

CAMP 2023



NANOOSE BAY BIBLE CAMP APA

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CAMP EXPERIENCE



All about Mids Camp

Mids camp is five days of straight-up FUN! Middle school students will be staying in cabins with other students around their age and amazing cabin leaders who will love them and lead them throughout the week. Each student will be put on a team where they will get to participate in super fun games and challenges from dodgeball to obstacle courses to pie-eating contests. Their teams will compete and hope to be crowned the champions at the end of the week. The fun is just the beginning though, the greater goal is that students would come to know Jesus in a new and personal way through the chapel services and the relationships they are able to build with others. The theme this year is "New Creation" and the hope and prayer of the staff at Nanoose Bay Camp is that students would learn that in Christ they are new creations and he has equipped them for all that he will call them to do. We hope you can join us at camp this year!

Dates:

Middle School Youth
(Vantage Junior) You will
be heading to the island,
from July 10th -14th.

We can't wait to see you
there!

Quote by Cheimela

"Camp is honestly the one thing I can regularly say I look forward to going back to every day. being at Nanoose for a week in the summer is an experience that you can't miss out on. you meet so many amazing people that become great friends and build your relationship with Jesus. I find that camp always directs me into a healthy and happy mindset. being at camp and as well as volunteering I feel has given me great life skills with just being able to adapt to new things and being a leader. camp strengthened my relationship with Jesus and the church so much and every time I go back it just gets stronger. the worship and sermons are amazing. and the vibe is so beautiful. I would recommend the camp to everyone!!"



CAMP EXPERIENCE



All about Highs Camp

Highs camp is 7 days of jammed packed camp FUN. Students will be staying in cabins with other students around their age and amazing cabin leaders who will love them and lead them throughout the week. Each student will be put on a team where they will play sports against all of the other teams throughout the week. Teams are competing to be crowned champions and win the Richmond Cup. They will also have opportunities throughout the week to compete with their cabin against the other cabins in fun games like Pictionary, slip n' slide handball, and much more! The fun is just the beginning though, the greater goal is that students would come to know Jesus in a new and personal way through the chapel services and the relationships they are able to build with others. The theme this year is "New Creation" and the hope and prayer of the staff at Nanoose Bay Camp is that students would learn that in Christ they are new creation and he has equipped them for all that he will call them to do. We hope you can join us at camp this year!

Dates

For all the high schoolers (Vantage) you will be going to camp on:
July 16th-22nd.

Make sure you take some time off of work so you can attend this amazing weekend this summer.

Quote by Jazzi Ashton

"Camp has given me so many new friendships with so many different people and I look forward to seeing them every year. I also love to play sports and I get to show off my competitive side while playing all of the sports at camp. The camp has helped me build a more personal relationship with Jesus instead of me just following what my parents do."



FUNDRAISING

This spring and summer we will be hosting a few fundraising events that will help us raise money for camp. The funds we raise will go towards the following needs: Transportation to the camp and from camp (including ferry tickets), The cost to bring our own youth leaders to camp, go towards registration for campers, additional cost for the fundraising events, and more. All the students are encouraged to come to as many fundraising events as possible and the money raised will be distributed towards their trip to come, their own registration fees, or their friend's registration fee. Below are the fundraising events and details of each event.

How to Fundraise

Car wash:

- What
 - We are excited to host another carwash this spring. Every year we have been able to raise a significant amount of money from our car washing fundraising. We met in the church parking lot and invited cars to drive in and get the exterior of their cars cleaned by us. This is by donation and we encourage our students to be cheerful regardless of the amount that is given. This year we will be selling food to help us raise even more money. The event will start at 10:30 and go until 2pm.
- When:
 - We will gather together on June 6th for high school students and June 8th for middle school students to go around the surrounding neighborhoods and hand out flyers inviting them to come to our car wash.
 - The car wash will take place on June 10th, students are expected to be there from 9:30am to 3pm
- Who
 - This is for all the students who are going to camp, and especially those needing help raising funds for camp and also the students who want to help the other students raise money for camp. We would love to invite parents who are willing to help us either supervising the car washing, helping serving the food or keeping an eye on the students as they stand on the sidewalk inviting others cars to pull into the parking lot.
- FYI:
 - Don't forget to bring appropriate clothes for the car wash and also the weather
 - Show up on time to help us set up and stay to help us clean up after
 - Make sure to eat a good breakfast, we will provide lunch.



FUNDRAISING

How to Fundraise Pt 2

Bottle Drive:

- What:
 - Our goal is to collect as many bottles as possible so we can cash in money that can help us with camp this year. The plan is to hand out flyers for the long weekend so people can save their bottles then we will go to the designated areas collecting the bottles and dropping them off at the bottle depot.
- When:
 - Flyers hangout day: May 18th from 4 to 6 pm. We will meet at the church and then go handout together then come back to the church.
 - Pick up day: May 28th from 1 pm to 4pm
- Who:
 - All the students that are going to camp, the money we raise will help us pay for transportation to camp and back, The cost for the leaders to join us, and the students that need help raising money.
 - Parents who are able to help us. We will need parents who can supervise the kids as we go door to door to pick up bottles. As well as parents who can help sort the bottles and drop them off at the bottle depot.
- FYI:
 - Dress appropriately for the event and the weather
 - If we are not collecting in your neighborhood you are encouraged to ask your neighbors
 - Make sure to eat lunch, snacks, and water will be provided.
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FUNDRAISING

