

Hey Campers, Parents, Guardians and Leaders,

Thanks for registering for Unite Camp 2023!

Here's a bit more information for you so that you can have the best camp possible.

### Getting There

BP Park is a big campsite here are some details to help get you there.

Baden Powell Park Scout Campsite

68 Cash Ave

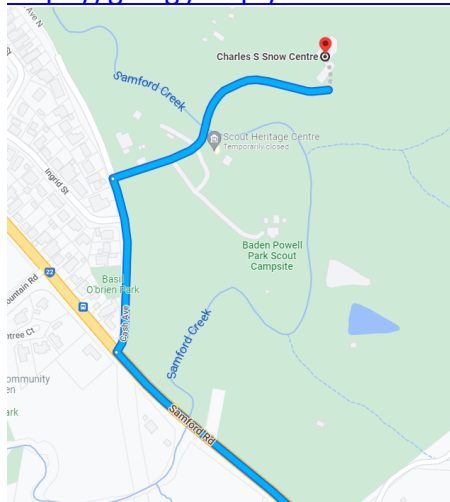
Samford Village QLD 4520

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We will be in the Charles S Snow Centre on the campsite. Please see the map below.

There will also be people to help direct you from the front gate upon arrival.

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### Arrival + Drop Off

Drop off will be at 1:00pm September 24 and our first activities start at 2:00pm.

You will need to ensure campers are checked in when they arrive.

Pick up is @ 2pm September 28 when camp finishes.

Checkout is required so please don't leave without checking out.

Arriving early and late can be troublesome and a safety hazard for the site, so please do your best to get there on time. If you run into traffic or issues please call ahead so we know to look out for you.

## Medication

If medication is required during the camp, it is to be presented to the first aid officer upon arrival at camp. At a minimum we request medications be

- in the original packaging, clearly labelled with camper's name in a single zip lock bag. For prescribed medication, ensure the pharmacy label is visible with the campers name, dosage requirement and expiry date.
- accompanied by a signed [Short Term Medication order Form](#) (click link) detailing dosage requirements

Please note that Panadol is available from the First Aid kit so there is no need to supply any paracetamol.

If you have complex medication requirements, it may be worthwhile to provide blister packed medications. This will involve you retrieving a current medication summary from your doctor or GP and then visiting a pharmacist. By having these tablets stored in blister packs, the first aid officer can easily administer the correct dosage of medications each time.

## What To Bring

### Bedding

- Pillow
- Blanket or sleeping bag

### Clothes

- Comfy clothing for 4 days (We ask that you dress modestly & respectfully throughout the week)
- Warm Clothes – it can still get cold in the evenings, so be prepared.
- Hat – be sun safe
- Closed in shoes (for general use)
- Closed in shoes (for water + canoeing)
- Swimwear (sun/rash shirts and boardies to wear in and at the lake).
- Costume for our **Dressup** night (*Pixar – bonus points if you tie it in with Jonah*)
- Rain Jacket

### Toiletries

- Deodorant
- Soap & shampoo
- Toothbrush & toothpaste
- Towels (shower + swimming)
- Sunscreen (because you'll be in the sun a lot!)
- Personal Hygiene products

### Other stuff

- Bible (physical) & pen
- Medication
- Costume for our **Dressup** night (*Pixar – bonus points if you tie it in with Jonah*)
- Water bottle – personalize it before camp, we want each one to be easily identifiable
- A rubbish bag or laundry sack for dirty/wet clothes
- A friend (It's not too late to invite one.)
- A good attitude that will last all week!

### Optional

- Snacks – you can bring candy, chips, etc, but please keep them sealed at your bunk

## What Not To Bring

- **Nut products of any kind** – this is to ensure the safety of all campers.
- Anything harmful or illegal (knives or other weapons, drugs, alcohol, cigarettes, vapes, cigars, pipes, smokeless tobacco, R-rated/adult content accessed on devices)
- Money is not needed
- Technology and electronics - We would prefer that you leave these things (iPads, phones, iPods etc) at home. Please note that your phone is here at your own risk, and we will ask you to not use it during significant parts of our program. **There is no WIFI available on site.**
- Anything that isolates you or takes focus off of what we're at camp for (If you have to ask, leave it at home!)

## Expectations for Campers

To ensure camp is as great as it can be, we ask you to follow a few expectations

- Get **involved** and trying new things (and meeting new people).
- Build each other up, **be encouraging**. No pay outs/ put downs.
- Turn your **phone** to silent during the program and using it only when asked or during free time.
- Focus on finding Jesus, not a **boyfriend/girlfriend**. (Don't be exclusive) Be ready to get to know lots of new people, be welcoming and include others in what you do on camp.
- **Wear appropriate clothing**. Clothing should be fit for the activity and not too revealing. Boardshorts & rashshirts for swimming to be sunsmart.
- **Cooperate with & respect** campers and leaders.
- Be respectful of others at **night** – no loud noise after **10pm and before 7am**.
- No **smoking/vaping, alcohol** or other illegal or harmful **substances**. No **adult** or inappropriate content on devices.
- Stay out of other people's **personal space** (bags, clothes, beds, cabins etc.)
- No leaving camp unless it is pre-planned with Camp Director and parents/guardian
- Absolutely **no pranks**. Camp is our home for the time we're there. Everyone should feel safe in their home.

**Pray + Read**

We will be going through **Jonah** during camp. It would be awesome to have a look at **Jonah** before coming along so you can have a bit more time to think through what God's word is saying.

Prayer is amazing because our God is amazing. Be praying for camp. Pray for safety, for our speaker as he prepares talks from God's word and for people to remain healthy. There are lots of other great things to pray for as well!

If you have any questions about the campsite, cabins, activities, transport, or anything you can call/email me. Looking forward to seeing you all there!

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