

CAMP KOOLAREE 2011

80 INCREDIBLE YEARS!!!

We're looking forward to having you join us for our **80th YEAR** of camping! Our Anniversary celebrations will be held in June, so be sure to check our website for info on this and any other info you'd like about the camp!



Our Mission

At Camp Koolaree, our mission is to provide an experience of God and community in a safe, sustainable and natural setting where campers and staff can deepen their understanding of what it means to live with respect in creation, to love and serve others, and to be good stewards of God's world.

All are valued and welcome for fun and personal growth in a camp where mutual respect and integrity is fostered and celebrated. Campers enjoy a safe and compassionate environment without worrying about bullying, competition, exclusion or denigration. While Christian in orientation, the camp provides a God-centered focus through experiences in nature and experiences with others in community. Campers learn that the principles they live by at camp can be used in their regular lives after they leave, to help create a happier and healthier world for all.

Interested in becoming a Leader?

We're always looking for great leaders to assist the directors in making the camp an enjoyable place, so if you're interested in becoming a cabin leader or counselor, we'd love to hear from you, so please fill out our leadership form on our website, or call the camp for more information.



2011 Camp Dates

Camp	Date	Early Bird Fee	Regular Registration Fee
Teen Co-Ed (aged 13-17 as of August 1)	July 4-9	\$200 before June 5	\$215 after June 6
Junior Girls (aged 9-12 as of August 1)	July 11-16	\$200 before June 12	\$215 after June 15
Junior Boys (aged 9-12 as of August 1)	July 18-23	\$200 before June 19	\$215 after June 20
Novice (aged 7-8 as of August 1)	July 25-28	\$115 before June 26	\$130 after June 27
Intergenerational -please call for partial week rates	July 31-August 6	Adult or Young Adult without parent: \$200 before July 2 Senior (55+): \$180 before July 2 Child or Teen with parent: \$140 before July 2 Preschool Child: \$95 before July 2	Adult or Young Adult without parent: \$215 after July 1 Senior (55+): \$195 after July 1 Child or Teen with parent: \$155 after July 1 Preschool Child: \$110 after July 1

Registrations

The number of registrations accepted will depend upon the number of volunteer counselors available. Registrations are received on a "first come" basis and are not accepted on the day the camp begins. **No unregistered campers will be permitted.**

Full registration fees paid by certified cheque or money order made payable to Camp Koolaree are to be submitted with the registration form. **Fee payments received within the seven (7) days preceding the start of the camp will be accepted only if by certified cheque, money order, bank draft or cash.** No uncertified cheques will be accepted during this period. **Do not send cash by mail!** Fees include a non-refundable charge of \$25.00 in the event that the registration is canceled by the applicant within ten (10) days of the start of the camp.

Registration fees include canteen (daily snacks) and a camp t-shirt. There is no need to bring money to camp.

Unless you are notified otherwise, registrations should be considered to have been accepted.

Cabin Assignments

Cabin assignments will be made by the Camp Director. Requests for cabin assignments will be considered for **first-time** campers. Remember, making new friends is a big part of camp!

Transportation

Arrival time (first day): 8:00am to 9:00am / **Pick-up time (last day):** 11:00am to 12:00pm (unless otherwise pre-arranged)

Place: Government wharf (McDonald's Landing), Highway 3A and Lower Six Mile Road (10.1km from Nelson bridge). Night crossings are not permitted.

Visitors

Visitors will be charged for meals and boat transportation to and from the camp. Enquire about rates beforehand.

Reaching Us

Camp cell phone*: 250-551-1499 / Camp pager: 250-352-8329

Mailing address:

Box 538, Fruitvale, BC V0G 1L0

E-mail: info@koolaree.com

Web: www.koolaree.com

***Please note that while campers are at the camp, use of the camp cell phone is for emergencies only. Please explain this to your child prior to them coming to the camp.**

Rentals

Interested in a retreat, wedding or reunion? Camp Koolaree is the perfect setting if you're looking to get away from it all!

Check out our website for more info: www.koolaree.com

Homesickness?

We recognize that many of the young campers may become homesick. If this is a concern, don't hesitate to come out to the camp and volunteer while your child is there!

What Do We Do At Camp?

canoeing
pedal boats
meaningful Bible study
skits/theatre games
crafts
morning chapel
sports (volleyball, softball,....)
great food
polar bear swim (optional)
swimming
hiking
rest time/free time
canteen
theme time discussions
campfire

Please Bring:

jeans/pants (2 pairs)
shorts, shirts, tops, socks, underwear
warm jacket/sweater
running shoes, sandals/thongs
sturdy shoes for hiking
hat/cap, swim suit, rain gear
sleeping bag, foamie, pillow
campfire blanket
soap, toothbrush, 2 towels
insect repellent, sunscreen
Bible
ball glove (novices excepted)
inexpensive camera (optional)
flashlight, spare batteries
musical instrument (optional)
notepad, pen/pencil

Please DON'T Bring:

aerosol cans of any kind
money
food
pets
CD, MP3 or DVD players
electronic games
radios
fishing tackle
knives
cell phones

(Note: Items not listed above may be locked up for safekeeping during camp. Some items may be issued during the camp at the discretion of the Camp Director.)