

Good News Club Leaders,

Greetings from Camp Good News. We wanted to share with you 2 big things that you need to know for 2019.

## **GNC Camperships**

This year will be a bit different in the following ways:

- 1. There is no GNC specific week. Clubbers can sign up for any of the weeks that fits their age.
- 2. Camp Good News is again offering weeks of camp for Good News Clubs at a discounted rate of \$250 per camper.
- 3. The \$250 will be sent to Camp Good News from the Club/CEF Chapter.
- 4. When the clubbers register, they will not be required to pay (but, they must use a Promo Code).
- 5. I will be creating postcards with directions on how to register and the Promo Code. Just let me know how many camperships you will be paying for and I will send that number of postcards to you.
- 6. You probably also have a pretty good idea who will earn these camperships so you can let me know what weeks/spaces I need to save for your clubbers. (if you don't let me know, I cannot guarantee space for your clubbers)
- 7. Clubbers must register by May 1st or the saved space will be opened up to others.
- 8. To earn a Campership, Clubbers must meet the following requirements to be eligible (obviously you will only be able to give out the number of camperships that you have money to pay for, so the following criteria does not guarantee a campership, but instead makes them eligible to possibly be awarded one)
  - ages 7-11 years old
  - attend every club of GNC for the Spring semester
  - Memorize each of the Bible verses for GNC this Spring semester plus these 3 extra verses: Romans 1:20, Matthew 5:13-14, Isaiah 55:9
  - Be an active part of ONE of these: Truthchasers Club, Daily Devotions, or Quiet Time Sheets
- 9. Once you have awarded the campership, you need to let me know the names of the clubbers who have earned them. That way when I see the name come through registration, I will know that they are using the promo code correctly. (email or text with the name(s) works great!)





## Good News Extravaganza

- A few of the staff of Camp Good News would love to come to your club for a special Fun Club.
- Why? We feel this would be a great way for you to add some clubbers by advertising this special event at your school and hopefully see some new faces when we show up! As well, this works as a great marketing tool for us to let clubbers know a small sampling of the fun things you can do by attending a week of Camp!
- The best part of this is that's it's FREE! (donations gladly accepted though especially if we need to travel long distances and possibly stay overnight in a hotel)
- Make sure to give us plenty of time to schedule. We get pretty busy in the Spring time, so there will be several dates that we may not be able to do.
- On the next 2 pages is a list of all the different things we currently offer (although my crazy mind is always coming up with new stuff, so if you don't see something you like, just ask!).

Hope all that was easily understandable. If you have any questions about Summer Camp or to schedule a Good News Extravaganza, give Chris a call!

From Around the Campfire,

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## CAMPGOODNEWS Extravaganza

Activity	Time	Description
Critter Connection	1 hour	We bring around 16 animals from our Nature Center and teach about them and use them to present the Wordless Book Gospel Message. The clubbers will then get the opportunity to pet/hold many of the critters.
Teambuilding	1-2 hours	Divide your club into smaller groups of 10ish each. Clubbers will then work together to accomplish a mission with our Teambuilding initia- tives. Great activity for older clubbers (ages 9 and up)
Zorbs	<sup>1</sup> ⁄2 hour with 1 hour setup	We bring 16ish Zorb Balls for your clubbers to roll around in and bounce into each other. (ages 8 and up and can only be done on smooth grassy surface)
Rock Star	1 hour	Learn about a huge collection of rocks, minerals, and fossils. While learning, you will be building a Water Rocket to launch 200 feet in the air at over 60mph. (ages 8 and up and requires a large open field)
Mad Scientist	1 hour	Bring out the mad scientist inside your clubbers. We'll be performing science experiments and blowing stuff up!
Clay Creations	1 hour	Prepare to get messy as we sculpt some clay from the creek bed at Camp into one-of-a-kid art pieces!
Archery Dodge	1 hour	Play dodgeball with specially made bows and arrows. Up to 20 clubbers can play at a time. (ages 8 and up and requires a gym)
Up Close & Personal	1⁄2 hour	Using our high powered USB microscope, see a bunch of awesome stuff super close up!
Knot Again	1 hour	Learn some valuable knots, play a game of who can tie it the fastest, and even make your own rope that each clubber can take home!
Camp Crafts	1 hour	Got a crafty group of clubbers? Do some fun camp crafts tailored for your group! Each clubber will have their very own creation to take home!
Escape Room	1 hour	Attempt to "break out" of our portable escape room. Great for smaller groups. (ages 9 and up)
Tree Cookies	1 hour	Learn how Trees are created and how you can learn a lot of stuff from one cookie (slice) of a tree. Then make your own tree cookie about your life. Great activity for clubbers to share their testimony
Sun Day Fun Day	1 hour	All about the Sun! From Solar Prints to Solar Balloons. This class will really brighten your clubbers day! (Outdoor Sunny Space needed)
Use Your Noo- dle	1 hour	A large variety of games that involve pool noodles! Great for any ages (large play area needed)

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Toad Painting	1 hour	We bring several toads to help create a masterpiece for you. All your clubbers have to do is paint the bottom of the toad and allow it to hop around and do the painting for them!
Recreational Tree Climbing	1-2 hours	Clubbers will be harnessed up and able to climb ropes to the tops of trees. You can hang out on limbs, swing around, or chill out on a Tree Boat/hammock. (ages 9 and up and large tree needed)
Throwing Sports	1 hour	Your clubbers can throw Tomahawks, Knives, Ninja Stars and even Throwing Cards. (ages 9 and up and large outdoor space needed)
9-Square in the Air	1 hour	Great for gyms or outdoors. We bring our 9-Square Court for clubbers to play on. Think mixture of 4 square and volleyball! A very fast moving game where 9 play at a time, but a whole group gets involved as players get eliminated
Aerial Archery	1 hour	6 clubbers at a time get a chance to shoot a target down out of the sky. (ages 9 and up and large outdoor space needed)
Game Party	1-2 hours	We come with a ton of fun games to play indoors or out. No props needed!
Sit Down Game Party	1-2 hours	We have a ton of powerpoint games that are crazy fun, but don't require lots of running around! Great for small classroom space!
Funderbird Championship	1 hour	Clubbers will get to make their own Funderbirds/Petecas and then play games with them against other clubbers
Theme Park Challenge	1-2 hours	We bring the supplies and group your clubbers up to make Marble Roller Coasters. Using foam pipes, cardboard and masking tape, your clubbers can create big hills, loops and curves for their marble to ride!
Gaga Ball	1 hour	We bring a portable Gaga Ball court for you clubbers to play in. Gaga ball is a fast paced type of dodgeball in a small space. Everyone loves it!
Soctaball	1 hour	Indoor Soccer in a gaga ball pit. 6 clubbers at a time in teams of 3, but because of eliminations, this is a fast paced game where everyone gets involved.
Human Foosball	1 hour	We bring our portable human foosball court and your clubbers play the game just like normal, except they are the foosball players!
Hungry Hippos	1 hour	Play just like the board game, except your clubbers are the hippos!
Tree-sure Hunters	1 hour	Good for indoors or out. We bring our Tree Fandexes and learn all about trees while attempting to identify several.
CSI Lab	1-2 hours	Use your best detective skills to help solve the mystery. We will be doing lots of CSI Sciency stuff with this activity!
Save the Egg	1 hour	Work in teams to create a way to save their egg from a 6 foot drop. We bring all the supplies, even the tarp to protect from splatted eggs!

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