



June 2018

SummerExcitement

Dear Summer Excitement Student,

Congratulations! You are officially registered as a student to Summer Excitement 2018. Start preparing for one of the greatest weeks of your life! A team leader (your small group leader for the week) will be contacting you before Summer Excitement. Here are some things you should know about Summer Excitement.

SUMMER EXCITEMENT IS:

A discipleship experience designed to connect students to Christ *as well as* to other Christians also pursuing a deeper relationship with Christ.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:

Summer Excitement exists to cultivate faith in youth so they grow in Christ and become influential believers. Our desire is that, in doing so, students will:

1. Come to enjoy Christian living;
2. May learn to disciple others for Christ;
3. Become dynamic leaders in their home congregation.

The week of June 17th – 22rd will be one of the most exciting, fun-filled and challenging weeks of your life! We are excited for you to join us!

ARRIVAL TIME:

You need to arrive at the Lubbock Christian University campus between 5:00 pm and 6:30 pm Sunday evening, June 17th. There will be a registration area set up at the **Katie Rogers Hall** (Chicago Ave & Dover Ave – East side of LCU). LCU is located at 5601 – 19th Street between Chicago Avenue and Frankford Avenue. If you need detailed directions, please contact me. There will be food provided in the LCU Student Union Bldg. between 5:30 and 7:00 and then our first activity will begin at 7:00 pm. All parents are welcome to eat and stay for the first session which will last from about 7:00 to 7:45.

DEPARTURE TIME:

Summer Excitement 2018 will conclude on Friday, June 22nd at noon. **You are responsible for:**

- Your lunch on Friday, June 22nd.
- Making arrangements for your departure from the campus. We will provide transportation to the airport provided you call in or send us your departure information **before** the week of Summer Excitement (see note on last page).

WHAT ARE THE RULES?

Summer Excitement has four major rules:

- **No student, for any reason**, may leave the campus unless by the direction of Jason Moore, Summer Excitement Director.
- **All** students must attend **all** activities of the school. We have every minute of your day planned. Please get plenty of rest before you come to Summer Excitement!
- Respect will be shown to the Summer Excitement staff, campus staff and guests and property.
- There will be a male wing and a female wing in the dorms. If a guy is found in the female wing, he will be sent home immediately. The same goes for the girls in the male wing. There are no exceptions to this rule.

All other behaviors are expected to be guided by the Spirit of Christ, as modeled by our Team Leaders & staff. Their example will be followed by YOU as responsible, sensible young adults. We do not anticipate any problems with these rules, but in the event that we DO have problems with them, we reserve the right to send home any student at the expense of his/her parents.

Please note that you may bring your cell phone with you, but you will be required to leave it in your dorm room at all times.

TEACHING:

Most of the teaching sessions will be conducted by our Deans: Ricky Lewis (Senior Dean), Clay Johnson, Allison Lewis, Nathan Keller, and Devon Watkins. THEY ARE FANTASTIC! Guest instructors also help with Quick Start and special events.

SPORTS:

The sports program of Summer Excitement is under the leadership of the Sports Directors, Jason Johnson & Curtis Dunson. After the teaching sessions in the mornings, he will be directing exciting sports events for everyone to enjoy. During all sports events, you will be allowed to wear gym shorts as long as modesty is maintained. Females, please do not wear white shirts or shorts during the sports events because you **will** get wet.

WILD-N-CRAZY GAMES:

Ian DuPont & Jesse Walton will be leading the wild-n-crazy games. Be prepared to get wild and crazy! This will be played after sports time and please wear clothes you do not mind getting food, mud, etc on. It would be best to put these dirty (and gross) clothes in a separate laundry bag from the rest of your dirty clothes (but let them air dry first).

