

CLUBS & CHILD CARE INFORMATION

For Conference Participants – Summer 2019



General Information:

The Clubs program is a recreation and fellowship experience for the children of conferees, local residents, vacationers and visitors. It groups children and youth according to age and school level. College-aged counselors supervise each group. They are trained to help the young people feel comfortable as they create new interpersonal relationships and develop social and outdoor living skills. The program also makes effective use of Montreat's recreational facilities set in beautiful outdoor surroundings. Montreat's Environmental Education program includes hands-on learning experiences in wilderness and environmental science. Events are planned with each group's age and interests in mind.

A typical week in Clubs (4 year olds to senior highs) consists of swimming, paddle-boating, music, water games, devotions, arts and crafts, and wilderness education. Pre-School groups will additionally have playground time, snack time, dress up games, as well as a designated nap/rest time. School Aged groups will play lots of active outdoor games (such as scavenger hunts, tag, and other high-energy creative games) and indoor games (such as pool and table tennis), as well as participating in music, dancing, tennis (bring non-marking tennis shoes), hikes, and rock-hopping (bring old closed-toe shoes). **YOUR CHILD WILL GET MESSY!** Please make sure she or he dresses appropriately!

Child Care for younger children is also available (ages six months through three years). Operating on the same schedule as Clubs, the service is primarily for children of registered conferees. A typical day consists of centers, group time, devotions, snack, and outside play in the morning; and nap time, snack, and outside play in the afternoon.

Evening child care is available to children of conferees, who are 6 months old through completed second grade. You must register for the entire conference week. *Exception: For **Worship & Music conference only**, conferees may register on a nightly basis at an additional charge. Please register at least 24 hrs in advance and/or specify nights on your registration form.*

WE WILL NOT MOVE A CHILD INTO AN OLDER GROUP. However, a child may be moved into the next younger group at the parent's request to accommodate special needs or to be with a relative or friend.

FOR ALL CHILDREN: Montreat Conference Center requires you to complete a medical form for each child, including immunization dates. This form is included in the online registration process and is required before registrations can be submitted.

Please note: Periodically, Montreat Conference Center will have photographers or videographers on campus to capture the Montreat experience. By enrolling your child(ren) in the Montreat Conference Center Clubs and Child Care program, you acknowledge your child may be photographed or videotaped for publicity purposes. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Center for Youth and Young Adult Ministry at Montreat Conference Center.

Sessions Available for 2019:

Our program operates Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12:00 noon and 2:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Montreat Conference Center does not provide any Clubs/Child Care between noon and 2:00 PM.

(Exception: Special extended hours for Worship & Music participants only.)

Conference	Session	Daytime Care Begins	Daytime Care Ends	Special Notes
Youth One	B	June 3	June 7	Evening care begins June 2.
Youth Two	C	June 10	June 14	Evening care begins June 9.
Worship & Music One	D	June 17	June 21	Evening care begins June 16.
Worship & Music Two	E	June 24	June 28	Evening care begins June 23.
Youth Three	G	July 8	July 12	Evening care begins July 7. Senior Highs will be participating in a 3-day backpacking trip this week. (see "Special Activities" below)
Youth Four	H	July 15	July 19	Evening care begins July 14. Junior Highs will be participating in a 3-day backpacking trip this week. (see "Special Activities")
Youth Five	I	July 22	July 26	Evening care begins July 21. Juniors 6th will be participating in a 3-day camping trip this week. (see "Special Activities")
Youth Six	J	July 29	August 2	Evening care begins July 28.

Special Activities:

Three-Day Backpacking Trips	Juniors 6th: July 24-26 Junior Highs: July 17-19 Senior Highs: July 10-12	An extra fee is required to cover the cost of food and supplies. A backpack and a sleeping bag are <i>essential</i> . Campers must be registered for Clubs for the entire session no later than 4:30 p.m. on the Friday before the trip leaves. Parents must attend a mandatory parent meeting on that Monday night prior to the trip. <i>When a club group is scheduled for one of these trips but a child doesn't want to attend, we can accommodate that child in the next younger group.</i>
Lock-ins & Overnight Campouts	Lockins: J5 and up	Juniors & older may have an occasional lock-in during the summer. Your child must be registered for that day in order to participate.

