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ALL ARE WELCOME

As a part of joyful commitment to the Church and to the community, as well as in justice to our guests, campers, volunteers and staff, Nebraska Lutheran Outdoor Ministries, Inc., including its Carol Joy Holling and Sullivan Hills camps, is committed to principles that enable opportunities for full participation in its programs and activities. These programs and activities include Christian education, spiritual, psychological, social, personal and professional development. We welcome all people and we do not tolerate behavior that discriminates based upon race, religion, color, creed, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, disability, national origin, age or ancestry. Such discrimination is demeaning, destructive and directly at odds with the Gospel of Christ and our goals of fostering equity, mutual understanding and cooperation.

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Carol Joy Holling Camp is American Camp Association Accredited and owned and operated by Nebraska Lutheran Outdoor Ministries, a serving arm of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

JUNE 24-29 • WEEK 4
1st-3rd & 4th-6th • TrailHead • 1841 • $405
6th-8th • Ranch Camp •1842 • $430
4th-6th • Tipi Village • 1843 • $420
Confirmation • The Springs • 1844 • $405
6th-8th • Middle School Mission Camp • Whispering Winds • 1841-MS • $430
9th-12th • Sr. High Road Trip • 1841-AC • $460
Taste of Camp • Sjogren Center • Sun - Mon • 1845 • $155
Grand Camp • Sjogren Center • Wed - Fri • 1846 • $315
1st-6th Day Camp • Townhall • Mon - Fri • 1847-TH • $95

JULY 1-3 • WEEK 5 MINI-WEEK
1st-3rd & 4th-6th • TrailHead • 1851 • $250
6th-8th • Ranch Camp •1852 • $250
4th-6th • Tipi Village • 1853 • $250
Adults with Special Needs • Sjogren Center • 1855 • $230

JULY 8-13 • WEEK 6
1st-3rd & 4th-6th • TrailHead • 1861 • $405
6th-8th • Ranch Camp • 1862 • $430
4th-6th • Tipi Village • 1863 • $420
Confirmation • The Springs •1864 • $405
9th-12th • Whispering Winds Night Camp •1861-S • $420
Grand Camp • Sjogren Center • Wed - Fri • 1866 • $315

JULY 15-20 • WEEK 7
1st-3rd & 4th-6th • TrailHead • 1871 • $405
6th-8th • Ranch Camp •1872 • $430
4th-6th • Tipi Village • 1873• $420
Confirmation • 6th-8th • The Springs • 1874 • $405
9th-12th • Whispering Winds • 1871-S• $420
Taste of Camp • Sjogren Center • Sun - Mon • 1875 • $155
Adults with Special Needs • Sjogren Center • Wed - Fri • 1876 • $230

JULY 22-26 • WEEK 8 (4-DAY)
1st-3rd & 4th-6th • TrailHead • 1881 • $335
Confirmation • 6th-8th • Ranch Camp •1882 • $335
4th-6th • Tipi Village • 1883 • $335
6th-8th • The Springs • 1884 • $335
9th-12th • Backpacking Trip - 5-Days • 1881-S • $460
Grand Camp • Sjogren Center • Sun - Tues • 1885 • $315

CAROL JOY HOLLING CAMP SCHEDULE 2018

Choose session based on grade completed in Spring 2018.
Go to CarolJoyHolling.org/Registration to register!

JUNE 3-8 • WEEK 1
1st-3rd & 4th-6th • TrailHead • 1811 • $405
6th-8th • Ranch Camp • 1812 • $430
4th-6th • Tipi Village • 1813 • $420
Confirmation • The Springs • 1814 • $405
Taste of Camp • Sjogren Center • Sun - Mon • 1815 • $155
Adults with Special Needs • Sjogren Center • Wed - Fri • 1816 • $230

JUNE 10-15 • WEEK 2
1st-3rd & 4th-6th • TrailHead • 1821 • $405
6th-8th • Ranch Camp • 1822 • $430
4th-6th • Tipi Village • 1823 • $420
Confirmation • The Springs • 1824 • $405
9th-12th • Whispering Winds • 1821-S • $420
Taste of Camp • Sjogren Center • Sun - Mon • 1825 • $155
Youth with Special Needs • Sjogren Center • Wed - Fri • 1826 • $230