WORSHIP:

One of the most incredible times at Summer Excitement is our Rainbow Celebration (evening worship). These are times when we seek to encounter the presence of God through song, prayer, and the study of His word. Our Rainbow Celebration deans, David Langford, Kalum Tuggle, Kirk Cowell, Mike Gibson, Melanie Wise, as well as our Worship Leader, Doyle Corder, have spent much time in prayer and preparation for these times. Wednesday evening we will have our worship time at Quaker Avenue Church of Christ at 7:00pm (1701 Quaker Avenue). Parents are welcome to attend. After the worship, there will be a time of fun for all Summer Excitement students and staff at Quaker Avenue's Family Center; this experience, called Jailbreak, is one of the highlights of the week!

MEDICAL INFORMATION:

All First-Aid will be provided at the campus by Summer Excitement nurses - Debbie Simpson and her crew. Medications such as Tylenol, Benadryl and Pepto-Bismol will be dispensed at their discretion. If there are any over-the-counter medicines your parents **do not** wish for you to have, they must send a letter with you or to the address on the envelope. **All prescription medications MUST be checked in with the nurse upon arrival.** All Team Leaders will be instructed regarding what to do in case of an emergency. Although we do not anticipate any emergencies, Covenant Hospital will be used if needed.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS FOR PARENTS:

SE office (number effective 6/17/17 through 6/22/17 only): 806-831-1300 (Jason Moore)
Covenant Hospital: 806-725-1011

TEAMS AND FAMILIES:

Throughout the week, you will be part of a “team” and a “family.” The team is composed of one male and one female Team Leader and approximately 10 students (half male and half female). Your Team Leader is a positive, dynamic, motivated person who is at Summer Excitement especially for you! Here is where the closeness of Summer Excitement is sparked and where new, sharing relationships begin! We do not intend to place undue emphasis on school color, but we will emphasize your spiritual development and your personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

The next page is very important. It is a checklist of what to bring and an important note to your parents. Please pay careful attention to both of these. If we can answer any questions about your planning for Summer Excitement 2018, do not hesitate to contact me.

Excited in the Lord,

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What to bring to

SUMMER EXCITEMENT 2018

All of the SUMMER EXCITEMENT 2018 staff are anxious to meet you! To make your preparations for the week a little easier, here is a checklist of items you will need to bring:

_____ **YOUR PAST SE Bible! (if you are new, you will receive a free paperback copy upon arrival)**

_____ Personal Care Items (toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, soap, shampoo, shower shoes, etc.)

_____ Bedding for the dorms (twin size sheets or sleeping bag, blankets, pillow)

_____ Towels for the week

_____ Play Clothes and Casual Clothes (bring your own hangers). You will need to wear jeans on Wednesday evening, so make sure you bring a pair. You will change into play clothes for sports and wild & crazy games each day and you will get these clothes wet and dirty.

***Girls- Please dress modestly. No spaghetti straps (straps 3 finger width minimum) or shirts that show your midriff. Dresses, skorts, skirts and shorts MUST be fingertip length. No tight clothing. No white shirts or shorts during sports.**

****Boys- Please no muscle shirts or tight clothing**

Any staff member has the right to and will send you to your room to change if your clothing is inappropriate!

_____ (Optional) Money for concession stand

_____ (Optional) Money for pizza. Pizza will be available Thursday night for around \$10 for a large pizza and 2-liter drink.

_____ (Optional) Laundry detergent. Washers and dryers in dorms are free to use.

Do not bring:

- Any unnecessary electronic equipment or other valuables (TVs, radios, gaming consoles, etc.). Cell phones will not be allowed in any formal sessions. Phones are allowed only in dorm rooms, and before or following scheduled activities. Summer Excitement is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

- **NO HAMMOCKS!**

Note about transportation:

** If we are to pick up your son or daughter at the airport, please call or send us their arrival and departure information. We need to know the following details: student's name, date of arrival/departure, airline, flight number and arrival/departure time. Please send all flight information to Keri Moore by email at keri.summerexcitment@yahoo.com or by texting her at 806-928-6717. Any students staying in Lubbock following Summer Excitement will be responsible for their own housing, food, and transportation.