How to Fundraise Pt3

Canada Day weekend fundraising

- Info:
 - This year on Sunday, July 2nd we will be creating a few opportunities for our church family to help us raise money for camp. Below are the following ways we will be doing that.
- Bake auction
 - We are partnering with our women's ministry for an annual bake auction. The women of our church will be invited to bake anything they want. Everything they bake will be auctioned in the church lobby and all the funds raised will go towards camp.
 - Students will be expected to help as needed.
- Shaving content
 - A few people have been asked to consider shaving their hair and some of their beard if we reach our goal. One of those people may or maybe not be our lead Pastor Dave Funk
- Dunk tank

Parents Night Out Fundraiser:

- Who
 - For Children Ages 2-to 10
 - Volunteers: Anyone who is going to Camp! Will Help serve and watch over the kids for the evening.
- What:
 - This is a night where you can be kid-free! Childcare by donation is provided at the church for parents to have a night off..
- Where
 - At APA North Auditorium
- When
 - June 2nd
 - Time 5:30 - 8:00 pm

DONATIONS

Send a student to camp

- If you have the desire to be a part of transforming a student's life then this is an amazing opportunity. You can sponsor a student by covering part or all of their registration costs so that they can attend camp!
- Ways you can do that:
 - Sponsor a specific student
 - Give today's sponsor and we can distribute it to the students who need the funds.



TRAVEL

DETAILS

- Drop off will be at the church as well as pick up after camp. We are heading over by bus and then by ferry on July 10th - 14th with our middle school students.
- July 16th- 22nd, we will be jumping on a bus together, then catching a ferry, with our high school students.
- We will meet at the church around 7:30 am to make sure we catch the morning ferry! *Subject to change* - Please be reassured by the emails from your youth pastor closer to the departing date. After Camp is all said and done, we once again will get a ride from the camp then jump on a ferry and then jump on a bus to head back to the church.

EXTRAS

- Money for things
- Nanoose has an awesome Candy/ Snack Bar! If you want to bring money for extra snacks you most definitely can
- Lunch will be paid for on the ferries, but anything extra that students want to buy on the ferry will have to with there money

PACKING

Packing list:

- Comfortable clothing, including swimwear and sleepwear enough for a week
- Hats for the sun!
- Rain gear
- Sturdy footwear (running shoes, sandals, at least one pair that's waterproof)
- Toiletries
- Bedding and towels
- Flashlight
- Water bottle
- Sunscreen and insect repellent
- Bible & Journal & Pen
- Optional items such as: musical instruments, camera, , books, games, small backpack (maybe even a small surprise treat!)
- What to wear
- Make sure that you wear clothing that you can many activities in.
- No short shorts
- Tshirts that can get dirty in games
- Girls: Please make sure your tops and shorts cover appropriately (or you will be asked to put another shirt over top

SIGN UP & VOLUNTEER

AS A CAMPER

01.

Sign up online and register at Nanoose Bay camp:

- You can head over to the camp's page and register.
- Make sure to include in your registration form that you are with Abbotsford Pentecostal Assembly (Vantage Youth)
- If there is a waitlist please follow the instructions on the webpage on how to get on the waitlist and let either Pastor Madison or Peter know.
- Unable to pay?
 - If you are unable to pay the registration fee in full please contact us, we are willing to temporarily cover the cost in order to secure the registration. We can then set up a payment plan in order to reimburse the church.
 - For all other concerns with having enough for registration please contact our youth pastors.



AS A LEADER

02.

You Can sign up on the website as well!
Make sure to complete the whole form and submit it!
You will also need a CRC (Criminal Record Check) to be a volunteer at Nanoose Bay Camp

No Payments are needed to volunteer a week at Camp.

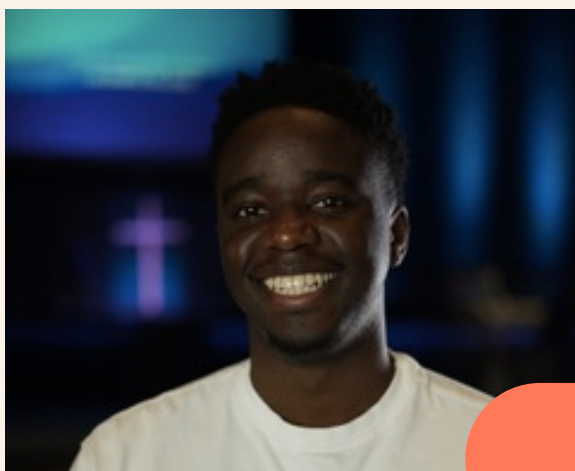
PRAYER PARTNER

03.

You can support Vantage Junior by praying for each student! Knowing that God is going to transform their Hearts, Soul, and Mind. As they are challenged and learn more about Jesus.

Thank you so much for speaking life and truth over our next generation.

CONTACT



PETER BAKUNDA

Sr High Youth Pastor

"Camp has a very special place in my heart. I heard someone say that camp is like a greenhouse where students grow in their faith, in confidence and build friendships in such a short period. This Year I am looking forward watching our high school students experience God and be transformed by his love for them."

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MADISON HARTER

Jr. Middle Youth Pastor

"Going to Camp with the Middle School Students is one of my favorite opportunities as a Youth Pastor. When a group gets to travel together, make memories, and bond closer to one another it brings me so much joy to see our youth group become like a family!"

I love seeing students believe that they have belonging and trust in Jesus and the people around them.

And once camp is over seeing the transformation in each student's spiritual journey is always impactful to me.

Camp is just another avenue to following Jesus together!"

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SUMMMER 2023 HERE WE COME



2 Corinthians 5:17: Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.

Camp Website: <https://www.nanoosebaycamp.ca/>

Camp Location: 2531 Nanoose Beach Rd, Nanoose Bay, BC V9P 9E5



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