

# STOMPIN GROUNDS

Straight Arrow Camp  
On Lake Texoma

Website: [www.straightarrowcamp.org](http://www.straightarrowcamp.org)

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## Camp Dates for 2019

Senior Boys Camp	(Grades 6th—11th, next school year)	June 10—June 15
Senior Girls Camp	(Grades 6th—11th, next school year)	June 17—June 22
Junior Boys Camp	(Grades 2nd—6th, next school year)	June 24—June 29
Junior Girls Camp	(Grades 2nd—6th, next school year)	July 1—July 6

**\*\* 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](mailto:jan@straightarrowcamp.org)

### Camp Fees

\$350.00

Price includes T-shirt &  
Tribe photo

\$100 Deposit upon Registration  
2nd Child—\$325.00  
3rd Child—\$300.00

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

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### How to Register

Two Ways to register are listed below. Complete all Parts of the Form and submit with either a full payment of \$350 or a Deposit of \$100. 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 FORMS—(2 Parts)** - For Manual Registration: Print and email completed form to [jan@straightarrowcamp.org](mailto:jan@straightarrowcamp.org). For Mail In Registration or Payment—Please send to:

Straight Arrow Camp—Attn: Jan Branch  
90006 Preston Bend Rd  
Pottsboro, Texas 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*

*I was thinking the other day, as I was listening to the pastor at our church, that life can be like one of two things; walking up an incline or stumbling down an incline. I can imagine a path that goes up into the beauty of the sky but takes a little effort and a lot of determination and a path that goes down into the water that looks inviting but quickly starts to build up pressure the farther down you go. The pressures of life can sometimes be overwhelming, but if we are living a daily life that leads us upward to our purpose in Christ then those pressures have less and less effect on us each day. Part of that daily upward walk should include daily scripture reading and constant fellowship with Christ through prayer.*

*One of my greatest joys each year is to see and talk to kids after the summer camp season has ended and hear from them the impact that Straight Arrow Camp has had on their life. The Junior camp kids can hardly wait for next summer to get here and their memories of the great fun, friends and great teaching are still fresh and vibrant. The Senior camp kids are talking about how the relationships and the lessons that they learned at camp are helping them get through the tough times that they are already experiencing this year. It re-emphasizes to me the true value and importance of the Camp Straight Arrow program in the lives of these kids.*

## 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, May 4, 2019**

**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 be a Christian Believer, 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](mailto: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**