

30th ANNUAL FAMILY CAMP SHIMJUNG

Camp Royaneh, Cazadero, CA
Wednesday, August 17 – Sunday, August 21, 2016

Dear Family and Friends,

The Family Camp staff invites you to enjoy the beauty of the redwood forest with your family and our wonderful community of families. Your clan guests might enjoy staying for the entire camp, for the weekend, or perhaps just for one day. **This year's Family Camp for adults (including "empty nesters") and children of all ages will be held Wednesday, August 17 through Sunday, August 21.**

We strongly encourage you to use the Family Camp as an opportunity to share our faith and the warmth of our community with other families with children the ages of your own children. Invite a friend and his/her family. Spending time together in a beautiful environment away from the cares and stresses of city life will be an experience you will all treasure.

As always, parent participation is what makes Family Camp so special for your children. Parents and older Second Gen supervise various classes and activities. Families eat meals together. You can arrange for your child to be assigned to a "host family" in the event you cannot attend a portion of the camp. However, sending your child alone to camp without you or a host family is not an option.

Accommodations

Camp Royaneh is in a beautiful redwood forest and has exciting facilities for families. All campers will enjoy a lovely dining hall; art and science buildings; a pool; a creek to explore; a bunkhouse with electricity; tent cabins with bunkbeds for up to 8 people (bring your own mattress and bedding); an amphitheater for morning services and evening campfires; a great pool; pingpong, basketball, and volleyball; trails for exploring; a parade ground for **Capture the Flag, and much more!** Multiple sets of bathrooms with showers are scattered throughout the grounds.

Tent Camping: Families who desire may set up their own tents. *There is no charge for tent camping.*

RV: Families who desire may set up their own RVs. *There is no charge for RVs.*

Tent Cabins: Many tent cabins are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Each tent cabin has a wooden platform containing four well-constructed bunk beds without mattresses or bedding. You bring your own mattresses, pillows and bedding and walk to nearby bathrooms and showers. *There is no charge for tent cabins.*

Cabin with Electricity but no bathroom (nearby portapotty): \$10 per person per night

Bunk House: This has 3 rooms with electricity and a bathroom, each room accommodating 2-4 people. *Lodgings in the Bunk House costs an additional \$15 per person per night. They are available to those who complete registration and pay on a first-come first-served basis.*

There are additional cabins like the Health Lodge with the same facilities if you are interested. Lodgings in these cost an additional \$15 per person per night.

Directions to Camp Royaneh

Royaneh is located 10 miles NW of Guerneville

- Take 101 north to just north of Santa Rosa
- Take the River Road (Russian River resort) exit toward Guerneville
- Drive through Guerneville and Monte Rio.
- In Guerneville, River Road becomes HWY 116
- After crossing Austin Creek, turn right on Cazadero Highway north for about 4 miles.
- Turn right at the camp sign after crossing a bridge
- Follow the paved / dirt road one and a quarter miles to center of camp

Camp Royaneh's address is:
4600 Scanlon Road
Cazadero, CA 95421

The trip to Camp Royaneh takes about 2.5 hours from San Leandro.

The Family Camp Schedule

Camp will open with dinner at 6pm on Wednesday, August 17. Families will be welcome to use the pool, splash in the creek, hike ¼ mile to the Russian River, or just relax. More activities are planned and you'll get email updates. The children's groups will have their first meeting after dinner, concluding with s'mores around the campfire and an evening prayer.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday mornings will feature group activities, guided by group leaders, for kids from 2-18 including Principle Life Education, Art, and Science. Parents are responsible for their children 2 and under, although they are welcome to join the preschool-kindergarten group. Various interesting programs for parents and "empty nesters" are being planned. Afternoons are set aside for families to enjoy outdoor activities mentioned above plus ziplining, BB guns, archery, and arts and crafts together.

Family Camp will conclude with lunch on Sunday, August 21. The Family Camp schedule is flexible to allow you to participate on one, two, three, four, or all five days. Altogether, camp covers four 24 hour periods from *after-lunch* Wednesday through lunch on Sunday.

