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Redwood Glen is a year-round Christian camp and conference center located in the scenic coastal redwoods of the Santa Cruz Mountains between Half Moon Bay and Santa Cruz, CA.

Redwood Glen is a member of the Christian Camp and Conference Association.

## Information for Campers and their Parents

### CABIN ROOMMATES

When assigning cabins to campers, we try to keep them within the same grade groupings. We will try to honor cabin roommate requests, but we **cannot** make any guarantees.

### MEDICAL INFORMATION

We have a designated adult at each camp that serves as Health Care Provider (HCP). The HCP supplies “TLC” for campers by caring for scratches, bumps, bruises and occasional homesickness.

Registration time will include a health-screening checking for head lice, pink eye, etc., and **all medications** must be turned into the HCP. All medications are secured and the HCP makes them available to the campers who are responsible to take it at the appropriate time.

Campers are NOT allowed to bring over-the-counter (OTC) medications (Tylenol, cough drops, Benadryl, etc.) without a signed doctor’s order. The camp has a supply of OTC medications that the HCP can make available to campers as needed.

It is best for parents of a camper with significant medical situations (bed wetting, physical limitations, ADD or ADHD, etc.) to contact the camp at least 2 weeks prior to coming to camp. The director, HCP and camp staff will work discreetly to make sure all campers have a safe week at camp.

The camp will contact parents if any need arises to transport a camper to a medical facility for care beyond the scope of what we can provide on-site. Redwood Glen has emergency medical facilities available as well as camper accident insurance that will pay as “second insured.”

### FIRST TIME CAMPERS

The first time away from home and going to camp can be a little bit stressful for younger children. Our Camps for grades 2-6 have a counselor-camper ratio of 1:6. Our camp leaders go the extra mile to make sure campers are made to feel welcome and part of the group right from the moment they arrive at camp. If a camper experiences homesickness, our staff is trained to work with the camper and give them the special attention they may need at that time. If homesickness persists, we may contact parents and ask that they encourage their child. We work hard at making all campers “feel at home” at camp, but on the very rare occasion, we may contact the parents to ask that they come and take their child home.

## WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

- Please see our “What to Bring Document”.
  - The exact amount of any prescribed medication for the week plus two extra days.
  - Spending money for Trading Post (camp gift store; \$20-\$30 recommended)
- Please do not have campers bring sodas, snack food, radios, video games, personal sports equipment, alcohol, drugs, tobacco products or weapons of any kind. We have a “**Zero Tolerance**” policy on alcohol, drugs and weapons.

## LOST AND FOUND

All lost and found items are turned into the camp office. We keep the items for **30 days**. If you believe you’ve lost something at camp, please contact the camp office. Please write the name of your child on his/her clothing.

## CORRESPONDENCE

It is always a treat for campers to receive mail. Any correspondence needs to have the child’s name as well as the name of the specific program they are attending in order for it to reach the child (i.e. **Sally Johnson, Youth MAD**). We encourage family and friends to send postcards and letters to campers while they are at camp. Please do not send food items. Mail should be sent at least 3 days before the end of camp to make sure it arrives in time.

“Camper’s name, Program Name”

c/o Redwood Glen

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Or, if you prefer, you can bring letters or packages the day you bring your child(ren) to camp to be distributed on the days you designate on the letters or packages to insure that your child(ren) receive it before they leave camp. Incoming email is available but limited to one per camper per day. This is due to limited staff and Internet access. The address to send email to a camper is **camper@redwoodglen.com**. You must type the camper’s name and the name of the specific program they are attending in the subject line. Campers can respond only by regular mail. ***Please note: Campers will NOT have access to phones to call home while at camp, nor can they take phone calls.*** If there is an emergency and you need to get in touch with your child, please call the camp office and we will do our best to assist you.

## T-SHIRTS & CAMP PICTURES

Every camper receives a Camp T-shirt and Camp Picture to take home – ***free!***

We also have a webpage that will be updated every day filled with pictures of the events that took place that day. You will be able to download the pictures of your choice and save the memories of camp for years to come. The site is password protected, so make sure to get the login information on registration day, or you may call the camp office.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions!  
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