



INTERNATIONAL ALERT ACADEMY 2023 FAMILY CAMP GUIDE



AN *Adventure*
FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

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CAMP OFFICE HOURS

Fri, October 6 • 9:00 AM–6:00 PM

Sat, October 7 • 9:00 AM–10:00 PM

Sun, October 8 • 9:00–11:00 AM, 2:00–6:00 PM

Mon–Fri, Oct. 9–13 • 8:30 AM–10:00 PM

Sat, October 14 • 9:00 AM–1:00 PM



FAMILY CAMP 2023

WELCOME!

MOUNT UP

A Message from the Levenduskys

Welcome from all of our staff, volunteers, and families!

*"But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall **MOUNT UP** with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint" Isaiah 40:31.*

Waiting seems inconvenient in our modern era when we can gain information on almost any topic at a finger's touch, predict the weather forecast ten days out, and communicate with someone worldwide in real-time. We may find waiting on the Lord even more difficult because we expect Him to rescue us from trouble, give immediate aid, or at least speed us along toward our view of success.

But this familiar verse reminds us of the miraculous exchange that occurs when we do wait on the Lord—He replaces our weakness with His strength to face whatever comes into our lives. That includes the power to handle physical stress, mental anguish, spiritual dryness, and emotional pain. It may involve the renewal of a life that has drifted from the Lord, the restoration of strained relationships, or the receiving of God's grace to meet a health crisis.

As you rest at your campsites or enjoy your favorite activities, take time to think about what it means for you to wait on the Lord. Draw near to Him and receive His strength during times of weariness and stand amazed at how He will cause you to **MOUNT UP** as on eagles' wings! Thank you for coming to join us at Family Camp as we wait on the Lord together!



Sincerely in Christ,
Tim, Angie, and Josiah Levendusky

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COL. JESSE BOULDEN

Col. Jesse Boulden has been with the ALERT Program since attending Basic Training Unit 40 in 2008. He is passionate about forging men for the kingdom of God and has served in a variety of roles, including Drill Instructor, Senior Drill Sergeant, Sergeant Major, Executive Officer, and currently Commanding Officer. He has been married to his wife Katy, an elementary school teacher, since 2020.



JARROD COX

Jarrod Cox has been in Christian ministry for over 15 years and pastoring for ten years. He is also an engineer, international lead auditor, and leadership development consultant. He is married to Christy, and they have four wonderful children together. He has his Masters in Divinity from Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary, where he earned the preachers award. Jarrod has a passion for developing pastors and teachers, counseling, and writing. He enjoys a variety of books and films when he is not playing strategy board games or traveling with the family.



DR. LEW STERRETT

As a certified youth, marriage, and family counselor, Dr. Lew has a passion for biblical leadership development. Dr. Lew skillfully tames wild horses while illustrating our own spiritual stubbornness and our Master's kindness to continue drawing us to Himself. With finely-tuned relationship skills, he provides Biblical answers for a wide array of family problems. Dr. Lew shares his "Sermons on the Mount" across the nation, encouraging and equipping others to surrender to the Master and become influential followers of Christ.

UP

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renew their strength. Isaiah 40:31*



SFC (R) WILL SUMMERS

Will Summers was assigned to the 5th Special Forces Group as a member of ODA 595 (The Horse Soldiers). He was a Special Forces Communication Sergeant, and an Infantry Officer during his 25 years of service. ODA 595 was recognized for the most successful Unconventional Warfare mission in modern history. Their mission inspired the America's Response Monument and the movie *12 STRONG*. Will and his wife of 26 years, Dawn, live on a small farm in East Texas with ten of their eleven children; their eldest son, with his family, are on active duty in the 82nd Airborne Division.



CAPT. RICK WARNER

Capt. Rick Warner has been working alongside our ministry since 2014. With a heart for discipleship and a boldness that remains undaunted after 20 years in Mongolia as a missionary, Capt. Warner actively engages our community with the Gospel and encourages those around him into a deeper relationship with Christ—often using archery to illustrate concepts, or recalling profound life experiences from the past. If you catch him in a free moment, you'll most likely find him scouting the lake in a canoe, spending time with his family, or in a meaningful conversation with a new friend.

SPECIAL EVENTS

MOMS' TEA TIME

SUNDAY, October 8 | 2:00–4:30 PM



Enjoy fellowship and encouragement from other mothers while sipping your favorite teas. All moms are invited! Please leave any young children or infants with your family members at the camper. This tea is for you to enjoy fellowship with one another and encouragement in the Lord!

Location: Ponderosa Press (closed for sales on Sunday)

YOUNG ADULTS' FELLOWSHIP

SUNDAY, October 8 | 7:30–9:30 PM



Young adults (ages 18+, married and single) are invited to join us for a time of fellowship and meaningful conversation. Board games and light refreshments will also be available. There will be a devotional at 8:15 PM. Please note that the Sports Complex will not be open for other activities on Sunday.

