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March 27, 2025

Dear NHM Pastor,

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

IT'S CAMP TIME!

With the vote to sell Tiger Mountain Conference Center by the New Horizons Ministries Conference Delegates at the 2024 NHM Conference Session, we have decided to partner with Heartland Conference so our kids and youth will have camps this year. Since we did not know if TMCC would be sold by camp time, it was important to choose an option to ensure that our children and youth had the opportunity to attend camps this summer.

I strongly encourage you as Pastor to get the information in this packet out to the interested people. **Promote our camps.** Though this is at Heartland Conference Center, this is still New Horizons Ministries children and youth having camp together along with the Heartland children and youth. I plan to attend and support these camps. I hope you will, too.

Camp Schedule:

High School Camp – students in grades 9-12 – June 9-13
Middle School Camp – students in grades 5-8 – June 16-20
Elementary Camp – students in grades K-4 – June 23-27

Check-in Time for ALL Camps: Monday – 2 pm
Check-out Time for ALL Camps: Friday – 12 pm noon

We greatly appreciate Heartland Conference and their leadership. Hallie Brown, Heartland Conference Discipleship Ministries Director, has prepared information for you and your potential campers. **Registration forms for campers and workers/volunteers** are included in this packet. A **poster** to display at your church and a **postcard** are enclosed. A **video** from me promoting camps has been sent out to every pastor and on Facebook. **Please, show the video and distribute the registration forms and information sheets to interested individuals in your church.**

I hope to see you and your students at Camp 2025!

Your Partner in Ministry,



Bishop Randell O. Drake



HEARTLAND CONFERENCE

Heartland Conference IPHC — 4910 S Anderson Rd, Oklahoma City, OK 73150 — 405.737.0113 — hciphc.org

March 10, 2025

Dear Pastors, Student Ministry Leaders, and KidMin Leaders,

It is almost time for Heartland Camps 2025

We are so looking forward to Heartland Camps 2025, and trusting God will move in a mighty way in the lives of our students and staff.

2025 Camp Schedule:

June 9-13 – High School Camp – Students in grades 9 – 12

June 16-20 – Middle School Camp – Students in grades 5 – 8

June 23-27 – Elementary Camp – Students in Kindergarten – 4th grade

In order to take advantage of the early-bird price, registrations and deposits (\$50.00 per registration) are due by **May 15th**. We ask that all staff applications be in by **May 10th** in order to have time to screen them properly. In this packet you will find a poster to display in your church, postcards to make available to your students, student registration forms, and staff applications that you are welcome to copy and make available to your church. Links for online student registration as well as online staff applications are available at <https://www.hciphc.org/ministries/discipleship-ministries/camp-info-2025>. If you have questions, please feel free to contact us by email – dm@hciphc.org – or by phone at 405-737-0113 ext. 3.

Sincerely,
Hallie Brown
Discipleship Ministries Director
Heartland Conference IPHC

Heartland Camps 2025

Heartland Conference IPHC

COST for all camps is \$150.00 if registered by May 15, 2025.
After May 15, 2025 the registration fee is \$175.00 for all camps.

A \$50⁰⁰ nontransferable deposit required. Balance due at check-in. T-shirt included in cost
(Registrations received after May 15, 2025 are not guaranteed correct size).

Mail completed form and deposit to: Heartland DM 4910 S Anderson Rd, Oklahoma City, OK 73150

- High School Camp (9th – 12th Grade) June 9-13, 2025
- Middle School Camp (5th – 8th Grade) June 16-20, 2025
- Elementary Camp (K – 4th Grade) June 23-27, 2025

Heartland Conference Retreat Center
Location: 4910 S Anderson Rd, Oklahoma City (I-40 & Anderson Rd)
405-737-0113 – www.hciphc.org

Name _____
First Middle (Optional) Last Preferred

Email _____ Age _____

Mailing Address _____
Street/PO Box City State Zip

Phone () _____ Male Female Birth date _____

T-Shirt Size (circle one) YS YM YL S M L XL 2XL Church _____

Have you attended a Heartland Conference camp previously? Yes No

If yes, when _____ Roommate Request _____

Camp Statement of Understanding (Required for your registration)

_____, (print name), agree to abide by the rules of Heartland Conference camps.

Camper Signature _____ Today's Date _____

Medical Info: Medications and/or any special needs or accommodations the camp needs to be aware of _____

Allergies _____ Medical Allergies _____

I authorize _____ to pick my child up from camp. (MUST call to verify if this changes).

