

Program Registration  
**NATIONAL CAMP and RETREAT LEADERS**

*January 26-30, 2009*

*Mount Hermon Conference Center*

Please register before January 4, 2009. Early Bird Deadline is December 15, 2008.

Please fill out one form per adult registrant. Children need only to be registered with one parent.

Children age 0-3 are no charge, ages 4-17 are within the youth rate range and 18+ are at the adult rate.

Fill out this registration form and send by U.S. Mail or by Fax.

Please contact Vickie Lawson at 731-584-6102 or vikk42@yahoo.com with registration questions.

Fields in RED are required.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

Nametag Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnic Origin: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zipcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Conference \_\_\_\_\_

Camp Name (Where I serve or relate to): \_\_\_\_\_

- I am in the Ministry primarily as:
- Manager/Director
  - Maintenance
  - Housekeeping
  - Office Administration
  - Food Service
  - Health and Safety Services
  - Program Director
  - Hired Counselor
  - Ministry Specialist
  - Volunteer Dean/Director
  - Volunteer Counselor
  - Conference/District Staff Person
  - Conference/District Volunteer
  - Board of Director/Trustee
  - Other

This year we are offering several different types of "shops" instead of seminars or workshops.

Pro shops (PR) are designed for professional development;

Net shops (NT) are for networking information among others with similar interest;

Play shops (PL) are fun and teach how to have fun with others;

Soul shops (SO) are for personal spiritual development and

Youth shops (YO) are for youth that are attending with their families.

Look for the two-letter designation beside each shop title.

Please be sure to select a workshop for each of the 7 time periods listed below.

2009 Gathering Workshop Choices:  
Tuesday, January 27, 2009

*from 9:30am-11am*

**Workshops designating Part A and Part B are designed for attending both.**

- New Camp Director's Training part-A (PR)
- Facility Management –part A (PR)
- Best Practices–Safe Sanctuaries (PR)
- NCC Eco-justice Staff (NT)
- Panel on Financial Turn Around (NT/PR)
- Building on Your Strengths- part A (PR)
- Discerning a Ministry Vision – part A (PR)
- Building Effective Staff / Volunteer Teams – part A (PR)
- Leading Retreats – part A (SO/PL) Working Through Disagreements (PR)
- Group Building for Children in Attendance (YO)
- Faith Formation A with David Berkey

*from 1:45pm-3:15pm*

**Workshops designating Part A and Part B are designed for attending both.**

- New Camp Director's Training – part B (PR)
- Facility Management – part B (PR)
- Knowing and Inspiring Guest Groups (PR)
- NCC Eco-justice staff – part B (NT)
- Building on Your Strengths – part B (PR)
- Personal Ministry Plan – part A (SO) Games (PL)
- Ministry with Youth–The God Bearing Life (PR/SO)
- Faith & Food Options – part A (PR/NT)
- John Muir (PL/SO)
- Discerning a Ministry Vision – part B (PR)
- Storytelling – part A (PL)
- I Believe in Jesus (SO)

*from 3:30pm-5pm*

**Workshops designating Part A and Part B are designed for attending both.**

- Partnering with Hispanic Communities (NT)
- Photography – part A (PL/SO)
- Strong Financial Practices and Stewardship (NT/PR)
- Personal Ministry Plan - part B (SO)
- Helping Children Fall In Love with Nature (PL)
- Partnering with Social services & non-profit agencies (PR/NT)
- Faith & Food Options – part B (PR/NT)
- John Muir (PL/SO)
- Maintenance Tour (PL/NT)
- Storytelling – part B (PL)
- Crafts (PL)
- Christian Yoga Practice (PL)

2009 Gathering Workshop Choices:  
Wednesday, January 28, 2009

*from 9:30am-11am*

**Workshops designating Part A and Part B are designed for attending both.**

- Faith Formation – part B (PR)
- New Camp Director's Training – part C (PR)
- Personnel – part A (PR)
- Partnering with UM Foundations (NT)
- Best Practices–Cyber Safety (PR)
- Green Bible and Experiential Teaching (SO/PL)
- Women in CR Ministry (NT)
- Mt. Hermon Publicity and Marketing (PR)
- Ministry with Youth–God at the Movies (PR/SO)
- Grant Writing (PR)
- Building Effective Staff / Volunteer Teams – part B (PR)
- Bullying (PR)

2009 Gathering Workshop Choices:  
Thursday, January 27, 2009

*from 9:30am-11am*

**Workshops designating Part A and Part B are designed for attending both.**

- Personnel – part B (PR)
- Best Practices–ACA Guidelines (PR)
- Theology and Ecology (PR)
- Family Camp Events – Intergenerational (NT)
- Tough Situations (PR)
- Leading Retreats – part B (SO/PL)
- History of UM Camp & Retreat Ministries (PR)
- Board Development (PR)
- Intro to 7 Foundations of CR Ministry (PR)
- Shepherding Staff (PR)
- Camping with Persons with Handicapping Conditions (PR)

