

Camp St. John the Baptist

For all boys of the parish ages 10 - 17 June 21st - June 25th Rochester, WA

All boys of the parish, ages 10 - 17, are invited to sign up for the first annual Camp St. John the Baptist. Join us for a few days of spiritual and physical formation as we hike, go to daily Mass, play sports, have catechism lessons, enjoy God's creation, and much more. Camp will be held in Rochester, WA, along the Black River. It will run from Tuesday, June 21st - Saturday, June 25th.

The cost is \$100 per youth, per family for the first two boys signed up. There is no charge for any additional youth. Scholarships may be available. Please speak directly to Fr. O'Brien.

Register at: https://www.osvhub.com/saintjosephtacoma/forms/boys-camp

Last day to Register is June 1st! All payments due by June 4th!

"Behave manfully in the law: for by it you shall be glorious."

- 1 Maccabees 2:64



Daily Schedule (Sample)

6:30 AM Wake up

7:00 AM Morning Prayers (Rosary)

7:30 AM Mass

- 8:30 9:00 AM Breakfast, Clean up
- 9:00 12:00 Morning Activities
- 12:00 1:00 PM Angelus, Lunch & Clean up
- 1:00 5:00 PM Afternoon Activities
- 5:00 6:00 PM Rest, Free time
- 6:00 7:00 PM Dinner, Clean up
- 7:00 8:00 PM Catechism lesson, Evening prayers
- 8:00 10:00 PM Games, Campfire, Songs, etc.

10:30 PM Lights Out

Attention Dads!!!

We need 3 - 4 dads willing to volunteer and help run the camp with us! Volunteers must be safe environment cleared!

If this is something you could take time off to do, please contact the parish office, or contact Matt Bittle or Andre Zante directly.

Packing List

- Rosary
- Jeans x 2 pairs
- Sweatpants x 1 pair
- Shorts x 3 pairs
- Socks x 4 pairs
- Underwear x 4 pairs
- T-shirts x 4
- White t-shirt x 1
- Rain jacket
- Hoodie or jacket (nights can get cold)
- Athletic shoes
- Hiking boots or trail shoes
- Water shoes or flip flops (optional)
- Water bottle or camelback (Must have!)
- Flashlight (or headlamp) & extra batteries
- Hygiene items
 - Toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, baby wipes, rag, soap, towel
- Hiking pack (backpack)
- Sleeping bag and pillow
 - Sleeping pad recommended!
- Insect repellant
- Sunscreen
- Hat
- Camp chair (optional, but recommended)
- Campers are welcome to bring musical instruments such as guitars!

What <u>NOT</u> to bring!

- **NO** phones, tablets, games, or other electronics!
- No matches, lighters, firearms, weapons, or folding knives larger than 3 inches. No non-folding knives!
- No outside food, drinks, or candy!
- No bad attitudes!

Remember, in June the weather here can be very unpredictable! We could have cold weather, excessive heat, heavy rain, plenty of sun, or all of them combined! Pack and plan accordingly! Keep an eye on the forecast the week before camp.

