Camp Sunday information for Bulletins and Newsletters

Please use this this information to help us get the word out about Agapé & Kure Beach Ministries and Camp Sunday, April 25th. Post it in your bulletins, newsletters and E-News throughout the month of April. Make sure to include our basic contact information: phone: 919.552.9421 and email: agape@agapekurebeach.org if no other has been provided. We appreciate YOU and all that you do to support YOUR camp this and every month!

Seeking Summer Staff:

Agapé † Kure Beach Ministries is experiencing a critical need for young adults to be a part of our summer staff in 2021. We are faced with many challenges in recruiting this year, but our need for staff is the same as in other years! We cannot make our full return to summer camp programming this year without a full staff!

If you know anyone ages 17+ that would be a good fit for the faith forming, skill building, life-changing fun that a summer at camp gives, please encourage them to apply!!

Contact us at: program@agapekurebeach.org or call 919.552.9421 and ask for Christa or Randy. Do it today!

Seeking Volunteer Camp Nurses:

Since the dedication of our Bolick Health Center in May 2018, we have had nurses coming each week to volunteer during summer camp! Our camp nurses are so important to safety in summer camp! They help us with so many things like medications, scrapes, bug bites, ticks, reminders to hydrate, and positive attitudes. They are loved by campers and staff alike, and we are so blessed by these volunteers!

We still have some weeks to fill in 2021! If you are an RN or something similar and want to give back to camp and have some fun, email our Program Director, Christa, to find out how! program@agapekurebeach.org

Staff In Training: SITs

Summer Camp is an amazing and unique opportunity for youth to explore and grow in their faith and learn about becoming leaders in a safe place.

Our **Staff In Training (SITs** as they're affectionately called) program continues to be a big learning week in the faith lives of the young adults who participate. Former SITs can be seen directly involved in the church body as Youth Leaders, Summer Camp staff, and year round Program Staff at camps and nonprofits. SITs are not only in the leadership of the church, but they can also be seen "walking the talk" in other ways; some in environmental leadership, outdoor education facilities, and creation stewardship.

SIT Servants: SIT Servants is a one-week introduction into what it looks like to serve as a summer staff! Explore leadership through service to others!

SIT Leaders: SIT Leaders is a two-week program that goes even further behind-the-scenes into the magic of Camp Agapé! Participants in this program will fill out an application, interview with our Program Director, provide references, and sign covenants to model our hiring process. The first week is a week of staff training where participants learn and practice their leadership and planning skills! Their second week (determined by participant and staff around schedules) is a chance to return as a staff member! Participants will either be paired with a counselor and cabin group to co-counsel for the week or they will serve with our Support Staff. SIT Leaders is full of learning, but it still has all of the camp fun!

Need more info? Visit our website at agapekurebeach.org or contact **Christa**, our Program Director, at program@agapekurebeach.org.

Summer Camp:

Summer Camp is important in the lives of our children and Camp Agapé is focused on meeting those needs. Our "7 Major Goals" with summer campers hit all of the most valued reasons campers and parents choose summer camp experiences. At camp, the small-group style of 1 counselor with only 6 campers promotes community, and enhances our number one goal of building self-value in campers as a unique child of God. Who among us does not need to hear we are loved and valued?

Camp is packed with fun: try our new Corcl's on the pond, discover some cool things in nature, and play games that make you laugh and tire you out.

Prime & Classic Camps are our most popular and why not – you get to do a little bit of everything fun at camp and build some new and lasting friendships.

Maybe you want to try something special: how about Nature Camp, Model Rocketry, or Night Owls (stay up at night – sleep during the day)? Or join us on Kure Beach for a week of Surf Camp or hanging out with friends enjoying Beach Camp.

Remember, we want everyone to experience a week of camp. Our policy is to not turn anyone away due to financial restraint. Our Campership funds mean camp is for everyone.

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