JUNE 17-22 • WEEK 3
1st-3rd & 4th-6th • TrailHead • 1831 • $405
Confirmation • Ranch Camp • 1832 • $430
4th-6th • Tipi Village • 1833 • $420
6th-8th • The Springs Night Camp • 1834 • $405
9th-12th • Whispering Winds • 1831-S • $420
Taste of Camp • Sjogren Center • Sun - Mon • 1835 • $155
Adults with Special Needs • Sjogren Center • Wed - Fri • 1836 • $230

Bible Study Theme

“For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God.” - Ephesians 2:8

When our hearts finally comprehend that we are saved by grace through faith, not by what we do; everything changes! This summer’s Bible study will reaffirm God’s love for each of us regardless of our successes and failures. We can trust in God’s promise of new life and walk in confidence in whatever we do.

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ELEMENTARY PROGRAMS

TRAILHEAD

1st – 6th Graders

TrailHead is a great place for adventure, exploration, learning about your unique gifts and building relationships with friends old and new! Campers at TrailHead will sleep on bunk beds in platform tents and will participate in:

- Swimming
- Boating
- High Ropes
- Zip Lining
- Archery (4th – 6th Graders)
- Bible Study
- Service Project
- Worship

ON-SITE DAY CAMP

1st – 6th Graders

Campers at On-Site Day Camp will explore their faith in creative ways, enjoy fun in the outdoors and meet lots of new friends. On-Site Day Camp runs from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. and for an additional cost, before and/or after care is available.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

REGISTRATION, DEPOSIT & PAYMENT

All registrations will be done at CarolJoyHolling.org/Registration through the online UltraCamp software. Parents/guardians of first-time campers need to create an account and fill out the necessary information, and parents/guardians of returning campers need to update some information as well.

A $100 deposit is required for full-week sessions and a $50 deposit for all shorter sessions. Deposits are applied to the total camp fee. The total balance is due two weeks before arrival at camp, including any portion paid by the church. You can pay online or mail your checks payable to NLOM. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Registrar Jessica Weltz by email at JWeltz@NLOM.org or by phone at 402-944-2544.

FAMILY DISCOUNTS

Receive a $25 discount for each child of the same immediate family attending a full-week or shorter session. Discounts are applied to the final balance. Sorry, no discounts are available for the Taste of Camp or Grand Camp programs.

HOUSING POLICY

Campers may request to be housed with a friend during their stay. Please indicate this request on the online registration forms. Assignments are made prior to the camp session. Requests cannot be guaranteed.

NO CHILD TURNED AWAY POLICY

Carol Joy Holling Camp's policy is that no child will be turned away because of the inability to pay their camp fee. If your camper(s) needs a partial or full camp scholarship, please visit CarolJoyHolling.org/Financial-Aid or contact Registrar Jessica Weltz by phone at 402-944-2544.

RESOURCES

Please visit CarolJoyHolling.org/Preparing-For-Camp to access resources, tips and tricks for your camper's time at camp. There are many helpful hints for kids as they come to camp as well as for parents, guardians or other loved ones of campers.

SAFETY INFORMATION

AMERICAN CAMP ASSOCIATION

The American Camp Association (ACA) is the camping industry's voice on standards of excellence and safety. These standards provide camps with best practices to follow in order to achieve the high quality of operations.

Carol Joy Holling Camp is an ACA-accredited camp. This means we are visited on a regular basis by a team of specifically trained professionals to ensure we are meeting the ACA standards. The ACA sets guidelines in the areas of health and wellness, food safety, risk management and many more. Carol Joy Holling Camp has been an accredited camp for more than 25 years and we are committed to making sure each one of our participants has the safest experience possible at camp.

WEATHER SAFETY

Nebraska is known for its extreme weather changes. During our summer programs at Carol Joy Holling Camp, we have a lot of sunshine and blue skies, but we aren't immune to less friendly conditions. We use Weather Defender, a state-of-the-art weather tracking program, to keep campers safe. This program enables us to monitor conditions every hour of the summer. Every site has belowground shelter facilities. Should severe weather systems reach camp, we are prepared to alter schedules and will update you via email on any developments. Using Weather Defender will help us be well prepared for any extreme weather that may happen.

PARENT COMMUNICATORS

Coming to camp is an amazing experience not only for campers to have fun and make new friends, but also for parents to see their children grow in faith and independence. We want parents to be concern-free during their child's week at Carol Joy Holling Camp, and our Parent Communicator program helps us achieve that.

