

BEFORE YOU ARRIVE

STAFF BASICS 101

PAY

You will be paid every 2 weeks, via Direct Deposit. If there seems to be any discrepancies with your pay during the summer please talk with Katie Greenwell to resolve ASAP.

ARRIVAL DATES

There are many different arrival dates, depending on your position and trainings needed. For your official arrival date, see your contract, or an email from the Camp Leadership Team. Just because your friend is arriving one day, do not assume your arrival date is the same!

TIME OFF

You will receive 2.5 days off each 2 week period: 1 day off during the session and then 1.5 days over the break between sessions.

LAUNDRY

For counselors, your laundry will be done once each week by our laundry staff along with your campers. For Central Staff, you may arrange a time with the Laundry Staff that is most convenient for their schedule to do your laundry. Laundry bags must be of a reasonably small size.

WORKERS COMPENSATION

In the event of an injury, you are covered under Workers Compensation Insurance. If you were to get sick, you will need your own personal insurance to cover any medical expenses.

CLOTHING DISCOUNTS

CAMP CLOTHING STORE

You will receive two (2) staff shirts at no cost to you. Other clothing items can be purchased at a discount from our clothing store.

LOCAL DISCOUNTS

Several local retailers offer discounts to camp staff. These retailers often, but not strictly, include Take A Hike, Mast General, and Chaco.

REAL TALK *

One of our former rockstar staffers wrote this up for you! It includes pictures, descriptions of activities, and just straight up real talk about camp life from a staffers perspective. Click here to read up on staff life. Click here for a packing list.

STAFF WEEK *

We are counting down the days until you come! This week will be full of meeting new people, policy orientation, worship and fellowship, learning the ropes or your job, getting our campus beautified, planning for your campers to come, and a ton of fun.

Packing for camp: You'll want to pack a separate bag and bedding for the first few days, before you move into your own cabin for the summer. We will give more details on this through Facebook as the time gets closer.

To get here use "105 Balsam Rd, Ridgecrest, NC 28770" in your GPS.

MUSIC

Please refer to your contract materials for our philosophy on music at camp. Radios, iPods, etc., may be brought to camp by staff, but we ask that you play **ONLY CHRISTIAN MUSIC** in the cabin

COUNCIL OF PROGRESS *

One of the long standing traditional times we have at camp is called Council of Progress. It has been around since the beginning of Crestridge in 1955. We focus on four areas of growth – social, mental, physical and spiritual. This comes from Luke 2:52, which says, "And Jesus grew in wisdom, stature and in favor with God and man." Bring your green shorts and white shirts to be "CP ready". For the complete description click here.