

STOMPIN GROUNDS

Straight Arrow Camp
On Lake Texoma

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Camp Dates for 2018

Senior Boys Camp	(Grades 6th—11th, next school year)	June 11—June 16
Senior Girls Camp	(Grades 6th—11th, next school year)	June 18—June 23
Junior Boys Camp	(Grades 2nd—6th, next school year)	June 25—June 30
Junior Girls Camp	(Grades 2nd—6th, next school year)	July 2—July 7

**** You now have the option to send your 6th grader to either or both**

Get your camp information quicker!

Send us your email address now to jan@straightarrowcamp.org

Camp Fees

\$275.00

**Price includes T-shirt &
Tribe photo**

\$75 Deposit upon Registration

2nd Child—\$250.00

3rd Child—\$235.00

Fees are Non Refundable after June 1st
Plus+ bank money for crafts & trading post
\$25-35—bring first day of camp

**You can pay your registration fee or entire camp
fee through paypal on the website**

How to Register

Two Ways to register are listed below. Complete all Parts of the Form and submit with either a Full Payment of \$275 or a Deposit of \$75. Payments can be made via PayPal. Campers are accepted on a first come first serve basis.

Online Registration is available here: [ONLINE FORM \(3 Parts\)](#) – email confirmation received.

Manual or Mail In Registration is available here: [MANUAL FORM \(2 Parts\)](#) - For Manual Registration: Print and email completed form to jan@straightarrowcamp.org. For Mail In Registration or Payment - Please send to:

Straight Arrow Camp - Attn: Jan Branch
90006 Preston Bend Road
Pottsboro, TX 75076
469-951-1758

Banking Money Tradin' Post/Craft

Trading Post and Craft money is banked at check-in on Monday morning. Most campers bring from \$25-\$35. This amount covers snacks, crafts, t-shirts, skiing, stamps, etc, throughout the week. Money not spent will be returned to the camper on Friday evening along with a statement of what was spent. For safety from theft, we do not allow money in the cabins.

Continue to Give

The last few years, the camp family was challenged to give one month of your tithe to camp and many of you met that challenge and blessed camp. If at all possible, in the coming year, as you plan your tithes and offerings to God, would you also consider tithing one month's tithe to camp again this year. Camp has many needs that are not met entirely through our camp fees. Camp is a non-profit organization and all your donations are tax deductible. You now have the option of making your donations with a credit card through Paypal on our website.

**All Campers should arrive on Monday
between 10:00am—11:00am**

**All Campers should be picked up on
Saturday mornings by 10:00am**

Smoke Signals

From Chief Water Buffalo, Big Chief of Straight Arrow Camp

The last few years during Kiva lessons at Straight Arrow Camp, we have learned about love and how much God truly loves us. This year, we are going to look at how we should learn to love Him. We will be using as a foundation the following scriptures from the Gospel of Mark.

Mark 12:

28 One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating. Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked him, "Of all the commandments, which is the most important?"

29 "The most important one," answered Jesus, "is this: 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. 30 Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' 31 The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no commandment greater than these."

Among all of the things that Jesus taught, these two commandments became the most important. Jesus exemplified them in his life and we should learn to do the same in ours. I am excited about what the Holy Spirit has to teach us this year and the opportunity to practice it in our own lives.

Location to Camp and letters to Campers

Straight Arrow Camp is located on Texas Hwy 289 (formerly Hwy 120), 7.5 miles north of Pottsboro, Texas. Letters to campers and registrations should be sent to this address: Straight Arrow Camp, 90006 Preston Bend Rd, Pottsboro, Texas 75076. If you need more information or have any questions, contact Jan Branch at our office (469) 951-1758.

Counselors Meeting & Work Day

Saturday, April 28, 2018

9:00am

Bring scissors and work gloves for the counselors meeting and work day. This will be a combined work and counselors meeting. Lunch will be provided.

Counselors Needed

To make Straight Arrow Camp the best it can be for all campers, we need volunteer adult counselors for all camps. Invest in the lives of these young people and in God's work by becoming a counselor. All counselors are required to have a background check and Child Abuse training. For those of you interested in being a counselor, please contact Jan Branch by email at jan@straightarrowcamp.org or (469) 951-1758.

Camper's Suitcase should include:

- Play clothes for 6 days
- Athletic shoes, sandals for the water only
- Modest Swim Suite and beach towel
- Bedding, pillow, towel, wash cloth, toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, personal items
- Laundry Bag or extra pillow slip
- Bible
- Flashlight, insect repellent, sun screen
- Fishing pole, ball glove, or Frisbee, if desired

These items are strictly PROHIBITED!:

- Matches or lighters
- Cigarettes or illegal drugs
- Radios, CD, or Ipods, or computers
- TV's of any size
- Weapons of any sort (guns, knives, scissors, etc)
- Cellular or digital phones
- Video or any electronic games
- Snack food or drinks (except water) are not allowed in the cabins
- No clothing which exhibits alcohol, drugs, tobacco products, satanic symbols, inappropriate language, or other offensive displays

**"A private camp with a Christian emphasis"
Since 1953**