

FOR PARENTS

PHONE NUMBERS, CHECK OUT PROCEDURES, and PERTINENT INFORMATION

THANK YOU for entrusting your child. The safety and welfare of your child is our No. 1 priority. We want to make sure you have any information you need, and that you leave us with any emergency information we may need. Please make sure you have left an emergency number with us and all pertinent medical information.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS:

If you need to contact your child because of an emergency at home while they are attending the West River Rodeo Bible Camp, here are the cell phone numbers for:

Bryan Flath, Interim Camp Director/Stock Coordinator: 701-226-1447

Sue Kleinsasser, Camp Administrator: 701-400-7193

If you are unable to get ahold of Bryan or Sue for an emergency, please call the Burleigh County Sheriff's Office at 701-222-6651 and they will get a message to us.

WE WILL CALL YOU IF THERE IS AN EMERGENCY AT RODEO BIBLE CAMP INVOLVING YOUR CHILD. If we are unable to contact you, we will assume applied consent to do what is necessary for the health and safety of your child.

THIS IS A RODEO BIBLE CAMP. Campers will be in the proximity of horses and other rodeo livestock. Campers will be sleeping in tents. Campers will be utilizing outhouses.

If deemed safe and appropriate by Event Instructors and Staff, your child will be provided the opportunity to gain knowledge and compete in the rodeo event of their choice (with your parental approval).

If it is deemed unsafe by an instructor (and concurred by the Events Director or Camp Director) for your child to compete in their first choice Rodeo Event, they will be placed in event for which they are better prepared. This determination will be made by the Instructor(s) and is for your child's safety. This decision may (for example) be based on Camper "comfort level" for the rough stock events, or inability to ride/control a horse during timed events.

All campers enrolled in a rodeo timed-event or in the horsemanship class will participate in a "horsemanship proficiency demonstration" for the instructors on the first day of their given camp. Based upon their skill and ability to ride a horse, it will be determined if horsemanship or a rodeo event is appropriate, considering the safety and welfare of participants and horses.

Those campers enrolled for Bareback Riding, Saddle Bronc Riding, Bull/Steer Riding, or Steer Wrestling/Chute Dogging need to be prepared to interact with live animals.

IMPORTANT DATES:

The registration deadline for the 2017 West River Rodeo Bible Camp is Monday, June 1, 2017. We will not be able to guarantee the availability of preferred rodeo events after this date.

The Junior Camp Rodeo will be held on **Sunday, June 18, starting at 1:30 PM.**

The Senior Camp Rodeo will be held on **Friday, June 23, starting at 1:30 PM.**

This will be an opportunity for all participants to showcase what they have learned over the previous days at Rodeo Bible Camp. All parents, family, and friends are encouraged to attend and support the kids!

CHECK-OUT POLICY:

Everyone is expected to stay at camp until pictures are taken and awards are presented following the conclusion of the rodeo on the last day of camp. We will expect the campers to have cleaned their sleeping area, picked-up their trash, and checked to make sure that they haven't left anything behind. **WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ITEMS LOST OR FOR RETURNING FOUND ITEMS.**

ANY CAMPERS that need to check out early MUST let their counselor know AND check out with the Rodeo Bible Camp Office Secretary, Sue Kleinsasser.

STALL FEES:

The fee to rent a stall is \$25.00. Campers that bring a horse to Rodeo Bible Camp will be required to keep their horses in a stall. Horses will not be tied/tethered to trailers overnight. Shavings will be provided. It is expected that if a stall was used during the Rodeo Bible Camp, it will be cleaned prior to the Camper going home.

It is our prayer that this camp will be a blessing to you and your child. If you have any questions or would like to send us any suggestions concerning how we can make this a better experience for young people and their parents, please feel free to contact me a:

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