Location: Ponderosa Press (closed for sales on Sunday)

TUMBLEWEED FESTIVAL

TUESDAY, October 10 | 2:00 PM

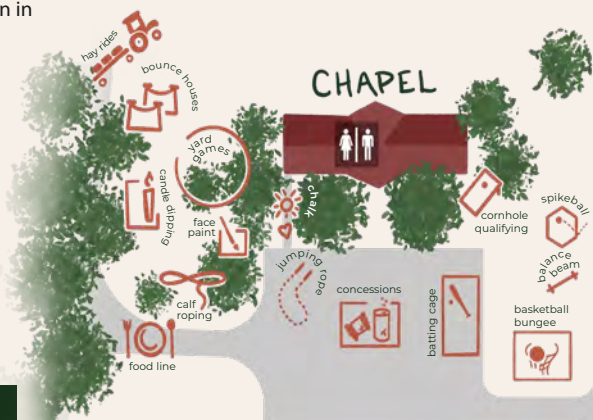


Join us for an afternoon of fellowship and yard games on the Chapel lawn, followed by a delicious Cowboy BBQ! (Please purchase dinner ahead of time at the Camp Office, or you're welcome to bring your own.) Please bring your chairs or picnic blankets! Afterward, we'll enjoy a special evening message at the corral with Dr. Lew Sterrett!

Concessions open in
the Chapel
Parking Lot from
2:00–8:30 PM!

Ponderosa Press
re-opens at
8:30 PM in the
Sports Complex.

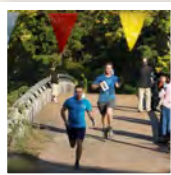
Location:
Chapel/Corral





5K TRAIL RUN

WEDNESDAY, October 11 | 8:00 AM

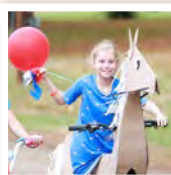


All ages and paces are welcome for this rugged 3.2-mile trail run! Check-in starts at 7:30 AM. Please remember our Dress Code is for both guys and gals! Loose-fitting pants or shorts must cover the thigh. No sleeveless tops, please. We reserve the right to deny participation if attire does not meet these guidelines.

Location: Lakefront Trail Head

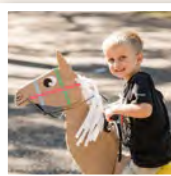
BIKE PARADE

WEDNESDAY, October 11 | 10:00 AM



Join us with your favorite bikes, trikes, wagons, scooters, and strollers to pedal, push, or pull in the Family Camp Bike Parade. Decorate your ride ahead of time or during the parade line-up at 9:15 AM behind the Chapel! (Balloons and streamers will be provided.) Decorated golf carts and other creative parade floats are welcome as well! Parade starts at 10:00 AM!

Location: Behind the Chapel



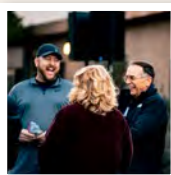
Custom Bicycle Horses!

Pedal in style with a custom cardboard colt for your bicycle! Bikes are first dropped off to be fitted by skilled cardboard artisans and then available for the rider to decorate. First-come, first-serve. A parent must accompany those under 12. Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, 1:00–4:30 PM. Cost: \$10/Horse

Location: ICBC Building

ALERT ALUMNI BONFIRE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11 | 8:30 PM



The ALERT Sergeants Club would like to invite all ALERT Alumni and their families to join them for a special time of fellowship, sharing memories, and ice cream! Since 1994, the ALERT Academy has been working to forge extraordinary men who influence their world for Christ. Over 2,700 men have completed training and are continuing to serve their communities in various capacities all over the US and the world. Thank you for your service!

Location: North of the Sports Complex

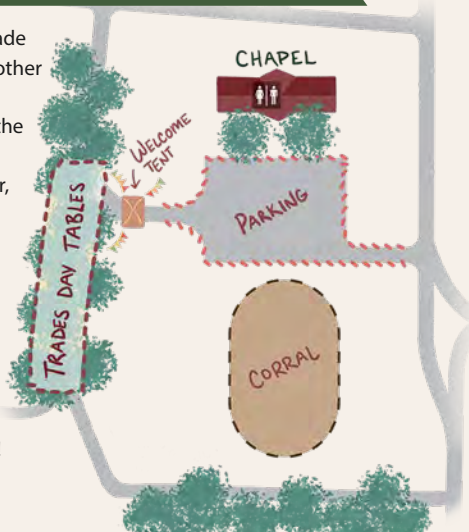
TRADES DAY

THURSDAY, October 12 | 8:30–11:30 AM



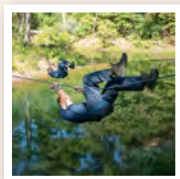
Enjoy buying and selling handmade and homemade specialties with other Family Campers! No sign-up is required. BYO table or rent from the Camp Office for \$5. Vendors may begin set up by 7:15 AM (no earlier, please). Vendor vehicles must be unloaded and then parked in the Chapel parking lot by 8:15 AM. Please note that we do not provide electrical access, but you're welcome to bring your own generator. Join our Trades Day Facebook Group at facebook.com/groups/tradesday!

Location: West Chapel Tree Line



FATHER & SON EVENTS

THURSDAY / FRIDAY



Fathers and sons are invited to join us for two events created just for them!

Human Stratego | Thursday, October 12 at 3:00 PM

Similar to Capture the Flag, fathers and sons are invited to join forces to capture the opponent's flag using unique ranks and military powers.

Location: NE Valley Oak Lane

River Crossing Event | Friday, October 13 at 1:45 PM

Fathers and sons (ages 8+) are invited to join the ALERT men in an exciting river crossing event on an inlet of Lake Loma.

