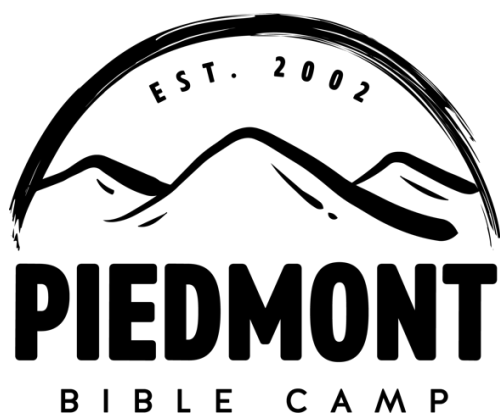




CAMPER

INFORMATION

2026

CONTACT INFORMATION

Address: 444 Hartland Oak Dr, Rapidan, VA 22733

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REGISTRATION: 2:00–4:00 PM, June 14th, 2026

Please, no requests for early registration. The first meal served will be Sunday evening supper. Tickets for sack lunches (to be picked up on June 21) may be purchased for \$8.00 registration.

CHECK OUT: 9:40–11:00 AM, June 21, 2026

Campers must be picked up before 11:00 AM. ***Please be prompt!*** The last camp meal served will be breakfast on Sunday. **NOTE:** If someone other than the authorized person listed on the application form will pick up the camper, a written authorization signed by the parent/legal guardian must be presented. Those picking up campers must present a valid photo ID.

CAMP CODES

The camp codes should be respected and followed, not as a moral judgment, but as a way to facilitate a meaningful and organized camp experience in which participants will be better able to focus on strengthening a closer walk with the Lord.

- Your counselor must know where you are at all times.
- Food is absolutely not permitted in campers lodgings. NO GUM CHEWING.
- The river and ponds are off-limits except during supervised recreation activities. No wading or swimming at any time.
- You will have many oportunities to talk with your friends. Please no visiting or note passing during worships or classes
- Verbal or physical abuse of others is not tolerated.this includes triping, pushing, annoying, teasing or throwing things at another person.
- Campers will be expected to make full restitution for any destruction of property.

- Food-fighting or horseplay is unacceptable behavior.
- Campers are expected to eat the food they take. If you aren't sure of a dish, take a small amount and try it before loading your plate with something you don't care for.
- Knives and/or tools brought for specific classes should be used for that purpose only. Knives and tools seen out of place will be held in safe keeping until after camp.
- We encourage the formation of true Christ-centered friendships. Please remember that the most important reason for Piedmont Bible Camp is to help deepen your relationship with your Friend, Jesus. Exclusive and/or intense friendships with either gender are not in harmony with the goals of the camp. Romantic friendships with the opposite sex are not permitted.
- **Appropriate Camp Attire:** Girls-modest skirts, dresses or jumpers. Skirts should cover the knee at all times and allow a full stride when walking. Slits must end below the knee. For certain classes (wilderness survival and canoeing), below-fingertip-length shirts or tunics over pants are acceptable. No makeup or nail polish. Boys-shirts should be tucked in. Hats should not be worn backwards or sideways and should be removed inside a building and for all prayers. Both-No shorts, tank tops, sleeveless item, or jewelry. No questionable or suggestive messages on clothing. If you have any questions about something you want to wear, ask your counselor.
- Keep your showers to a five minute maximum
- All inter camp messages should be written on Piedmont Posts or other similarly-sized cards. All messages must be unsealed and should be uplifting and encouraging. They should not be directed to campers or counselors of the opposite gender.
- Deliberate disobedience and a defiant attitude have no place at Piedmont Bible Camp.

CAMP BANK

To facilitate shopping in the camp store and to avoid potential loss,

campers are advised to deposit their cash in the camp bank. They can draw upon this as needed. Any balance remaining will be returned at checkout.

CAMP STORE

The camp store contains a number of camp-related items, including T-shirts, water bottles, flashlights, batteries, memo pads, pens, and class-related books and supplies. Suggested spending money is \$40–\$60.

CANCELLATIONS

Camp space is limited, and we are expecting each camper that is accepted. Once the camp is full, we will have to refuse any further applications. A last-minute cancellation is unfair to those who may have been denied admission. **If a cancellation is necessary, please notify the camp office immediately so other campers can be given the opportunity to come.** Please be aware that cancellations are subject to a cancellation fee. Refunds of camp fees cannot be made after camp begins.

CLASS INFORMATION

Each camper will take one outreach class, one recreation class, and one theme class. Registration information will be sent out sequentially based on the date of application, beginning with the first camper to apply. **Please note:** Class selections will be confirmed after April 30 when regular camp fees are due. If camp fees are not paid by then, class selections will be released, and campers may then re-register for available classes after payment has been made. Class fees may be paid at on-site registration.

FAMILY LODGING

Lodging, RV hookups, and camping facilities on the premises for non-camp staff family members are limited and will be granted on a first-come-first-served basis.

FOOD

Camp food is vegetarian, dairy-free, and low in refined sugars and fats. Campers with food allergies or sensitivities must take personal

responsibility to avoid such items. Anyone needing to bring specialized food items to accommodate their dietary needs must clear this *in advance* with camp administration. **No food items may be stored in camper lodgings.**

FRIENDSHIP FEAST

A highlight of the camp is the Friendship Feast, which provides a family atmosphere and an opportunity for campers to get to know and make memories with other campers. Appropriate attire for the Friendship Feast is modest international costumes or nice Sabbath clothing.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Qualified medical personnel will be on the premises to attend to campers' health needs. Emergency medical care is located in the nearby town of Culpeper. In the event of a medical emergency, the camper's guardians will be notified as soon as possible/practical.

