Weaverville, NC 28787 (near Asheville)
(828) 645-7187
- Transportation: American Charters Motor Coach
- Cost: \$225 per student
\$10 needed for lunch
Spending money for the Sippin' Shoppe and Country Store
- Who: Every middle school student will attend this important spiritual retreat. All middle school teachers will be attending this retreat. No provisions will be made for students to attend classes at BCCA on these days.
- Scholarships: Let the school office know if you need assistance with the cost of the camp.

General Information...

There will be a Windy Gap Information Session at Open House. During this time you will receive the Young Life Consent Form and BCCA Medication and Permission Form. These forms are mandatory for all students attending Windy Gap. Completion of these forms lets BCCA know that you are giving permission for your child to attend.



Windy Gap Schedule

Wednesday

7:15 AM Load buses for Caramel Christian Academy
7:30 AM Leave BCCA for CCS
8:30 AM Load buses and depart from CCS
11:00 AM Stop for lunch in Hendersonville (need \$ for lunch)
12:15 PM Arrive at Windy Gap/unload buses/drop off luggage at cabins
12:30 PM Group games
2:00 PM Free time—climbing wall, pool, blob, zip line, swing, slide, etc.
5:30 PM Counselor's meeting
6:00 PM Supper
7:30 PM Worship Session 1
9:00 PM Free time
11:00 PM Devotions with counselors
11:30 PM Lights out

Thursday

8:00 AM Wake up
8:15 AM Quiet Time/Devotions
8:45 AM Breakfast
9:20 AM Worship Session 2
11:00 AM Group Event
12:15 PM Lunch
2:00 PM Free time—climbing wall, pool, blob, zip line, swing, slide, etc.
5:30 PM Counselor's meeting
6:00 PM Supper
7:00 PM Worship Session 3
9:00 PM Western Party
11:00 PM Devotions with counselors
11:30 PM Lights out

Friday

8:30 AM Wake Up
8:45 AM Quiet Time/Devotions
9:15 AM Brunch
9:45 AM Camp clean-up/pack
10:15 AM Worship Session 4
11:45 AM Load buses
12:45 PM Stop for lunch in Hendersonville (need \$ for lunch)
3:30 PM Arrive back at CCS (pick up students there...see enclosed directions)

Windy Gap Permission and Insurance Information

I do hereby give my child permission to attend the 2009 Windy Gap retreat. I do hereby give my permission for medical aide in the event of injury to my child.

I do hereby acknowledge that I have read the guidelines and regulations for the trip and am in full support of the faculty and staff entrusted to the well being of my child and the group

(Parent Signature)

I do hereby acknowledge that I have read the guidelines and regulations for the trip and am in full support of the faculty and staff entrusted to my well being and the group.

(Student Signature)

(Day time Phone)

(Home Phone)

(Emergency Contact other than parent)

(Emergency Contact phone number)

Insurance Information

Insurance Company

Policy Number

Insurance Address

Insurance Phone Number

Windy Gap Parental Permission for Medication

Student name:

Back Creek Christian Academy has my permission to administer to my child the medication listed below. List both prescription and over-the-counter medications.

Name	Dosage	Times to Administer
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(Parent Signature)

(Date)

Please clearly identify all medications with your child's name. Please label each dosage in individual zip lock bags.

Windy Gap T-shirt Order Form

Name: _____

Grade: _____

We are ordering Windy Gap T-shirts for our trip. Please circle the size that you need ordered below. Please return this form to the school office no later than August 3, 2009. If this form is not returned, your child will receive an adult medium

Youth Small (6-8)

Youth Medium (10-12)

Youth Large (14-16)

Adult Small

Adult Medium

Adult Large

Adult X-Large

Adult XX-Large

Directions to Carmel Christian School

- 1: Start out going NORTHWEST on BACK CREEK CHURCH RD toward UNIVERSITY CITY BLVD/NC-49 N. 0.1 mi
- 2: Turn RIGHT onto UNIVERSITY CITY BLVD/NC-49 N. 0.1 mi
- 3: Merge onto I-485 S via the ramp on the LEFT toward PINEVILLE. 17.6 mi
- 4: Merge onto E INDEPENDENCE BLVD/US-74 W via EXIT 51A toward CHARLOTTE. 1.3 mi
- 5: Take the NC-51 ramp toward MATTHEWS/MINT HILL. 0.4 mi
- 6: Turn LEFT onto MATTHEWS TOWNSHIP PKWY/NC-51 S. Continue to follow NC-51 S. 3.2 mi
- 7: Make a U-TURN at ALEXANDER RD onto PINEVILLE-MATTHEWS RD/NC-51 E. 0.0 mi
- 8: End at 1145 Pineville Matthews Rd Matthews, NC 28105-6518