Location: Meet at the lakefront cul-de-sac for a hay ride to the river crossing location.

LAKE DAY & FIREWORKS

FRIDAY, October 13 | 3:00 PM



Enjoy a sunny afternoon of lakefront games and canoe races! (No swimming, please.) We'll be serving hamburgers from 6:00–6:45 PM (purchase at the Camp Office or bring your own picnic), followed by our Family Camp Slideshow and epic fireworks for a finish! Don't forget drinking water, picnic blankets, and chairs!

Canoe race categories are available at the Camp Office. Qualifying races are held Wednesday–Thursday, 1:00–4:30 PM.

Location: Lakefront | **Parking:** Runway

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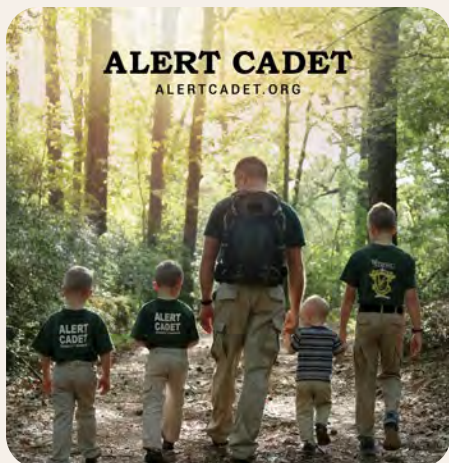


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ACTIVITIES



SIGN UP REQUIRED

RAPPELLING/ROCK CLIMBING

DURING ACTIVITY TIMES

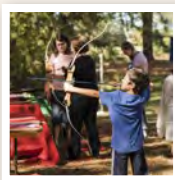


Enjoy ALERT's official rappelling tower and climbing wall! All necessary equipment and safety gear is provided. The minimum age requirement is 8 years old. Loose-fitting pants/knee-length shorts only. No flip-flops, skirts (safety issue), or spandex leggings, please.

Location: Rappelling and Climbing Tower

ARCHERY

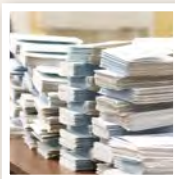
DURING ACTIVITY TIMES



Sharpen your aim! Archery can teach us about staying on target, precision, and focus. Without Christ, we fall short and miss the mark. Hone your skill and spiritual focus at this epic camp activity. All targets and equipment provided. The archery shoot-off is scheduled for Friday at 12:45 PM! *(Qualifying participants will be posted at the Camp Office the night before.)*

Location: West of the Sports Complex

SCRIPTURE ASSEMBLY PROJECT SATURDAY, SUNDAY, & DURING ACTIVITY TIMES



Help assemble portions of John & Romans for Gospel outreach in other countries! You will help cut, staple, and collate these Scriptures to be sent overseas. This family project is suitable for ages 10+. A parent must accompany those under 12.

Location: John and Romans Building

BIBLE STORY HOUR

MON, WED, THURS | 4:00 PM



Children young and old are invited to join us for Bible Story Hour, where kids are encouraged in God's Word and entertained with engaging accounts of God's faithfulness throughout history. Children under 12 should be accompanied by an adult.

Location: ALERT Auditorium

CRAFTS

DURING ACTIVITY TIMES



Join us for some fun crafts and fellowship! Craft tickets are available for purchase at the Camp Office. Children 12 and under must have parental supervision. **Cost is \$2 each.**

Monday – Set of Corn Husk Dolls

Wednesday – Decorative Tea Towels

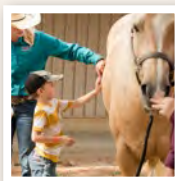
Thursday – Coloring & Watercoloring

Friday – Leather Key Rings and Wristbands

Location: Sports Complex Rec Room

HORSEMANSHIP CLASS

MONDAY–THURSDAY | 1:00 PM

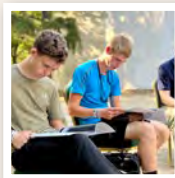


Horses can teach us a lot about our relationship with Christ! Join Dr. Lew's own ranch hands to learn how to properly care for these beautiful creatures. Content spans two days—choose your preference of Monday/Tuesday or Wednesday/Thursday! No sign-up is required.

Location: Equestrian Barn

TASTE OF JOURNEY

MON, WED, THURS | 1:00–3:30 PM



New content this year + giveaways at each session, including one 50% Journey Scholarship! Journey to the Heart is a weeklong retreat giving young people an opportunity to seek the Lord in a deep, personal way. Join us for a "Taste of Journey" and dive into important topics, including humility, forgiveness, and gratefulness. Everyone is welcome to attend. For upcoming retreats, visit lifesrealjourney.com.

Location: ALERT Auditorium

TRAIL RIDES

DURING ACTIVITY TIMES



Horse lovers ages 8+ are welcome to join us for an exciting trail ride around campus! **All minors must be accompanied by an adult for check-in (to fill out vendor release forms and pay for the ride) at the barn.** Boots or tennis shoes are required. Long shorts or leggings should be worn under skirts. No pregnant riders, please. If you'd like to help tend to the horses at the end of the day, check in with Winter at 5:00 PM!

Cost: \$25/person. Double rider, 4-8 years old, additional \$15. (Vendor prefers cash or Zelle, but Venmo, PayPal, or Cash App are also accepted.) Sign up at the Camp Office.

