

# Lutheran Island Camp Summer Program Fact Sheets

## Horse Camps

### Week Schedule

#### SUNDAY

3:00pm – Registration Opens

4:45 – Orientation

5:00 – Supper

5:45 – Time Alone With God

6:00 – Front Lawn Games

7:00 – Swimming

8:00 – Flag Lowering/Canteen

8:30 – Campfire

9:15 – Cabin Time

#### MONDAY-THURDAY

7:45 – Flag Raising

8:00 – Breakfast

8:30 – Morning Chapel

9:30 – Bible Study

10:00 – Riding

12:00 – Lunch

12:45 – Riding

2:30 – Canteen

3:00 – Swim Time

5:00 – Supper

5:30 – Time Alone with God

6:00 – Q&A with Pastor/ Front Lawn Games

7:00 – Swimming

8:00 – Flag Lowering/Canteen

8:30 – Campfire

9:15 – Cabin Time

#### FRIDAY

8:00 – Breakfast

8:15 – Depart for Horse Show at Ranch

10:00 – Closing Service

11:00 – Check Out

### Frequently Asked Questions

#### 1. How much experience riding does my child need?

For tenderfoot camps the biggest thing is that your child is comfortable enough around horses to get on and follow our wrangler's instructions. For wrangler horse camp your child should have had riding experience and confidence in their ability to ride a horse up to a canter.

#### 2. What happens if my child is not ready for or is experienced beyond the level they signed up for?

Most weeks we have multiple level camps going on, our wranglers will help put campers at the level they need to be at for a good camp experience.

#### 3. If my child has a friend coming along, will they get to stay with them?

When you register your child there should be an option to put down cabin mates, make sure to put your camper's friends down under that and we will make sure they will be together! Even if they are at different riding levels we will keep them together when not riding.

#### 4. Will the campers have opportunity to enjoy traditional camp activities?

During most days your camper will spend the majority of time out riding horses. They still have an opportunity to swim every day, and counselors usually get some traditional activities in during the evenings during cabin time.

#### 5. What happens if my child gets homesick?

Homesickness is common among campers, especially those that are younger and are not used to staying away from home. Our staff is trained to work with children who are homesick, and work with campers to help them enjoy their time at camp! Please do NOT tell your campers that they can call home, studies done by the American Camping Association and the Christian Camp and Conference Association have shown that this increases homesickness and increases the child's odds of needing to be sent home.