Cost per Person (Adults and Children over 2)

The following fees for Family Camp include food, accommodations*, and camp-related materials:

EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT PRICES (sign up and pay in full by July 10)

- Adults (age 17 and up): \$42/day
- Adolescents (12-16): \$35/day
- Children (age 3-11): \$30/day
- 2 and under: Free
- family registration fee: \$20

Sign up and pay in full between July 11-August 14

- Adults : \$45/day
- Adolescent: \$38
- Child \$33
- Family registration fee: \$30

Sign up August 15 or later or just show up at camp

- Adult: \$55
- Adolescent: \$45
- Child: \$35
- Family registration fee: \$40

**Additional charges of \$15 per person per night) apply for lodging in special cabins. Availability is on a first come-first served basis once you have registered and paid in full. Please indicate your preference on the application and pay in advance to guarantee reservations.*

Family Camp is flexible. You can attend one, two, three, four, or all five days (1pm Wednesday through 1pm Sunday). Note that signing up for one “day” means signing up for the time period from 1pm on the first day until 1pm of the second (including an overnight stay and 3 meals: dinner on the first day, then breakfast and lunch on the second).

Children and youth under 18 attending camp must be accompanied and ***sleep in the same tent or room in a cabin, or the immediately adjoining tent or room, with their own parent(s) or with their host parents***. Parents and host parents are responsible to be sure their child/youth attends the morning services and activities during the day, as well as making sure the child/youth goes to bed at night at the designated Lights Out time. A child or youth attending with a host family is not covered by the host family’s registration fee and must pay a separate family registration fee. Only people who are parents themselves qualify to be a “host parent”. An older sibling of a teen is not qualified as a host parent.

A day is a 24 hour period from 1pm through 1 pm. There is no credit for missed meals. A person who stays overnight is required to pay for the full day. Additional meals are \$6 each. A person staying for the total camp experience would pay for 4 full days.

A driver who does not stay overnight must pay \$6 per meal but will not be charged the full day rate. Please give your payment to a staff member and request that it be passed to Camp Registrar.

Sorry, no pets allowed by our hosts, the Boy Scouts! Please make arrangements for your pets to enjoy a short vacation elsewhere while you are at Family Camp relaxing!

Staff Scholarships

Staff scholarships worth over \$160 for the entire length of Family Camp are available for parents or older 2nd Gen (17 and up) who have experience working with children and can help lead activities. We need adults to work with children aged: Preschool/Kindergarten; 1st/2nd; 3rd/4th; 5th/6th; 7th/8th; 9th-12th; Art; Science; BB Guns; Archery; Lifeguards; and Cooking. ***Please indicate on your application if you are interested in being considered for a staff scholarship and what ages of children or areas you can help with. We will get back to you shortly.***

Staff members need to be present at camp for all five days (Wednesday through Sunday, four “days” worth of registration), must be able to meet each evening after the closing prayer for an important Staff Meeting, and to participate in the Staff Skit rehearsals and the performance on Saturday night.

21-Day Prayer Condition

Please make a 21-day prayer condition for the Family Camp from Tuesday, July 27 through Tuesday, August 16 to prepare a spiritually uplifting experience for each family:

- Parents and children can experience the Heavenly Parents’ and True Parents’ heart through the Family Camp experience; the *shimjung* community is a reality.
- Participants are safe spiritually and physically.
- Families renew their inspiration and commitment to participating together in Providential activities, preparing to welcome Cheon Il Guk.

Registration

Please go to bafcfamilycamp.online to register.

- Fill out the online registration for your family and submit online.
- Print out and sign the Medical Consent form; submit it to Registrar, Gundi Sasaki, at Family Camp table in lobby after church.
- Print out and sign the Waiver, and submit it to Gundi Sasaki at Family Camp table after church.
- Print out one copy of Code of Conduct and have every family member who is 10 and over sign it; submit to Gundi Sasaki at Family Camp table after church.

May God bless you and your family.

Sincerely,
Rev. Kevin Thompson

Please go to bafcfamilycamp.online to print out forms; turn them in with your fees to the Family Camp table (in the front lobby) after church.