Two Summer Ministry Team members serve as Parent Communicators throughout the entire summer. These talented young adults will visit each site and share the campers' experience with parents and guardians. You can see photos of camp activities online, which are uploaded frequently throughout the week, and a highlight video of their entire time at the end of each week. Each day at Carol Joy Holling Camp is filled with growth and fun for our campers, and we are thrilled to share these times with their families.

ELEMENTARY PROGRAMS

TIPI VILLAGE

4th – 6th Graders

Tipi Village is the smallest site at Carol Joy Holling Camp, meaning you can become close friends with everyone and grow together as a community of believers. Campers at Tipi Village will sleep on cots in tipis and will participate in:

- Horseback Riding
- Boating
- High Ropes
- Archery
- Outdoor Cooking
- Bible Study
- Service Project
- Worship

MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAMS

RANCH CAMP

6th – 8th Graders

Ranch Camp helps youth develop deep friendships, build their lives around their own values and grow closer to God. Campers at Ranch Camp will sleep on bunk beds inside the Western Town buildings and will participate in:

- Horseback Riding
- Boating
- High Ropes
- Human Foosball
- Ranchero
- Bible Study
- Service Project
- Worship

MISSION CAMP – NEW!

6th – 8th Graders

Mission Camp will send campers out into the surrounding communities of Omaha, Lincoln and Ashland for some unforgettable service experiences. Campers will sleep on bunk beds in platform tents and participate in activities such as swimming, Bible study, worship, high ropes and many other camp classics.

PROGRAMS FOR FRIENDS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Youth Programs — Ages 13 – 21
Adult Programs — Ages 21 & Above

People with special needs are invited to join in fellowship, laughter and fun at Carol Joy Holling Camp! During these three-day, two-night programs, campers will sleep in double rooms in Sjogren Retreat Center and will participate in:

- Hayrack Ride
- Boating
- Swimming
- Fishing
- Creative Arts
- Cookouts
- Bible Study
- Worship

FAMILY PROGRAMS

GRAND CAMP

1st – 6th Grade Grandchildren & Grandparents

Grand Camp is all about grandparents and their grandchildren spending quality time together. During this three-day, two-night program, each family will have fun and talk about faith. Campers with Grand Camp will sleep in private rooms in the Sjogren Retreat Center and will participate in a fun campfire, paddleboats, worship, Bible study, cookout, swimming, creative arts and more!

TASTE OF CAMP

Kindergarden – 2nd Graders & an Adult

Excited to go to camp but not quite ready for a full-week experience? Then Taste of Camp is for you! During this 24-hour program, young kids and their parent or favorite adult can check out Carol Joy Holling Camp, do many favorite camp activities and spend quality time together. Campers with Taste of Camp will participate in a hayrack ride, cookout, swimming, boating, Bible study, worship, creative arts, snow cones and more!

MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAMS

THE SPRINGS

6th – 8th Graders

The Springs is a site based on one mission: carrying the cross of Christ wherever you go. During their week, campers will physically carry a cross while learning how to put their faith into action in their homes, churches and communities. Campers at The Springs will sleep on bunk beds in cabins and will participate in:

- Gaga Ball
- High Ropes
- Night Camp (Week 3)
- Bible Study
- Service Project
- Worship

CONFIRMATION CAMP

See your pastor or youth director to learn more and sign up for Confirmation Camp at either The Springs or Ranch Camp!

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS

WHISPERING WINDS

9th – 12th Graders

After a week at Whispering Winds, young people will leave camp with a closer relationship with Christ, lifelong friendships and great memories. Campers at Whispering Winds will sleep on bunk beds in platform tents and will participate in:

- Offsite Canoeing and Camping Trip
- Archery
- High Ropes
- Night Camp (Week 6)
- Bible Study
- Service Project
- Worship

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS

HIGH ADVENTURE BACKPACKING TRIP

Ready for an epic adventure? Travel with us as we head to Steamboat Springs, Colorado for a week in the beautiful Rocky Mountains. Skilled backpacking guides will lead us from Rabbit Ears pass to the Steamboat ski area during this five-day trip. We'll end with a gondola ride down the mountain and swimming at the hot springs.

ROAD TRIP ADVENTURE

Looking for the perfect combination of adventure and fun? Join us on the Road Trip Adventure! This year we will explore the Buffalo National River in North Arkansas. Get ready to discover scenic river views and bluff overlooks while hiking, climbing, zip lining, canoeing, tent camping and caving.

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