

Parents and Youth,

This is a letter to inform you about a Sleepover we do for Junior High kids- 6th, 7th and 8th graders- during Deep Run East's Bible School week (June 22-26). We start Sunday night, June 21st at 7:00 PM. Sunday evening will include a Game Night, snack time, and worship around the camp fire.

Monday and Tuesday nights start at 6:30 PM. We'll be doing a service project again this year. We'll work until about 8:00, get cleaned up, and do a campfire time. Monday night will be boys Service Night. Tuesday night will be girls Service Night. On Monday evening, girls can arrive at church around 8:15PM. On Tuesday night, boys can arrive at church at 8:15PM. Please wear sneakers (no sandals or flip flops) to work. Wednesday night will be a swim night, followed by snack and fireside. Modest swimwear only please (girls- no two-pieces and no midriffs showing; boys- no skimpy Speedos!) and bring a towel. More information on the early evening activities will be available soon.

Thursday night, June 25th, will be the Bible School program at 7 PM. We'll do games after that's over and have our last night of the Sleepover. Each morning a light breakfast is provided and the kids will have time to get cleaned up a bit. There are no shower facilities, but they can use the bathroom sinks. They will proceed to join Bible School at 9 AM. They should be picked up at 12:00 each day.

Each youth needs to bring a sleeping bag, toiletries, pillow, sleepwear, change of clothes (they will be getting wet and/or messy some nights) and a flashlight. No **cell phones**, PSP's, iPods, iPads, Kindles, tablets or DS's.

We have a tent area for the girls and a tent area for the boys. There will be chaperones staying all night. There are other adults during the earlier part of the evening as well. Kids will go to their tents at midnight and "lights out" is at 1 AM. In the event of rain, we move in to the gym and sleep there.

We'll also be doing t-shirts for the kids this year. They cost \$12.00 each. If you can contribute in any way, we'd appreciate it. It is not a requirement however. When you send in their medical release form and signed covenant, **please include their t-shirt size (adult sizes. You can also email me their size because we need to order ahead of time).**

If your child(ren) are interested in attending the sleepover in addition to Bible School, please print out the Medical Waiver and the Sleepover Covenant found here, bottom left of the page: <http://deepruneast.org/something-for-everyone/children/vacation-bible-school-2015.html>. They can be mailed back to me or to the church at 350 Kellers Church Rd., Perkasio, PA 18944 (please place my name on the outside of the envelope). If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.

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