Location: Equestrian Barn

PLANE RIDES

DURING ACTIVITY TIMES



Experience a thrilling takeoff and scenic adventure over the International ALERT Academy! Weather permitting, rides are approximately 15 minutes. A paying adult must accompany children under 12. Legal guardians must sign waivers for anyone under 18. Sign up at the Camp Office. Cost: \$30/person.

Location: Hangar

CHARACTER SKETCH IV COLLATION

MON, WED, THURS | 1:00–3:30 PM



Help us prepare the newest edition of our classic character series by helping place each volume into its slipcase. The Godly, enriching Bible and nature stories will touch the hearts of families for many generations. This family project is suitable for ages 10+. A parent must accompany those under 12.

Location: Publications Building



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WATCH THE SOLAR ECLIPSE!

All participants for Ultimate, Horseshoes and Volleyball tournaments must be registered for the whole week of Family Camp and require the activity wristband.



ULTIMATE FRISBEE | MON, WED, & THURS EVENINGS

Teams must register online by Sunday at 5:00 PM. A team consists of 7-14 players with a minimum of 2 females. If you don't have a team, no previous sign-up is required; please join us for the tournament meeting, Sunday, October 8 at 6:45 PM in the ALERT Auditorium (team captains required to attend). Games will be played Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 8:30-11:00 PM. Tournament guidelines available at the Camp Office. Ages 12+.

Location: Soccer Field



HORSESHOES | THURSDAY & FRIDAY

Teams must register online by Wednesday at 5:00 PM. Qualifying rounds will be Thursday afternoon during activity time with finals scheduled for Friday, 12:00 NOON. Tournament guidelines available at the Camp Office. Ages 12+.

Location: Ponderosa Campground Horseshoe Pits

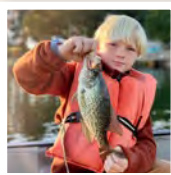


VOLLEYBALL | TEAM & INDIVIDUAL SIGN-UP

Teams must register online by Sunday at 5:00 PM. A team consists of 5-10 players with a minimum of 2 females. Matches will be held throughout the week. Team captains are required to attend the Tournament Meeting, Sunday, October 8, at 6:00 PM in the ALERT Auditorium.

If you don't have a team, no previous sign-up is required; please join us for the "Individuals" bracket tournament meeting, Tuesday, October 10 at 8:30 PM in the ALERT Auditorium so we can organize teams and set your competition schedule! Tournament guidelines are available at the Camp Office. Ages 14+.

Location: Sand Courts East of the Sports Complex



FISHING TOURNAMENT | FRIDAY, OCT. 13, 7:30-10:00 AM

Enjoy a peaceful morning on Lake Loma and reel in Family Camp's biggest fish yet! No sign-up required. Please bring your own fishing gear. Live nightcrawler bait will be provided. Tournament rules are at the Camp Office.

Location: Lakefront



CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT | TUESDAY & FRIDAY

Qualify for our Cornhole Tournament during the Tumbleweed Festival, Tuesday behind the Chapel. Competitors will challenge each other in a final tournament Friday afternoon at the Lakefront! No sign-up required.

Location: Behind the Chapel

ON-YOUR-OWN ACTIVITIES



Lake Loma is open every day from sunrise to sunset for canoeing, kayaking, and fishing! No swimming, please. Children must be accompanied by an adult. **Life jackets must be worn in watercraft at all times.** Qualify for Friday's canoe races Wednesday and Thursday, 1:00-4:30 PM.

In an effort to improve the health, size, and quality of our fish, please release any fish greater than 12" in length. Be sure to check out our Fishing Tournament on page 13!



The Ponderosa Playground has a variety of activities including bear ball, nine-square, a large sandbox, sand volleyball courts, and horseshoe pits! (Parental supervision required.)

Our Low Ropes Course on Knot-So-Easy-Street is challenging and fun. Get your family and friends together and test your coordination, communication, and teamwork! The course guide is available.



Grab a scorecard at Hole One, and give our exciting 18-hole Disc Golf Course a whirl! Discs are available for sign-out at the Camp Office. **Location: Hole #1 – East of Administration Building**



Explore the campus with your friends and family in the great outdoors. Hiking areas include the wilderness of the bluffs southeast of the campground and the beautiful trails north of Lake Loma. The lake trails will be open all week except Thursday. See the Camp Map for details.



Enjoy the cozy atmosphere of our Sports Complex coffee shop, the Ponderosa Press!

