



## 2021 SHINE SUMMER CAMP

**Thursday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> - Sunday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

@ Camp Berea in Maine 67 Cedarbrook Way, Lyman, ME 04002

### **What is camp?**

Every year we (staff and 6th-12th graders) head to Maine for a retreat where we can grow closer to God, to each other, and have a ton of fun! We have daily services, with awesome times of worship and messages that help students to deepen their faith, experience God, and grow stronger as believers. We also have a lot of fun with swimming, boating, outdoor games, and campfires just to name a few! Camp is one of our biggest events of the year and one you don't want to miss!

### **When is Shine Camp?**

Summer Camp this year is going to be **July 22<sup>th</sup> - July 25<sup>th</sup>**!

### **Where is Camp this Year?**

This summer we will be at Berea Summer Camp. It's located at 67 Cedarbrook Way Lyman, ME 04002.

### **What Time Does It Start and End?**

We will meet at Shiloh at 8:30 am on Thursday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> and we'll be returning to Shiloh in the evening on Sunday, July 25<sup>th</sup> around 9:30 pm. Students will be given an ETA to share with parents as we get close to notify them about when we'll arrive back at Shiloh Community Church.

### **What Is the Cost of Camp?\***

**\$210** - cost of camp, due in full by **July 21<sup>st</sup>**

**\$180** - if paid in full by **July 7<sup>th</sup>** (early payment discount of \$30)

**2021 Camp Special!** Students who register by **June 6<sup>th</sup>** with \$50 deposit will receive an exclusive 2021 Shine bucket hat!!!!

*(Payments can be made in installments. Fundraiser earnings count towards payment discount dates)*

\*If you are interested in going to Camp but cannot afford the cost, talk to a Shine Leader. We never want to let cost be what keeps a student from coming to camp. We will be having some fundraisers to help with the cost of camp so keep watching for announcements on when those are happening! You can find all our events on our home page.

### **Do I Need to Bring Money?**

Nope! The cost of camp includes all transportation, lodging, activities and meals for all 4 days. If you've already paid your full balance you don't need to bring any money.



## **What Kind of Activities Are There?**

Each year we pray and seek God for a theme for camp, and try to create interactive messages based around this theme. In between we also have free time and fun! Some of the activities we are going to do are...

- Archery Tag, Dodgeball, group games
- Hatchet throwing or slingshots
- Swimming, water sports, canoeing
- Campfires with s'mores
- tie dye and other crafts
- Game room, corn hole, free time, carpet ball and more!

## **Who Attends As Leaders?**

All this fun can't be had without a little adult supervision. We bring a great group of leaders with us, all of whom have a heart for leading and training today's youth in biblical truth. This year we have a great list of chaperones coming including; Jake Parr, Paige Parr, Pam Huntress, Cat DeArville, John Wallace and a few of our volunteers!

## **Is There A Dress Code?**

We expect that the students of Shine will show respect for God, themselves, and their peers in the way they conduct themselves at camp. Remember, maintaining purity is more than just what you wear, but also in your conduct and in what you allow your mind to dwell on.

If it is supposed to be an undergarment, please keep it that way. If you are unsure about an outfit you are planning to wear, please speak to a staff member. T-shirts aren't required for swim times but we ask that you wear something that provides enough coverage. If you have any questions about what you are planning to wear, please ask a staff member for guidance.

## **Contact Info:**

We view this time away as an opportunity to unplug and focus on the Lord. To help enable that spiritual environment, we will be collecting cell phones prior to leaving for camp. The phones will be locked away, and stored safely by staff. On the way back to Shiloh Sunday evening, we will hand out phones to their rightful owner in order to allow students to contact their parents regarding timing.

When the kids are at camp, if you need to reach them, please call Pam or send her a text at **603-785-4201**, or call Berea camp directly at **603-744-6344** and they will get a message to Pam.

## **Questions?**

Please contact Pam at [pam@shilohcommunity.church](mailto:pam@shilohcommunity.church) with any questions.

## **Where Do I Sign Up?!?!**

Registration opens Sunday, May 9th. We will email parents and students with a link and registration instructions. All information will also be available on our website [www.shilohcommunity.church/Shine](http://www.shilohcommunity.church/Shine)



## **COVID PROCEDURES:**

We are so excited to be having camp again after our first year off! We want to ensure everyone's safety during this time so we've updated our procedures and are including them here. We will continue to monitor CDC guidelines and modify our procedures as need be.

### **Shine COVID Procedures & Protocol**

- Cabin assignments will be the student's primary cohort. These students will be grouped together on the bus, for meals, and sleeping. This will limit close contact between all students. During outdoor games/activities, students will not be required to remain with their cohort so as to allow socialization with those outside their cohort.
- On the bus ride, if possible, students' seats will be staggered, family members will be allowed to sit together. Students will be asked to wear masks on the bus. All staff and students will be screened prior to boarding the bus to leave for camp.
- At camp, masks will be required when social distancing is unable to happen. Students should bring multiple masks in the event their mask gets dirty, lost etc. Shine will bring disposable masks.
- Each Shine staff will carry hand sanitizer at all times. Students will be required to sanitize their hands before entering any building at camp.
- Staff is planning on games, team building activities and messages being outside whenever possible. There is a brand new gymnasium on site in the event of rain to allow for social distancing.
- Staff will be providing paper towels for students to place their toothbrushes & toiletries on so as not to be placing their personal stuff on possibly contaminated surfaces.

### **Berea COVID Procedures & Protocol**

Berea will clean cabins and bathrooms according to CDC guidelines prior to our arrival. We will bring cleaning and sanitizing products and will have a schedule to clean and sanitize cabins and bathrooms regularly throughout our stay.

- Berea will label bunk beds to indicate which end someone's head should be at to allow for more social distancing. Windows in the cabins will be open and there will be fans provided to increase ventilation.
- All facilities will be cleaned and sanitized on a regular basis by Berea. Prior to our arrival, they will receive a copy of our detailed schedule and will ensure meeting rooms and game rooms are cleaned prior to our scheduled time to use the room.
- At mealtime, masks will be worn when entering, exiting and moving about the dining hall. All plates, silverware etc will be handed out by Berea staff to avoid cross-contamination.
- There will be only 8 people allowed at a table with 6' social distancing between chairs and tables. The dining hall will be limited to 50 guests at a time. Should there be another group at Camp Berea at the same time as Shine, meals will be staggered so no one is eating in the dining hall at the same time as us.

### **Health Monitoring**

- Staff will be monitoring all students and staff temperatures before breakfast and dinner.
- Should a student or staff become ill or begin displaying symptoms of COVID-19, that person will be isolated in a separate cabin, meals will be provided and a staff member will remain at the cabin at all times until the child can be picked up. Staff will pack student's belongings and the cabin will immediately be thoroughly cleaned and sanitized.