____ I understand that photographs and videos of my child at camp may be used for future promotional purposes of the Heartland Conference.

Medical Release Info:

____ I hereby agree to hold harmless the Heartland Conference of the Pentecostal Holiness Church, the Church Education Ministries/Discipleship Ministries, and camp personnel in case of accident or injury sustained by my son/daughter at camp.

____ I do hereby authorize the Heartland Conference Discipleship Ministries Director or his appointee to consent to any x-ray exam, anesthetic, medical, surgical, or dental diagnosis or treatment and hospital care to be rendered to the above named minor under general or special supervision and upon the advice of a physician, surgeon or dentist licensed under law of the state of Oklahoma.

____ In giving this consent I recognize and understand that in situations where the above named minor requires immediate medical or hospital care it may not be possible to contact me, and that in such situations I authorize a physician, surgeon or dentist to exercise his/her professional judgment and assess the risk incident to and choose the necessary treatment from any available alternatives and to render such care and perform such treatment as his/her professional judgment determines to be necessary for the health or safety of the above named minor.

____ I do hereby authorize the Heartland Conference Discipleship Ministries Director or her appointee to administer over the counter medications including but not limited to acetaminophen, ibuprofen, Benadryl.

 Parent/Guardian printed name Parent/Guardian signature Date () Emergency Contact Number

Date Rec'd _____ High School \$150 early/\$175 Amt. Rec'd \$ _____ Amt. due \$ _____

Notes: _____ Elementary: \$150 early/ \$175 Middle School: \$150 early/ \$175

Camp Staff 2025

Heartland Conference IPHC

Application Due by :

May 10, 2025

Instructions:

- More information is available at www.hciphc.org.
- Completely fill out the section "Applicant Information".
- Give the form to your pastor with a stamped envelope addressed to: Heartland DM, 4910 S Anderson Rd, Oklahoma City, OK 73150.
- **Pastor Recommendation is REQUIRED**

Qualifications: We are looking for energetic Christians with a genuine love for Christ and young people. Staff must be willing to serve cheerfully and submit to camp and conference leadership. We are required to complete background checks on all those 18 and over.

Positions: Room Coaches supervise a room or cabin of young people for the camp, including rooming with them; Nurse/ EMT dispenses medicine and attends to minor illnesses and injuries; Interns handle many support details including behind-the-scenes work (this is an excellent position for those who are between camping age and Coach age).

Minimum Ages:

- Coaches – 21
- Kids' Camp Interns – 13
- All other positions – 19

Camp(s) you are willing to serve:

- High School Camp (9th-12th Grade), June 9-13
- Middle School Camp (5th – 8th Grade) June 16-20
- Elementary Camp (K – 4th Grade) June 23-27

Position desired: Room Coach Nurse/ EMT Intern Any Other:

Name

First

Middle (required)

Last

Preferred

Email

Text # (If you can receive texts)

Age

Birth date

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Male

Female

Social Security #

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(required for background check)

Phone(s)

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Home

Cell

Work (if calls are permitted)

Mailing Address

Street/PO Box

City

State

Zip

Marital Status: Single Married (Spouse's name)

Divorced Widowed Engaged

Emergency Contact:

Name

Phone

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Have you worked/ attended a Heartland Conference camp previously? Yes No

If yes, when and what position(s)

T-Shirt Size (circle one): S M L XL XXL XXXL

Church

Pastor

Ministries you are involved in:

Born Again? Yes No When

Baptized with Holy Spirit? Yes No When

Do you: use tobacco Yes No; drink alcoholic beverages Yes No; use non-prescription drugs Yes No

take medication for psychological disorders? Yes No List:

have any allergies Yes No

What?

have any handicaps or conditions that would hinder you from participating in all aspects of camp?

Yes No If so, explain

have any medical training (RN, LPN, EMT, First Aid Certification)? Yes No If so, explain

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence (excluding minor traffic violations)? Yes No If so, explain

List two personal references (excluding pastor/ youth pastor and family members. *Fill in completely*

Name _____ How long have you known this person? _____

Address _____ Phone () _____

Street/PO Box

City

State

Zip

Name _____ How long have you known this person? _____

Address _____ Phone () _____

Street/PO Box

City

State

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Applicant Statement

I am willing to abide by the camp rules and policies, accept any position or assignment, room in the dorm or cabin to which I am assigned, and if necessary go beyond the duties assigned to my position. I also agree to refrain from unscriptural conduct or any conduct the camp leadership may deem inappropriate. I will fully cooperate in spirit.