LAUNDRY FACILITIES

No public laundry facilities are available. Each camper should bring enough clothing to last for the entire week.

MAIL

During camp, young people especially appreciate mail from home. We encourage family and friends to send mail often and early. ***Please do not send food, candy, or other restricted items.***

PHONE CALLS AND EMAIL

CAMPER PHONES/ELECTRONICS: Camp is a great place to step away from the distractions and stress of cell phones, computers, games, and other media. Instead, campers are encouraged to develop new friendships, spend time in nature, and strengthen their relationship with God. To help achieve these goals, we ask that campers take a break from electronic devices such as cell phones, computers, games, and media players during camp.

PARENT CALLS: Parents needing to contact a camper may call the camp office at 227-265-8497. Campers are generally not able to come to the phone unless there is a true emergency, but camp staff will gladly take

a message for a camper. Messages may also be sent via email.

INTERNET/EMAIL: Campers will not have email access during camp; however, messages sent to biblecamp.piedmont@gmail.com with the camper's name in the subject line will be delivered at the 10:00 AM mail call. Emails must be received by 8:00 AM each day.

PROBLEMS AT CAMP

Campers are expected to follow all camp codes and policies, and to accept the leadership of their counselors and other camp staff. Piedmont Bible Camp administration reserves the right to send home any camper who does not comply. In such an event, the parent or legal guardian is responsible for the cost of transportation, and the camper will forfeit his or her camp fees.

PROHIBITED ITEMS

Prohibited items must be turned in during registration. Items will be returned to the camper or their parent/legal guardian at the end of camp.

ROOMMATES

We will do our best to grant camper roommate requests; however, due to a variety of factors, we are simply unable to honor every request. Thank you for understanding.

SOCIAL RELATIONS

During camp, there will be opportunities to form and renew friendships with many young people. Boyfriend and girlfriend relationships are not permitted. All exclusive friendships, even with members of the same gender, are not compatible with camp goals.

WHAT TO BRING

- ☐ *Bible* (KJV preferred)
 - ☐ Study material for personal devotions
 - ☐ Everyday clothes and Sabbath clothes
 - ☐ Modest international costume for Friendship Feast is optional. (See page 3 for camp attire.)
 - ☐ Sturdy walking shoes
 - ☐ Shower shoes/flip flops
 - ☐ Daily changes of socks and underwear
 - ☐ Laundry bag
 - ☐ Medium-weight jacket
 - ☐ Pajamas
 - ☐ Towel and washcloth
 - ☐ Toothbrush and toothpaste*
 - ☐ Hairbrush, comb, etc.*
 - ☐ Sleeping bag and pillow
 - ☐ Bath soap*
 - ☐ Shampoo* (If conditioner is needed, bring a shampoo-conditioner combination.)
 - ☐ Deodorant*
 - ☐ Sunscreen*
 - ☐ Insect repellent*
 - ☐ Flashlight*
 - ☐ Money for church offering and camp store purchases
 - ☐ Notebook or notepad*
 - ☐ Pens and pencils*
 - ☐ Band-aids
 - ☐ Hand sanitizer*
 - ☐ Items for classes
 - ☐ Safety pins
 - ☐ Prescription medications you must take or may need (e.g., asthma medication, EpiPen)
 - ☐ Water bottle*
 - ☐ Thermometer
- Highly recommended:**
- ☐ Camera*
 - ☐ Backpack
 - ☐ *Strong's Concordance**
 - ☐ Umbrella*
 - ☐ Rain jacket or poncho
 - ☐ Travel alarm clock*
- *Available at camp store

CAMP SCHEDULE

Camp schedule is approximately as follows:

6:00	Wake up, devotions, get ready for the day
7:00	Unit sharing
7:30	Line call/exercise
8:00	Breakfast
9:00	Deep Bible study class
10:00	Mail call/counselor prayer time
10:40	Outreach classes
11:50	Recreation classes
1:00	Lunch
2:00	Quiet time
2:40	Life skills classes
4:50	Special activities
6:00	Supper
7:00	Campfire
7:50	Showers, get ready for bed, unit worship
9:30	Lights out

TRANSPORTATION

AIRPORT INFORMATION

AIRPORT: Pick-up/drop-off services are available from/to the following airports: **Charlottesville (CHO) for \$35 and Washington-Dulles (IAD) for \$70.** Campers should arrive by 1:00 PM on Sunday, June 14, and depart after 1 PM on Sunday, June 21. We are generally unable to provide transportation outside of these times, but we may be able to arrange pickup/drop-off for an additional fee in extenuating circumstances. Give us a call for more information prior to booking travel.

Please note: Campers must send a copy of their itinerary to the camp office. It should be sent *at least three weeks* in advance of arrival.

What to do when you arrive: Unless you have made other arrangements with the camp office, proceed to baggage claim and collect your bags. *Remain by the carousel until a representative from Piedmont Bible Camp picks you up.* Look for someone with a sign that says, "Piedmont Bible Camp." In the unlikely event that you are still waiting one-half hour after you have collected your baggage, call the camp office (227)-265-8497 for instructions.

DIRECTIONS TO CAMP

FROM THE SOUTH: Take US 29 North from Charlottesville for approximately 25 miles. Turn right onto Hwy 230 East. Drive about 10 miles until it ends at Hwy 15. Turn left. After 4 miles, turn right onto Locust Dale Rd (Route 614). The camp is located at Hartland Institute, 1¼ miles on the left. Follow signs to the registration area.

FROM THE NORTH: Take US 29 South. At Culpeper, take the exit for Orange. At the stop sign, turn left onto Hwy 15 South. After about 10 miles, turn left onto Locust Dale Rd (Route 614). The camp is located at Hartland Institute, 1¼ miles on the left. Follow signs to the registration area.



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