

Sullivan Hills Camp



(an) = equal

At Nebraska Lutheran Outdoor Ministries, in places set apart, we live out faith in ways that show everyone they belong and are unconditionally loved by God.

*Faith:
alive!*

Sullivan Hills Camp offers significant experiences that provide a safe, welcoming introduction to the Christian faith, increase the relevance of faith in one's daily life, and promote community-building.



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All are welcome

As a part of our joy in serving the church and the community, as well as in justice to our guests, campers, volunteers, and staff members, Nebraska Lutheran Outdoor Ministries, including its Sullivan Hills Camp and Carol Joy Holling Camp, Conference, & Retreat Center, is committed to principles that enable opportunities for full participation in its programs and activities. These programs and activities include Christian education and spiritual, psychological, social, personal, and professional development. We welcome all people, and we do not tolerate behavior that discriminates based upon race, religion, color, creed, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, disability, national origin, age, or ancestry. Such discrimination is demeaning, destructive, and directly at odds with the Gospel of Christ and our goals of fostering equity, mutual understanding, and cooperation.

Elementary Programs

1st - 6th Graders

- Off-site Swimming Trip
- High Ropes
- Archery (4th - 6th Graders)
- Boating
- Zip-lining
- Creative Arts
- Bible Study
- Worship



Week 1
June 11-16

Week 3
June 25-30

Week 6
July 16-21

Week 7
July 23-27

Middle School Programs

6th - 8th Graders

- Off-site Swimming Trip
- Boating
- Archery
- Gaga Ball
- High Ropes
- Zip-lining
- Bible Study
- Worship



Week 2
June 18-23

High School Programs

7th - 12th Graders

Night Camp

Week 5
July 9-14



- Glow Zip-lining
- Night Hiking
- Stargazing
- Bible Study
- Night Gaga Ball
- Worship

Backpacking Trip

9th - 12th Graders

Ready for an epic adventure? Travel with us as we head to Steamboat Springs, Colorado for a week in the beautiful Rocky Mountains. This week will include exploring the town and nearby trails of Steamboat Springs, an overnight backpacking trip, and swimming at a hot springs pool. Come experience God's creation with us this summer!

Cost: \$475

Week 7
July 23-28





J1:9 Camp

(for friends with special needs)

Ages 12-21+ (youth & adults)

- Hayrack Ride
- Boating
- Creative Arts
- Campfire
- Camp Games
- Bible Study
- Worship



Week 4
Mini-Week
July 5-7





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Summer Theme

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."

-Revelation 22:13

Our God is one, and our God is also three—the Creator, the Redeemer, and the Holy Spirit. Welcome to the mystery of the Holy Trinity! Truth be told, this math surrounding our God is more than a little murky. How can one equal three and three equal one? And yet, it is this unequal, three-in-one God in whom we confess our belief.

And so, this murky journey into the mystery of the Holy Trinity begins. Together, we will discover the holiness of the Trinity, who abides with us and for us, revealing our own belovedness as we are wholly—from beginning to end—loved by God, the three-in-one. Each day at camp will guide us into God's story of love for all creation that claims and nourishes us. Our identity as God's people is wedded to God's love made alive in us through Jesus's friendship and the Spirit's work. As God's beloved ones, we are sent into the world with the message of God's love. So, join us as we explore **(un)Equal**: the three equal but different parts of the Holy Trinity.

Sullivan Hills Camp is FREE!

Yep, you read that right. Campers can come to Sullivan Hills Camp for **FREE**.

For several years, generous donors have been subsidizing Sullivan Hills Camp so that campers can come for free! We believe a camp experience should be accessible for any camper who wants to attend.

Please note that while all regular camp sessions at Sullivan Hills Camp are free, the Backpacking Trip for high school students costs \$475.

Registration & Deposit

Register online at SullivanHills.org through the safe and secure UltraCamp software. Parents and guardians of first-time campers need to create an account and fill out the necessary information, and parents/guardians of returning campers need to update some information as well.

A \$50 deposit is required to register, but it will be returned after your child attends camp.

Housing Policy

Campers may request to be housed with a friend during their stay. Please indicate this request on the online registration forms. Assignments are made prior to the camp session. Requests cannot be guaranteed.

Resources

Please visit SullivanHills.org/camper-info to access resources and tips for your camper's time at Sullivan Hills Camp. There are many helpful hints for kids as they come to camp as well as for parents, guardians, or other loved ones of campers.



Health & Safety

You trust us with what is most valuable to you—your children. We don't take lightly our responsibility to care for them physically, mentally, and spiritually.

Healthcare Team

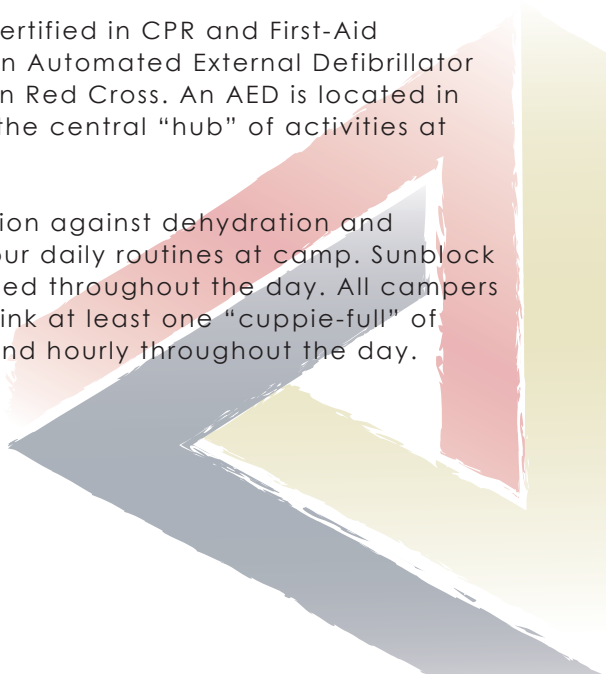
The Sullivan Hills Program Specialist is trained by a healthcare professional before they arrive for the summer. In addition, a member of our Summer Ministry Team serves as Healthcare staff, providing care for minor injuries and illnesses as needed during camp.

Camper Safety

Each year our Summer Ministry Team undergoes an intensive, two-week training prior to the start of camp. The sessions cover topics of boundaries, child development, trauma, abuse, bullying, and more. We empower campers to talk with a trusted Summer Ministry Team member or Program Specialist if they ever feel uncomfortable. We want campers and their families to know camp is a safe space.

All summer staff are certified in CPR and First-Aid including the use of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) by the American Red Cross. An AED is located in the Buckley Center – the central “hub” of activities at Sullivan Hills Camp.

Basic camper protection against dehydration and sunburns is a part of our daily routines at camp. Sunblock application is scheduled throughout the day. All campers are encouraged to drink at least one “cuppie-full” of water at each meal and hourly throughout the day.



Weather Safety

Nebraska is known for its extreme weather changes. During our summer programs at Sullivan Hills Camp, we have a lot of sunshine and blue skies, but we aren't immune to less friendly conditions. Sullivan Hills Camp has belowground shelter facilities. Should severe weather reach camp, we are prepared to alter schedules and may update you via email on any developments.





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