Ponderosa Press Hours

Saturday: 1:00–5:00 PM; 8:30–10:30 PM

Sunday: Closed

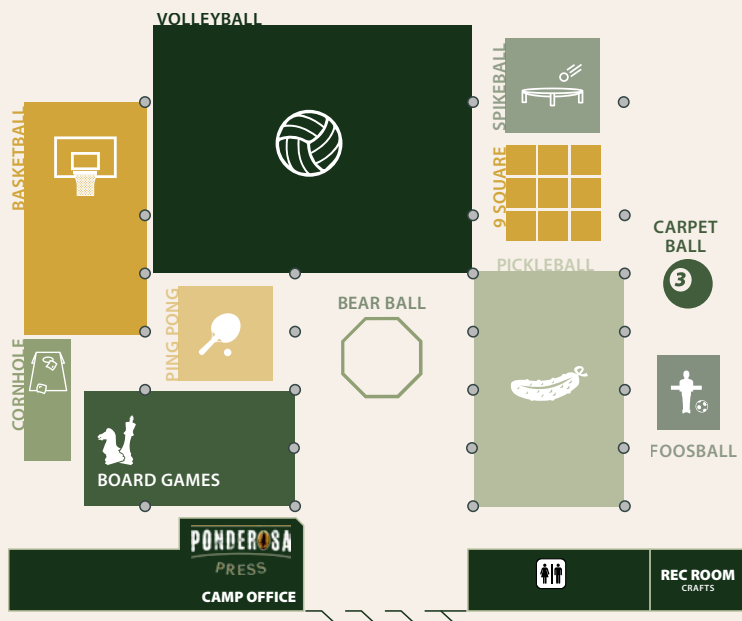
Monday: 10:00 AM–5:00 PM; 8:30–10:30 PM

Tuesday: 10:00 AM–2:00 PM; 8:30–10:30 PM

Wed/Thurs: 9:00 AM–5:00 PM; 8:30–10:30 PM

Friday: 9:00 AM–NOON; 1:00–3:00 PM; 8:30–11:00 PM

Saturday: 9:00–10:30 AM



Our Sports Complex has sports of all kinds, with volleyball, basketball, bear ball, pickleball, spike ball, ping pong, foosball, nine-square, carpetball, and more!

For Sports Complex hours, please see the daily schedule on page 18. The Sports Complex is closed on Sunday and during Lew at the Corral.



- ★ Please respect Sports Complex Hosts and other guests.
- ★ Return *all* sports equipment/games to the appropriate places and pick up trash.
- ★ Children ages 8 and under *must* be accompanied by an adult.
- ★ *No climbing/hanging* on sports equipment, pods, or restricted areas.
- ★ No frisbees, *no wheels (besides strollers and wheelchairs)*, no additional sports equipment, or guest music may be brought into the Sports Complex.
- ★ Please respect the dress code: Loose-fitting clothing that covers the full torso and thighs, even during active play. No sleeveless tops, spandex, or other fitted clothing. Shoes must be worn at all times.

PONDEROSA PRESS SPECIALTIES!



FRESH, homemade cinnamon rolls will be served Monday, Tuesday, & Friday while supplies last.

