



# CAMP EMMANUEL 2009

## GREEK ORTHODOX METROPOLIS OF DENVER

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### CAMPER INSTRUCTIONS AND GUIDELINES

**INTRODUCTION:** Attached to these Camper Instructions is a Camper Registration Form. Please read all of these instructions carefully before filling out the Camper Registration, entering all the information requested and signing the completed form before returning it. All applications should be sent to the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of Denver Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministries. If your parish is sending applications in as a group, this Registration Form must still be used.

**REGISTRATION:** Completed Camper Registration Packets (Registration Forms, accompanying materials, and full payment) must be postmarked by the **cut-off deadline of May 29, 2009** and received at the Metropolis Office in order for the participant to be registered for Camp Emmanuel.

The following is a Registration Packet Checklist for you to use to ensure that your registration is complete.

- Registration Form:** The Registration Form must be ***completely filled out and signed***. Any field that does not apply should be filled in with "N/A."
- Payment:** Payment in full of Camp Registration Fee
- Medical Information:** A Camper Health Record Form (4 pages) must be filled out in its entirety and ***signed by the parent/guardian and the child's physician***. Upon arrival, campers will be asked to identify all medications that they have brought with them, as well as dosages and frequency. These medications will be logged by camp staff.
- Insurance Information:** A photocopy of both sides of the camper's ***insurance card is required***. All campers should be covered by their family health and medical coverage policy. While the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America will act as guarantor, any costs incurred by the Camp in providing required treatment will be billed to the parents.
- Mobile Technology Covenant:** The Mobile Technology Covenant must be ***initialed and signed by campers and the parent/guardian***.

**CAMP SITE:** Once again this year Camp Emmanuel will be held at the Manzano Mountain Retreat near Albuquerque, NM ([www.manzanoretreat.com](http://www.manzanoretreat.com)). Separate programs for the Junior and Senior age groups will be conducted during the same week.

**SCHOLARSHIPS:** A limited amount of scholarship funds are available from the Metropolis Office and should be requested in writing by your parish priest to the Metropolis Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministries. This request must include specific circumstances of need. CONTINUED...

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**SPENDING MONEY:** In addition to traveling money, campers may want to bring small amounts of spending money to purchase snacks or soft drinks at the Camp Store.

**TELEPHONE CALLS:** Immediately after checking in, your child may call home (collect or with phone card) in order to confirm his or her safe arrival. Thereafter, outgoing calls may be allowed only at the discretion of the Camp Director. Since such calls disrupt the program and often make homesickness worse, we highly discourage them and ask that you discuss this with your children before sending them to the camp. We also discourage incoming calls from parents for the same reason. Should a serious need to communicate with your child arise, please leave a message through the Metropolis of Denver Office 303-333-7794 or the Manzano Mountain Retreat 505-384-4467. **Cell phone use is not allowed during the camp.**

**MAIL:** Mail is delivered daily to the campers and parents are welcome to write their children during their stay. Please address the letter to:  
Camp Emmanuel  
attn: Camper's Name  
P.O. Box 259  
Torreon, NM 87061

**CAMP EMMANUEL LIVE:** Parents will be able to log-on to the internet and to view activities of the camp program. Each day pictures and descriptions of the camp program will be posted on our Metropolis page: [www.denver.goarch.org/youth/](http://www.denver.goarch.org/youth/). Due to technical limitations (namely internet connection issues) the regularity of the pictures may be disrupted. Please be patient.

**DRESS CODE:** While camping is by its nature informal, Christian modesty should be taken into account when packing for the week. Inappropriate clothing (i.e.: t-shirts with inappropriate logos, short-shorts, halter tops, exposed midriffs, "skimpy clothing," etc.) is not permitted. Dress for daily church services is casual. Please note that evening temperatures can be cool. Because participants will be involved in various activities, at least one pair of closed-toe shoes is required. The Manzano Mountain Retreat has a pool and there will be time for swimming. Girls must wear one-piece swimsuits (bikinis and tankinis are not allowed).

**CONDUCT:** All campers are expected to act in ways appropriate to an Orthodox Christian setting. While disciplinary action will be taken to resolve situations on site, the Camp Director reserves the right to dismiss campers for gross violations of camp rules. Campers will be sent home at the expense of their parents.

#### WHAT TO BRING

- |   |                               |                                      |
|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| -Change of Clothing for at least 6 days<br>(include clothes for outdoor activities) | -Sweatshirts/sweaters/jacket  | -Toiletries                          |
| -Bath towel   | -Appropriate sleeping clothes | -Swimsuit                            |
| -Sun screen   | -Sneakers/Hiking Boots        | -Sleeping bag<br>(or sheets/blanket) |
| -Insect repellent   | -Flip-flops/Sandals           | -Pillow                              |
| -Bible  | -Rain gear                    | -Hat                                 |
|   | -Camera/Film (optional)       |                                      |

#### THINGS TO LEAVE AT HOME

Cell Phones/Walkmans and I-Pods/Radios/Televisions/Electronics/Pagers  
Knives/Weapons/Fireworks/Drugs/Alcohol/Tobacco

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## JUNE 21-27, 2009

JUNIOR PROGRAM (AGES 11-14)

SENIOR PROGRAM (AGES 15-18)

Separate programs will be conducted for Juniors and Seniors during the same week. Please check the appropriate box.

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

CAMPER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST MI

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_ T-SHIRT SIZE: S M L XL  
(AT TIME OF CAMP)

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET (INCLUDE APT. NO.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY STATE ZIP

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN DAY PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
FATHER MOTHER

PARENT/GUARDIAN MOBILE PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ CAMPER E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT (OTHER THAN PARENT) \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
DAY EVENING

RELATIONSHIP TO CAMPER \_\_\_\_\_

PARISH NAME/PRIEST \_\_\_\_\_

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## REGISTRATION FEES

**EARLY REGISTRATION** **\$265**  
 (POSTMARKED BEFORE MAY 8 , 2009)

REDUCED RATE FOR SECOND CHILD IN THE *IMMEDIATE* FAMILY \$240

**REGULAR REGISTRATION** **\$300**  
 (POSTMARKED BETWEEN MAY 9 AND MAY 29, 2009)

REDUCED RATE FOR SECOND CHILD IN THE *IMMEDIATE* FAMILY \$275

**REGISTRATION MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MAY 29, 2009**

## AGREEMENT AND WAIVER

I hereby give permission for my child to participate in all camp activities under the attached guidelines with the following exceptions: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Further, I give permission for my child to go on scheduled trips away from camp premises, whether by foot or by vehicle.

In recognition of possible dangers to my child, I hereby knowingly and voluntarily waive any right or cause of action of any kind against the members, directors, agents, employees, and/or volunteers of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America, the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of Denver, and my local parish for any personal injury that may occur at or during Camp Emmanuel. Nor shall they be liable for any personal injury to my child occurring during the transportation to and from Camp Emmanuel.

Together we have read the accompanying Camper Instructions and Guidelines and agree to all of their contents.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Camper Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Both Parent/Guardian and Camper signatures are required.)

## FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

*ID #* \_\_\_\_\_

Payment	Medical Form	Insurance Card	