Please Note: Pre-registration is required for all conferees. **SPACE IS LIMITED.** You must register at least **30 days in advance** to guarantee enrollment in the program. Enrollment is not guaranteed for walk-in registrations.

Cancellation Policy:

If you need to cancel a registration please let us know as soon as possible. If you cancel on or after May 1, we will refund your charges minus a \$35 per week administration fee. If you cancel less than 10 days prior to your session, no refund will be given. Please be aware that failing to cancel a session of Child Care, Pre-Clubs or Kindies may prevent another child from being able to register. No refunds will be given for days your child was absent, and we cannot allow children to make up days not used by attending during times when he/she is not registered.

Questions? Please contact the Clubs Registrar at 828.419.9837 or clubreg@montreat.org.

Clubs & Child Care Groupings & Rates

On or after May 1, a fee of \$10 will be added to each week of registration. Please register early for the best rate.

Age	Club Name	Daytime Cost per Conference (before May 1)	Evening Cost	Limits & Requirements
Born after August 31, 2015 and at least 6 months	Child Care	Worship & Music: \$60/\$190 ^a Youth Conferences: \$120 ^b	\$60 or \$15 per night ^c \$60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (40) ▪ Medical form and immunization records required
Born from September 1, 2014 to August 31, 2015	PreClubs Red	Worship & Music: \$60/\$190 ^a Youth Conferences: \$120 ^b	\$60 or \$15 per night ^c \$60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (26) ▪ Medical form and immunization records required
Born from September 1, 2013 to August 31, 2014	PreClubs Blue	Worship & Music: \$60/\$190 ^a Youth Conferences: \$120 ^b	\$60 or \$15 per night ^c \$60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (30) ▪ Medical form and immunization records required
Completed Kindergarten and entering 1 st grade in the fall	Kindies	Worship & Music: \$45/\$175 ^a Youth Conferences: \$105 ^b	\$60 or \$15 per night ^c \$60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (40)
Completed 1 st grade	Peanut Butters	Worship & Music: \$45/\$175 ^a Youth Conferences: \$105 ^b	\$60 or \$15 per night ^c \$60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (30)
Completed 2 nd grade	Jellies	Worship & Music: \$45/\$175 ^a Youth Conferences: \$105 ^b	\$60 or \$15 per night ^c \$60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (30)
Completed 3 rd and 4 th grades	PJs	Worship & Music: \$45/\$175 ^a Youth Conferences: \$105 ^b	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (50)
Completed 5 th grade	Juniors 5th	Worship & Music: \$45/\$175 ^a Youth Conferences: \$105 ^b	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (30)
Completed 6th grade	Juniors 6 th	Worship & Music: \$45/\$175 ^a Youth Conferences: \$105 ^b	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (30)
Completed 7th and 8th grades	Junior Highs	Worship & Music: \$45/\$175 ^a Youth Conferences: \$105 ^b	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (45)
Completed 9th to 12th grades	Senior Highs	Worship & Music: \$45/\$175 ^a Youth Conferences: \$105 ^b	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Limited capacity (45)

^a If you are **registered** for the Worship & Music Conference and you are bringing **dependent children who are not attending the conference**, there is a small charge for **daytime Clubs and/or child care** (\$45/\$60). If you are registered for the Worship & Music Conference and you are bringing **children who aren't your dependents** or you are a **non-registered chaperone** bringing your own children, you are responsible for the entire cost of Clubs and/or child care (\$175/\$190).

^b If you are **registered** for Youth Conference and you are bringing **dependent children**, there is a subsidized rate for Clubs and Childcare (\$105/\$120). If you are **not registered or bringing children who aren't your dependents**, you are responsible for the entire amount (\$175/\$190).

^c **There is a charge for evening care for children of all registered conferees and non-registered chaperones during Worship and Music.** The total cost of care is \$60 per child for the entire week. You may choose to register for specific nights at a rate of \$15 per night per child. Evening care is provided for children 6 months through completed second grade only.