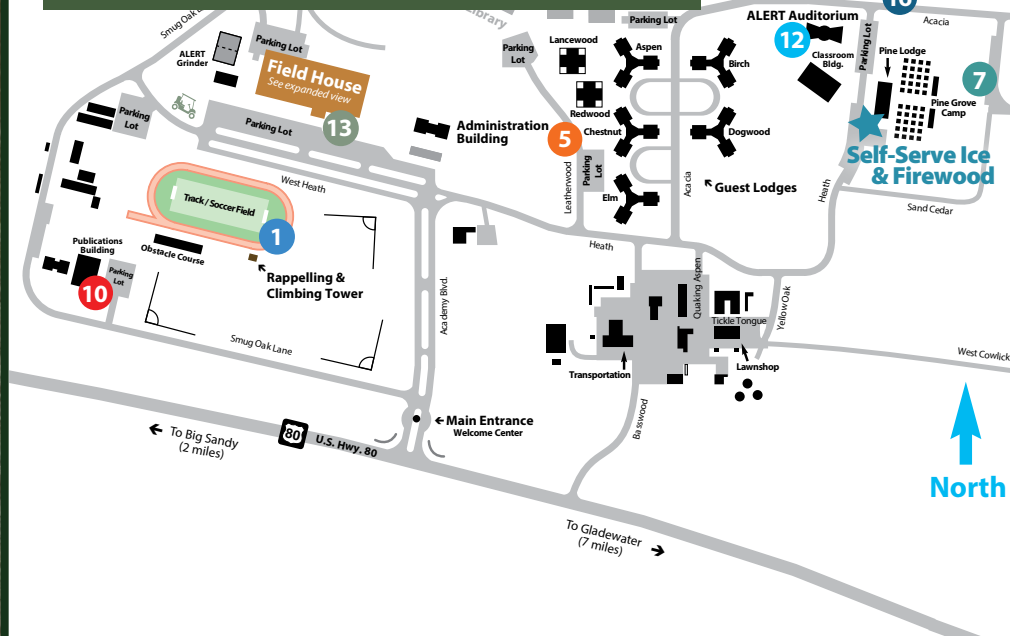


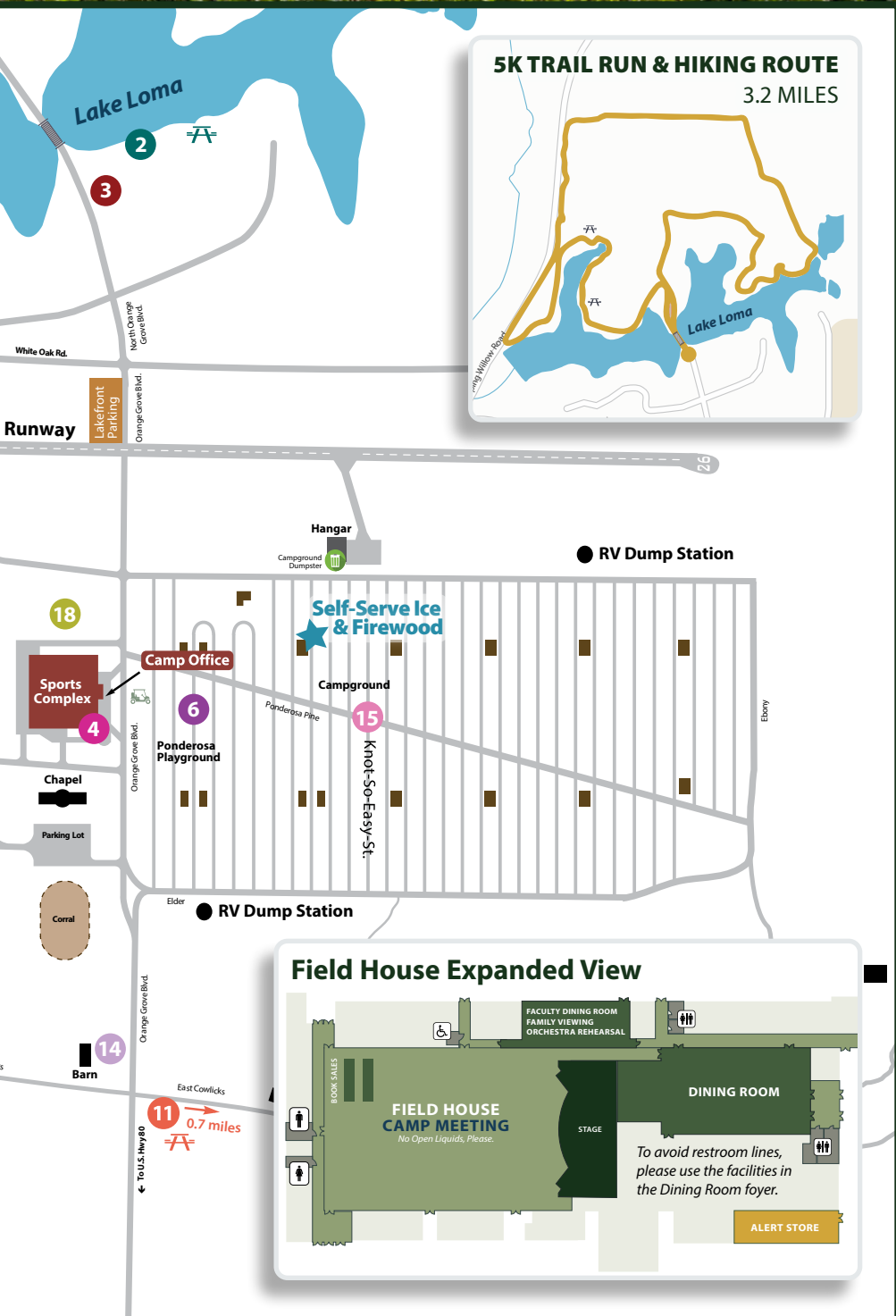
Purchase this year's Family Camp tees at Ponderosa Press!

Family Camp Map

International ALERT Academy

- 1** Rappelling Tower
Ultimate Frisbee
(Soccer Field)
- 2** Lakefront Activities
Fishing Tournament,
Canoe Races
(Lake Loma)
- 3** Lakeside Trailhead,
5K Trail Run,
River Crossing
(Lake Loma Info Board)
- 4** Ponderosa Press
Mom's Tea, Crafts
Young Adults' Fellowship
(Sports Complex)
- 5** Disc Golf
(E of Admin Building)
- 6** Volleyball Tourn.
(Campground)
- 7** Trades Day
(West of Chapel)
- 8** Father/Son Human
Stratego
(NE Valley Oak Lane)
- 9** Archery
(Behind Sports Complex)
- 10** Character Sketches
(Publications Building)
- 11** Bluffs Hiking/Picnic Area
(Down Farm Road)
- 12** Taste of Journey
Children's Bible Story Hour
Tournament Meetings
(ALERT Auditorium)
- 13** ALERT Bookstore
(Field House—SE Corner)
- 14** Trail Rides
Horsmanship Classes
(Barn)
- 15** Low Ropes Course
(Knot-So-Easy-Street)
- 16** Scripture Assembly
(John & Romans Building)
- 17** Custom Bicycle Horses
(ICBC Building)
- 18** ALERT Alumni Fellowship
(N of Sports Complex)







SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 7

Sports Complex Closed until 1:00 PM

- 9:00 AM–10:00 PM Camp Office Open for Check-In (*Sports Complex*)
- 10:30–11:00 AM Brunch Served (*Dining Room*)
- 1:00 PM Sports Complex/Activity Sign-Ups Open (*Sports Complex*)
- 1:00–4:30 PM Scripture Assembly Project (*John and Romans Bldg.*)
- 1:00–4:30 PM Custom Bicycle Horses (*ICBC Bldg.*)
- 5:00–5:45 PM Dinner Served (*Dining Room*)
- 6:00 PM Book Sales Open (*Field House*)
- 6:00 PM Orchestra Rehearsal (*Formal Dining Room*)
- 6:30 PM Camp Meeting — Col. Jesse Boulden (*Field House*)
(*Sports Complex opens after Camp Meeting until 11:00 PM*)
- 10:00 PM–6:00 AM Taps/Quiet Time (*Campground Sports Closed*)

Sports Complex: Open 9:00 AM (10:00 AM Mon/Tues) to 5:00 PM, and after Camp Meeting until 11:00 PM. Closed Sunday and during Lew at the Corral.

