

1116 Mill Creek Road, Lewistown, MT 59457

## Greetings!

We are excited about your interest in serving at Camp Lewtana this upcoming summer! Here are the forms which you will need to complete to start the approval process. Camp Lewtana partners with The Rocky Mountain Bible Mission in order to provide a credible setup for our summer staff which covers all of our legal bases. For this reason, we ask that completed applications be mailed to the RMBM Missoula office (address below). Please send in the forms as soon as they are completed to expedite the reviewing and reference checks. Please be honest and sincere in your answers.

Also include the dates which you desire to work if you cannot be with us for the entire summer. It is understandable if you can only be here for one or two weeks, but we must know this in advance for planning purposes. If you plan on working at our overnight camps you MUST ATTEND our staff training!!! Staff training for 2023 is June 12-16. If you desire to help at Vacation Bible School you will need to arrive at or before 8AM on May 24th for the necessary training and preparation.

Thanks again for your consideration of Camp Lewtana! Please consider the seriousness of the endeavor. After all, people's eternal destinations are hanging in the balance. Know that we are praying for the staff which the Lord wants here for the summer. We hope you are praying for God's guidance as well.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact us as soon as possible at: Camp Lewtana (406) 535-4805 or Dean Sain (406) 366-9104.

Please mail forms to:

Volunteer Program RMBM 1515 Fairview Avenue, Suite 200 Missoula, MT 59801 2023 VBS SCHEDULE VBS Prep May 24-26 Rural VBS May 30-June 2 Day Camp June 5-9

2023 CAMP SCHEDULE Staff Training June 12-16 Jr. Teen Camp June 19-24 Children's Camp June 27-July 1 Basketball/Archery Camp July 10-15 Junior Camp July 18-22 Sr. Teen Camp July 31-August 5 Family Camp August 11-13

## DUTIES OF CAMP COUNSELORS AND STAFF

1. Each counselor and staff member must know Jesus Christ as their personal Savior and be an example of consistent Christian living at all times. Campers and visitors will be looking to us for spiritual light. "Let no one despise (or think less of) you because of your youth, but be an example (pattern) for the believers, in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, and purity."

2. It is requested that there be no dating or pairing off during camp. (With the exception of engaged couples by directors' permission only.)

3. Counseling is a 24 hour a day responsibility. Each counselor or counselor-in-training must be with his or her campers or know where each one is at all times. It is best for counselors to sit with their own group at meals and all scheduled classes, etc.

4. Counselors shall lead their group in morning and evening devotions and seek to understand the personal needs of their campers and help them individually as much as possible. Your greatest responsibility is that you give every unsaved camper an opportunity to personally trust in Christ.

5. Counselors must report any injury or sickness to the director or assistant director. This will also apply to problems or situations which you cannot handle.

6. Counselors must keep daily reports, scripture memorization, team points, and the weekly report of every camper.

7. Counselors and staff are to dress in a modest and becoming manner at all times in keeping with the following standards: No shirts, T-shirts, or clothing displaying words or drawings that may be questionable or have a double meaning. No short skirts or short dresses. No low necks, bare backs, bare bellies or see through blouses. In scheduled swimming there can be no bikinis or "French cut" swim suits. Ladies must be decently covered with one-piece suits or the equivalent.

8. Counselors and staff (except cooks) must attend all staff meetings.

9. As Bible Camp staff we are not here to form "cliques" and just enjoy the time with each other. We are here to serve and minister to the needs of the campers.

10. Counselors and staff are not allowed to have visitors during camp time. This distracts the counselor from the responsibility of the campers.

Counselors and staff must accept the authority of the camp director and those he places over you.
As a counselor or staff member you represent Christ, Camp Lewtana, and The Rocky Mountain Bible Mission.

I agree to comply with these qualifications and the Counselor's Covenant as stated on the following page. I understand that if I do not comply during the course of the camp that I will be dismissed from the camp.

Signature

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Counselors and counselors-in-training under 18 years old must have parent/guardian read and sign the rules and agreement.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

## CAMP COUNSELOR'S COVENANT

I believe that Jesus Christ died for my sins and having trusted in His finished work on the cross for me, I know I have been born again.