The information I have provided in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I have carefully read all the information provided in conjunction with this application form. I authorize any references or churches listed on this application to provide any information they have regarding my character and/or fitness for service in the Heartland Conference camping program, and I release all such references from liability for any damage that may result from furnishing such evaluations. I do hereby waive the right to examine this information.

I authorize the Oklahoma Conference of the Pentecostal Holiness Church (d.b.a Heartland Conference IPHC) to perform a complete background check.

Applicant's Signature

Today's Date

Please give this application to your pastor along with a stamped, addressed envelope. He/ she will mail the completed form to: Heartland Conference Camps, 4910 S Anderson Rd, Oklahoma City, OK 73150. This application will not be considered without a pastor's recommendation.

Pastor, we appreciate you and your time and candidate assessment of your parishioner. Please forward the application to our office. You are not required to share your evaluation with the applicant.

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In what capacity? _____

How do you feel the applicant will function as a camp staff member? Excellent Good Fair Poor

Comments _____

What strengths do you see in the applicant? _____

Any weaknesses we should be aware of? _____

Do you have any reservations in recommending this person? Yes No _____

Do you have a current background check for this person on file? Yes No _____

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Pastor's printed name

Pastor's signature

Date

Phone Number

Date Rec'd _____ Ref #1 Ref #2 Pastor's Recommendation Bkgd check Position _____

Notes:

Camp Dress Code

- Above all modesty is required at **all** times.
 - Modest swimwear is required
 - One piece swimsuits or tankinis that show no stomach
 - Recreation attire is to be modest as well
 - No short shorts or bicycle shorts
 - No shirts that show undergarments
- If you have to ask the answer is probably no!
- No shirts that show the stomach
- Bottom and undergarments must be covered by pants and/or shirt
- Messages on t-shirts must be morally pure or Christian

Heartland Conference Camp Rules

The following expectations are necessary for a safe, enjoyable and effective camp and will be enforced.

- All campers and staff are amenable to the Camp Director(s) and DM Director
- Cabin assignments may not be changed by anyone other than the Camp Director(s) or DM Director and are only done for emergency situations
 - Under no circumstances are campers to change cabins or sleep in cabins other than the one they are assigned to.
- The Golden Rule will serve as a guideline for all our relationships.
- Keep conversation wholesome (no profanity, gossip, or mean-spirited comments)
- Certain areas are off limits except during permitted times (i.e. swimming pool, sanctuary, dining hall, etc.)
- Respect of our facilities and grounds is expected
- ABSOLUTELY NO cell phones

- No electronic devices (iPad, portable games, hand-held electronic devices, etc.) other than cameras
- Modest dress must be worn at all times
- No public display of affection
- Attend all scheduled activities
- No one is permitted to leave camp without the permission of the Camp Director(s) or DM Director
- Only emergency telephone calls are permitted and can only be done through the Camp Director(s) or DM Director

Breaking any of the following rules is cause for an early trip home.

1. No girls in guys' cabins and no guys in girls' cabins
2. No being out of cabins after hours or being in the wrong cabin
3. No pranks allowed
4. No fighting
5. No vandalism
6. No tobacco, drugs, alcohol, e-cigarettes, vapes, edibles etc.
7. No weapons of any kind including but not limited to knives and firearms

What to bring to camp

Bedding	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sleeping Bag or twin sheets with blanket(s)• Pillow
Toiletries	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Toothbrush• Toothpaste• Shampoo• Soap• Deodorant• Hair care products• Towels• Washcloths
Clothes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Day clothes• Service clothes• Sleepwear• Shoes• Socks and underwear• Appropriate Swimwear• One set of clothes (or more) that you don't mind getting wet/dirty
Misc	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bible• Notebook• Pen
Optional	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Medication – labeled for nurse• Camera• Money for canteen• Bug Spray• Sunscreen

What not to bring:

- Cell phone
- Electronics of any kind other than camera
- Contraband (tobacco, drugs, firearms, knives, alcohol, vapes, e-cigarettes, water guns, water balloons, etc,)