Lakefront: Open sunrise–sunset every day. No swimming, please.

ALERT Store Hours: Monday–Friday, 11:00 AM–5:00 PM

Ice & Firewood: Self-Serve Ice (\$2) and Firewood (\$5/bundle) are available for purchase from Bathhouse 1414 and Pine Lodge.

Sunday, October 8

Sports Complex/Ponderosa Press Closed

- 10:00–10:45 AM Brunch Served (*Dining Room*)
- 10:30 AM Orchestra Rehearsal (*Formal Dining Room, Field House*)
- 11:00 AM Camp Meeting — Jarrod Cox (*Field House*)
- 1:00–4:30 PM Scripture Assembly Project (*John and Romans Bldg.*)
- 2:00–4:30 PM Mom's Tea (*Ponderosa Press*)
- 5:00–5:45 PM Dinner Served (*Dining Room*)
- 6:00 PM Competitive Volleyball Meeting, *See pg. 13 (Auditorium)*
- 6:45 PM Ultimate Frisbee Meeting, *See pg. 13 (Auditorium)*
- 7:30–9:30 PM Young Adult Fellowship (*Ponderosa Press*)
- 10:00 PM–6:00 AM Taps/Quiet Time (*Outdoor Sports Closed*)

Monday, October 9

- 9:00 AM Lew at the Corral (*Corral*)
Cinnamon Rolls, Coffee available for purchase at the Corral!
- 10:30–11:15 AM Brunch Served (*Dining Room*)
- 11:00 AM–5:00 PM Volleyball Tournaments (*Sand Courts*)
- 1:00 PM Horsemanship Class (*Barn*)
- 1:00–3:30 PM Taste of Journey (*Auditorium*)
- 1:00–4:30 PM Activities (*See pages 10-13*)
- 1:00–4:30 PM Custom Bicycle Horses (*ICBC Bldg.*)
- 4:00–5:00 PM Children's Bible Story Hour (*Auditorium*)
- 5:00–5:45 PM Dinner Served (*Dining Room*)
- 6:00 PM Book Sales Open (*Field House*)
- 6:00 PM Orchestra Rehearsal (*Formal Dining Room, Field House*)
- 6:30 PM Camp Meeting — Dr. Lew Sterrett (*Field House*)
(Sports Complex opens after Camp Meeting until 11:00 PM)
- 8:30–11:00 PM Ultimate Frisbee Tournament (*Soccer Field*)
- 10:00 PM–6:00 AM Taps/Quiet Time (*Outdoor Sports Closed*)

Tuesday, October 10

- 9:00 AM Lew at the Corral (*Corral*)
Cinnamon Rolls, Coffee available for purchase at the Corral!
- 10:30–11:15 AM Brunch Served (*Dining Room*)
- 11:00 AM–5:00 PM Volleyball Tournaments (*Sand Courts*)
- 1:00 PM Horsemanship Class (*Barn*)
- 1:00–4:30 PM Custom Bicycle Horses (*ICBC Bldg.*)
- 2:00 PM Tumbleweed Festival (*Behind Chapel*)
- 5:00–5:45 PM Dinner on the Grounds (*Behind Chapel*)
- 7:00 PM Community Camp Meeting — Dr. Lew Sterrett (*Corral*)
(Sports Complex opens after Camp Meeting until 11:00 PM)
- 8:30 PM Individual Sign-up Volleyball Meeting (*Auditorium*)
- 10:00 PM–6:00 AM Taps/Quiet Time (*Outdoor Sports Closed*)



Wednesday, October 11

- 8:00 AM Family Camp 5K (*Lake Trails*)
- 9:15 AM Parade Line-Up and Bike Decorating (*Behind Chapel*)
- 10:00 AM Family Camp Bike Parade (*Front of Sports Complex*)
- 10:30–11:15 AM Brunch Served (*Dining Room*)
- 1:00 PM Horsemanship Class (*Barn*)
- 1:00–3:30 PM Taste of Journey (*Auditorium*)
- 1:00–4:30 PM Activities (*See pages 10-13*)
- 1:00–5:00 PM Volleyball Tournaments (*Sand Courts*)
- 4:00–5:00 PM Children's Bible Story Hour (*Auditorium*)
- 5:00–5:45 PM Dinner Served (*Dining Room*)
- 6:00 PM Book Sales Open (*Field House*)
- 6:00 PM Orchestra Rehearsal (*Formal Dining Room, Field House*)
- 6:30 PM Camp Meeting — SFC (R) US Army 5th Group Special Forces, Will Summers (FH) (*Field House*)
(*Sports Complex opens after Camp Meeting until 11:00 PM*)
- 8:30 PM ALERT Alumni Fellowship (*North of Sports Complex*)
- 8:30–11:00 PM Ultimate Frisbee Tournament (*Soccer Field*)
- 10:00 PM–6:00 AM Taps/Quiet Time (*Outdoor Sports Closed*)