I do not participate in questionable amusements, believing my body to be the temple of the Holy Spirit, and desiring that my life shall glorify Him at all times.

I shall seek to be guided by Him in all matters pertaining to my daily life in camp.

I agree to carry out cheerfully the particular responsibilities and duties assigned to me.

I agree to participate in all camp activities, keeping in mind the specific objectives of these activities for the campers.

I agree to participate in all staff meetings and to contribute worthwhile suggestions.

I agree to maintain an attitude of friendliness to all, to show no favoritism, and to eliminate personal prejudices.

I agree to endeavor to create a spirit of cooperation and loyalty in my group toward the whole camp program.

I agree to maintain a Christian-like example in sacredness of speech, modest dress, and observance of camp rules.

I agree to take a personal interest in each individual member of my group and to seek ultimately to lead him or her to Jesus Christ.

I agree to be alert to the health needs of the campers and to be accident conscious at all times.

I pledge loyalty to the Camp Director, the personnel and the program of the camp in order to produce a spirit of unity so that the efforts of this camp may be of eternal value.

Signature

Date

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## LEWTANA'S OPERATIONAL DOCTRINAL STATEMENT

We stand for and emphasize the foundational truths held in common by evangelical Christians; our basis of fellowship being a oneness of heart and mind in all things of the Lord and adherence to the historic Christian faith expressed as follows:

1. The Bible, which is verbally inspired by the Holy Spirit and inerrant in the original manuscripts and is the infallible and authoritative Word of God. (Ps. 119:160; John 17:17; 2 Tim. 3:16-17; Heb. 4:12; 6:16-18; 2 Pet. 1:21)

2. The Triune Godhead in three persons—God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit (Gen. 1; Deut. 6:4; Matt. 28:18-20; John 1:1-3, 14; 15:26; 2 Cor. 13:14)

3. The personality of Satan, called the devil, and his present control over unregenerate mankind. (Isa. 14:12-17; Ezek. 28:11-19; Eph. 2:1-3; 1 Tim. 3:6-7; 1 Pet. 5:8-9; Rev. 12:9)

4. The fall and lost estate of man, whose total depravity makes necessary the new birth. (Gen. 3; Jer. 17:9; John 3:1-21; Rom. 3:10-18, 23; 5:12; 6:23; James 2:10)

5. The deity of Jesus Christ (Matt. 3:17; John 1:1; 10:30; Rev. 1:7-8), His virgin birth (Matt. 1:18), sinless life (Heb. 4:15), death (1 Pt. 3:18), burial, bodily resurrection (1 Cor. 15:3-4), present exaltation at God's right hand (Luke 22:69; Heb. 12:2), and personal imminent return (John 14:3; 1 Thess. 4:16-17; Rev. 22:7, 12).

6. The atonement for sin by the substitutionary death and shed blood of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. (Rom. 3:21-25; 5:6-7; Heb. 9:12; 1 Pt. 3:18; 1 John 2:2)

7. Salvation—the forgiveness of sin, right standing with God, eternal life—is received by grace alone, through faith alone, in Jesus Christ alone and His finished work on the cross. (John 3:16; 5:24; 14:6; Rom. 3:21-25; 5:6-8; 10:13; 2 Cor. 5:21; Eph. 2:8-9)

8. The resurrection of the saved unto everlasting life and blessedness in Heaven, and the resurrection of the unsaved unto everlasting punishment in Hell. (Dan. 12:2; Matt. 25:31-46; John 3:36; 5:24; 1 Cor. 15:51-57; 1 John 5:11-12; Rev. 20:15; 22:12-15)

9. The Church, the Body or Bride of Christ, consisting only of those who are born again, for whom He now makes intercession in Heaven and for whom He shall come again. (Rom. 8:34; 1 Cor. 12:12-14, 27; Eph. 1:20-23; 5:23; Heb. 7:25; Rev. 19:7-9)

10. Christ's commission to go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. (Matt. 28:18- 20; Mark 16:15-18; John 17:18; Acts 1:8; Rom. 10:14-15; 2 Cor. 5:18-20)

Signature