



# ANCHOR SUMMER CAMP

## **Who at Harbor?**

- Students who will be entering 4-6th grade Fall 2024
- Plan to have 20+ Harbor students to go with us
- Plan to have 5+ Harbor adult leaders go with us and 2-3 high school leaders
- All Harbor adult leaders going have been background checked by Harbor Church and Maranatha Camp
- Stone has been asked to be the main speaker at camp the week we are there!

## **Who at Maranatha?**

- Over 50 churches across the US go
- About 200-300 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> graders in total will be at the camp
- Maranatha has summer staff that runs the camp, services, and activities
- All Maranatha staff members are background checked and go through a training process

## **What is Maranatha Bible Camp?**

- Maranatha Camp and Retreat Center is a non-denominational ministry dedicated to giving people the opportunity to get away from daily routines, quiet down, hear God speak, and make life-changing decisions. We accomplish this by hosting camps, retreats, community events, and discipleship programs. We also provide a venue for families and organizations to hold their own gatherings — including churches, schools, family reunions, non-profit groups and more — all on our beautifully wooded, 210-acre slice of west-central Nebraska.
- Mission: Glorify God by introducing people to Jesus, training them in Christian living, and sending them out to represent Christ.
- Vision: Changing Lives to Change The World
- Learn about Maranatha's statements of faith and theology at [maranathacamp.org/about](http://maranathacamp.org/about)

## **Why Maranatha Bible Camp?**

- From our past experiences, we know that Maranatha is a foundational and spiritual growing retreat that incorporates fun experiences for students
- This is a great opportunity for students to learn more about God and independency
- This is a great starting point for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders to go on trips without family and for parents to start seeing their kids go on independent trips
- The retreat is located in Nebraska that gives some distance away from home, but not too much – Only 4 hours away

## **Junior Camp**

- Our Junior Camp program is designed for fun and engaging experience for every child, ensuring that each camper is surrounded by new friends and attentive cabin leaders who will guide them through their daily schedule. They'll quickly develop their self-confidence as they learn foundational truths of God's story and build friendships that often last a lifetime!
- June 24<sup>th</sup> – June 28<sup>th</sup>

## **Activities Offered**

- Waterfront – blob, water toys, waterslide
- Pool with diving board
- Kayaking
- Fishing
- Craft shop
- Sweet shop
- Ziplining
- Mud pit
- Paintball
- Volleyball
- Large swings
- Gym
- Roller skating
- Rock climbing
- Campfire
- Bonfire with smores
- Archery
- Archery tag
- Tubing on the lake
- Gaga ball pit
- 9-square in the air
- Lots and lots of dirt!

## **What to Pack?**

- Bible and pen/pencils
- Sleeping bag or twin bedding, pillow, and blanket
- Toiletries, towels, and washcloths for shower
- Shower shoes
- Modest swimwear, sunscreen, towel
- Clothing that can get dirty
- Plastic bag for bringing home dirty laundry
- Shoes for walking/running
- Flashlight
- Money for craft shop, sweet shop, coffee shop, and gift shop
- Hand sanitizer, bug spray, and sun block
- Backpack for carrying daily items