*from 1:45pm-3:15pm*

**Workshops designating Part A and Part B are designed for attending both.**

- Fundraising and Capital Development – part A (PR)
- Music to Enhance Spiritual Growth (SO/PR)
- I'm not program Staff? (PR)
- Games (PL)
- Mt. Hermon Specialty Programs (PL)
- In Transition (SO)
- Camp & Retreat Ministry Certification (NT)
- Leadership in the Wesleyan Spirit (PR)
- Intro to 7 Foundations of CR Ministry (PR)
- Summer Staff Training (PR)
- Body Prayer (SO)
- Youth Shop for Children of Camp Leaders

*from 3:30pm-5pm*

**Workshops designating Part A and Part B are designed for attending both.**

- Fundraising and Capital Development – part B (PR)
- Cooking Competition (PL)
- Interpreting Local Environment
- Music to Enhance Spiritual Growth (SO/PR)
- Photography – part B (PL/SO)
- Day Camps (PR/NT)
- Teaching prayer in a CR Setting (PL/SO)
- Plate Tectonics – Earthshaking Food Service Ideas (PR)
- High Ropes (PL)
- Climbing Wall (PL)
- Creative Promotion (SO)
- Youth Panel (NT)
- Leading Lasting Change in the Church (PR)
- Green Building (PR/NT)

Please fill out one form per adult registrant.  
Children need only to be registered with one parent.

NOTE: For additional information on the housing options please visit this link on the web:  
[www.gbod.org/camping/2009campevent-lodging.asp](http://www.gbod.org/camping/2009campevent-lodging.asp)

Choose your accomodations:

- Deluxe Adult: **\$417** .....
- Deluxe Youth: **\$215** ..... X .....
- Standard Adult: **\$340 STANDARD HOUSING IS FULL** .....
- Standard Youth: **\$174 STANDARD HOUSING IS FULL** ..... X .....
- Economy Adult: **\$265** .....
- Economy Youth: **\$141** ..... X .....

Private Room: **\$60** .....

Please note: Private rooms are extremely limited and not guaranteed.  
Private rooms will be confirmed after all other room assignments have been made.

I/we need accessible housing at Mt. Hermon.Wheel chair:  Yes  No

Registration (by December 15, 2008) **\$310** .....

Registration (after December 15, 2008) **\$340** .....

Children in Day Camp Program @ FREE each: ..... X .....

Note: Most rooms in standard and Economy only accomodate 2 persons. Some of the deluxe Rooms can house up to 4 persons in a room. Depending on availability a staff member may need to contact you to confirm your request.

Names of children enrolled in the Day Camp Program:

Roommate Request:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Bus Riders @ \$30 each: ..... X .....

Optional: 2.0 CEU's @ \$5 .....

I Would Like to Make a Contribution to the Legacy of Leadership: ... \_\_\_\_\_

**Grand Total:** .....

***Be Sure to Verify Your Total.***

Please contact Vickie Lawson if you would like to house your entire staff in a cabin together.

Comments to the Registrar: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Online registration requires payment in full by credit card. We accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and now also AmericanExpress cards. YOU MUST FILL OUT THE CREDIT CARD INFORMATION BELOW or YOUR REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE PROCESSED. If you wish to register by mail, please print this form and send to the address below. Checks payable to: NCRC.

Name as it appears on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card: Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Card expiration Month and Year: VISA/MC 3 Digit ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Date submitted (month/day/year): \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Please Register No Later Than January 4, 2009

## PROGRAM REGISTRATION:

The **Early Bird** registration fee for the event is **\$310** per person for those registering prior to 12/15/08. **After December 15 and before January 4, 2009** the full event fee is **\$340**.

A \$100 deposit per person is required to reserve your place at this event. If paying **on-line registration, payment must be made in full** at time of registration. **Payment in full is required for all registrations by January 4th 2009. Please contact Vickie Lawson if you need to make any special financial arrangements.**

*Cancellation Policy:*

Cancel by December 15, 2008 — \$50 fee. The remainder is refunded.

Cancel between Dec. 15, and Jan. 4, 2009 — \$100 fee; the remainder is refunded.

Cancel after January 4, 2009 — No refund.

Spouses and family members accompanying registered conference attendees may choose the “Family Rate” which waives the registration fee. This special rate is only for persons who are not camp and retreat leaders planning to attend workshops at the national gathering. Those registered for the family rate may attend plenary worship times. This is a very intentional option provided by the National Camp and Retreat Committee to support families who want to come together to enjoy time away as a family. **Note: All persons coming must pay housing and meals because that amount goes directly to the center and must be covered. Everyone must therefore register.**

If you have any questions or problems with your registration, please contact:

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