

HUME LAKE SUMMER CAMP LETTER

June 2022

Hello High School Hume Lake Camper and Parents! This is your 'official' camp letter with all the important details about what's going to happen at **Pre-Camp** as well as the morning of our exciting departure to Hume Lake! Please read the entire letter!



THEME:

Truth Be Told: We live in a world where anything can be accepted as true and encourages us to define our own truth. Phrases such as “my truth,” “live your truth,” “do what’s true for you,” are used every day. These phrases force us to ask, and answer, the question, “Is there such a thing as absolute truth?” And if there is, how does that affect our life?

This summer we are going to take a look at the life of Jesus through the book of John to see how Jesus himself defines truth. Our prayer as we study the book of John together is that we would respond with love and affection for Him and have a greater priority for and deeper understanding of the truth, His word.

John 18:37-38 Then Pilate said to him, “So you are a king?” Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. For this purpose, I was born and for this purpose I have come into the world— to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth listens to my voice.” Pilate said to him, “What is truth?”

The Super Spirit Day Theme is: “Disco Derby”

Recreation Colors are Salmon and Sea Blue (*We won't know which team we'll be on until we're up at camp*)

FINANCES:

The cost of Hume Lake is \$825. If you paid your \$300 deposit, your balance is \$525. If you're not sure what you've paid, email us at rebecca.roehl@calvarylife.org for your balance due. Balances must be paid in full by **Saturday, July 9 at Pre-Camp**.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

If you've applied for a scholarship, you should have received an email with award information. If you have not received an email, please contact us at 714-973-4800 ext. 331

PRE-CAMP: (Saturday, July 9, 10:00am)

To make things go quickly the morning we leave, we hold what we call 'Pre-Camp' the day before. Please meet on **Saturday, July 9 at 10:00am** for Pre-Camp in front of the Calvary Gym. This is when you do stuff like drop off your luggage, finalize permission forms, make final payments, choose your bus, get a health screening, etc. The morning we leave you may bring one carry-on bag or backpack with you on the bus.

Please note: Make sure you have filled out all the medical forms for Hume and Calvary online!

LEAVING FOR HUME: (Sunday, July 10, 7:30am)

Please arrive at church in the Gym parking lot on **Sunday Morning, July 10 at 7:30am SHARP!** Our transportation keeps a tight schedule and will depart on time. Because we take care of most of the last minute details at Pre-Camp, Sunday morning should run smoothly. All you have to do is show up on time, check-in with us one final time and we'll load the buses and be on our way!

Please eat breakfast beforehand. We will be stopping for lunch so **be sure to have your lunch money with you on the bus, not packed in your luggage.** We are scheduled to arrive at Hume Lake at approximately 4:00pm.

ARRIVING HOME: (Saturday, July 16, 4:00pm)

We are scheduled to arrive back at the church between **4:00-5:00pm on Saturday, July 16.** Again, save money for lunch on the way home. We will keep you posted on our ETA on Instagram [@calvaryhs](https://www.instagram.com/calvaryhs). Wi-Fi is very limited at camp, so please be patient.

MAIL:

Getting mail, packages and e-mails is always an experience at camp. Please try to send mail 5 days prior to delivery date. The Mailing Address is:

Camper's Name / Calvary Church of Santa Ana
Ponderosa Camp, July 10-16
64144 Hume Lake Road
Hume Lake, CA 93628

LUGGAGE:

You are limited to:

1 Suitcase or Duffel Bag 1 Overnight Bag or Backpack, Sleeping Bag + Pillow

What to bring:

Toiletry Items	Bible + Pen	Flashlight	Sleeping Bag + Pillow
Clothes for 6 Days	Closed-Toed Shoes	Warm Jacket	Towels (<i>beach + bath</i>)
Sandals	Sunscreen	A Modest one-piece bathing suit	

***Don't forget your HSM Summer T-shirt. We'll wear them up on the bus ride up to camp! (For Sale at Pre-Camp for \$15)**

What **NOT** to bring: (*Hume is very strict on this – if you bring any of these items you will be sent home at parents' expense*)

Cigarettes/Tobacco

Fireworks

Illegal drugs or Alcohol

Electronics of any kind (*cell phones can be used for photos only!*)

Weapons of any kind (*including pocket knives, wrist rockets and water balloon launchers*)

HUME DRESS CODE/MODESTY POLICY: (*Please note the following updated guidelines from Hume Lake*)

GIRLS:

- No 2-piece swimsuits or Tankinis
- No bare midriffs
- No spaghetti straps
- No halter-tops, bare-back tops, or tube tops
- No excessively tight clothing
- Tank top straps need to be 1" or greater with no bra straps showing
- Modest shorts length – 4 inch+ inseam

GUYS:

- Shirts must be worn everywhere except at the pool and on the lake
- No visible "sagging" of pants or shorts
- No Speedos

CALVARY FOOD POLICY:

Because you need to be healthy and strong for all camp activities, it is essential that you eat at every meal! Although camp food may not be your favorite, choosing not to eat at meal times may result in you being sent home.

SPENDING MONEY & ACTIVITIES:

Suggested spending money should be anywhere from \$80-\$100. *Students are responsible for their own money + belongings!!

HUME SWIM TEST:

Hume is implementing a swim test again this year. All campers wishing to swim or be on water **MUST** pass this test before being given the swim wristband. Test includes; jumping into deep end feet first, swimming the width of the pool & back (face in the water) and treading water for 30 seconds. Retests are permitted.

HUME'S EMERGENCY PHONE IS (559) 305-7770.

HUME ONLINE:

Hume has an excellent website loaded with photos and tons of information about the camp. Parents...check out the web-cams too, especially while your student is at camp at www.hume.org.

Well, that should cover it, but if you still have questions, please give us a call at (714) 973-4800 ext. 331. See you at **Pre-Camp, Saturday, July 9 at 10:00am!**

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