Thursday, October 12 *Lake Trails Closed*

- 7:15 AM Trades Day Set Up (*Tree Line, SW of the Chapel*)
- 8:30 AM–11:30 AM Trades Day (*Tree Line, SW of the Chapel*)
- 10:30–11:15 AM Brunch Served (*Dining Room*)
- 12:00 NOON –5:00 PM Volleyball Tournaments (*Sand Courts*)
- 1:00 PM Horsemanship Class (*Barn*)
- 1:00–3:30 PM Taste of Journey (*Auditorium*)
- 1:00–4:30 PM Activities (*See pages 10-13*)
- 3:00–4:00 PM Father/Son Human Stratego (*NE Valley Oak Lane*)
- 4:00–5:00 PM Children's Bible Story Hour (*Auditorium*)
- 5:00–5:45 PM Dinner Served (*Dining Room*)
- 6:00 PM Book Sales Open (*Field House*)
- 6:00 PM Orchestra Rehearsal (*Formal Dining Room, Field House*)
- 6:30 PM Camp Meeting — Capt. Rick Warner (*Field House*)
(*Sports Complex opens after Camp Meeting until 11:00 PM*)
- 8:30–11:00 PM Ultimate Frisbee Tournament (*Soccer Field*)
- 10:00 PM–6:00 AM Taps/Quiet Time (*Outdoor Sports Closed*)

Friday, October 13

- 7:30–10:00 AM Fishing Tournament (*Lakefront*)
8:30 AM–10:30 AM Volleyball Tournaments (*Sand Courts*)
10:30–11:15 AM Brunch Served (*Dining Room*)
11:30 AM–2:30 PM Volleyball Tournaments (*Sand Courts*)
12:00 NOON Horseshoe Tournament (*Horseshoe Pits*)
12:00 NOON–2:00 PM Activities (*See pages 10-13*)
1:45 PM Father/Son River Crossing Event (*Lakefront cul-de-sac*)
3:00 PM Lakefront Activities & Canoe Races (*Lakefront*)
6:00–6:45 PM Hamburgers at the Lake (*Lakefront*)
8:15 PM Family Camp Slideshow (*Lakefront*)
8:45 PM Fireworks (*Lakefront*)
(*Sports Complex opens after fireworks until 12:00 MIDNIGHT*)
11:00 PM–6:00 AM Taps/Quiet Time (*Outdoor Sports Closed*)

Saturday, October 14 *Sports Complex Closed*

- 9:00 AM–12:00 NOON Camp Office Open for Checkout
10:30–11:00 AM Brunch Served (*Dining Room*)



ATTENTION, CAMPERS!

We would be grateful if you would leave your campsite better than you found it. Thank you!

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GUIDELINES & SAFETY



READ ME! IMPORTANT INFORMATION!



For **SECURITY** purposes,
please wear **WRISTBANDS**
at all times.



CAMP QUIET TIME

When you hear Taps played
at 10:00 PM, please be quiet
for sleeping campers.



ATTIRE

Appropriate Family Camp attire is loose-fitting clothing that covers the full torso and thighs, even during active play. No sleeveless tops, spandex, or other fitted clothing. We reserve the right to deny participation in any activity if we deem a participant's attire unsuitable.

MEALS



Serving lines
are open for 45
minutes. Please be
prompt and **bring**
your name tag.



2  on the **SIDEWALKS**,
4  on the **ROAD**.



No motorcycles, four-wheelers,
dirt bikes, or drones allowed.
Golf carts and side-by-sides must
be operated by those ages 16+.
These vehicles should be treated
like cars and observe all street
signs.

BIKE RIDERS

Please watch out for vehicles
and stay on the sidewalks when possible. **PARK BIKES IN BIKE
RACKS** not by building doors. Bikes not stored properly will
be relocated. Please use the bike lane when traveling through
the campground.

NO WHEELS OR FRISBEES (excepting strollers & wheelchairs)
in any building on campus including the Sports Complex.

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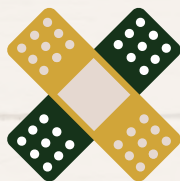


WATCH YOUR CHILDREN

Our campus continues to do business with the public throughout the week of Family Camp. Please know the whereabouts of your family members at all times and **make sure little ones are always accompanied throughout the week**. Thank you for helping us keep your children safe!

CAMP COURTESY:

Please do not encroach on other sites so that late-arriving campers can easily set up.



DRIVE WITH CAUTION

Little campers are having too much fun to look out for you!



As your family enjoys the campus, please help us by staying out of buildings and areas that are not being used for Family Camp events and activities.

THE RUNWAY IS ACTIVE!



DO NOT ride bikes or walk along the runway. When crossing, check for plane traffic, then cross swiftly.

IBLP and IAA are not responsible for any injuries during your visit. You will be responsible for any damages that are done to the premises as a result of your recklessness.



Basic Training Unit 69 is currently training. Please respect their rigorous schedule and exclusive training areas.



CAMPGROUND GUESTS

Please read and follow our policies and checkout procedures.

LAKE AREA



Life jackets are **REQUIRED TO BE WORN** in all watercraft regardless of age or swimming ability. **NO SWIMMING** allowed during Family Camp. Jumping into the lake from the bridge or dock is absolutely forbidden.



LOST & FOUND

Lost & Found is located at the Camp Office. We are not responsible for any lost or damaged items during your stay. Found items will be kept for 30 days.



SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

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