

Camper Mail

Mail may be sent through USPS or through e-mail. Please indicate the first and last name, cabin name, and camper session on the envelope or subject line. Send e-mails to camper@campomega.org. E-mail is printed daily at 9:00am. Please refrain from sending multiple emails each day; attachments and e-cards will not be distributed. Campers are not able to return e-mails, but may send letters. Parents are encouraged to supply their children with envelopes and stamps. Envelopes and stamps may also be purchase at the Canteen.

Memory CD-Rom

During each session, photos will be taken of the campers as they participate in daily camp activities. These images will be copied to a CD-Rom and are available for \$9 to campers to have as memories of their time at camp. Also included on the CD will be cabin group, all camp, and staff photos. CDs can be ordered upon registration, during camper drop off or pick up or by phone. The CD will be mailed to the camper after their camp session.

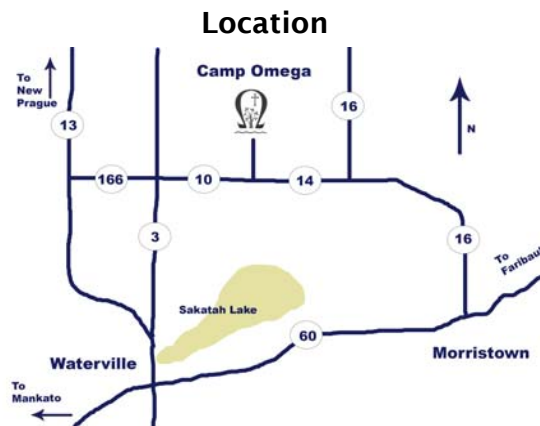
Crafts in a Bag

Looking for a different way to support the ministry of Camp Omega? The following items are used extensively throughout the summer and are always in high demand. Feel free to drop these items off in a plastic bag at registration. Thank you for your support.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yarn | <input type="checkbox"/> Duct tape |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction paper | <input type="checkbox"/> Markers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Popsicle sticks | <input type="checkbox"/> Scissors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tongue depressors | <input type="checkbox"/> Beads |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tempera paint | <input type="checkbox"/> Acrylic paint |

About Camp Omega

For almost 50 years, Camp Omega has provided Christian growth opportunities for Children, youth and adults. Camp Omega is privileged to serve over 250 churches in the Minnesota South District of the LCMS church as well as the countless other churches, communities, and families of southern Minnesota and the entire Midwest area. Our retreat center, five cabins, and four outpost villages are ideal for youth camps, family and adult retreats, outdoor education, and facility rental.



From I35 (from the cities take I35 South) Take Hwy 60 exit at Faribault. Turn left on Highway 60 (west). In Morristown, turn right at County Road 16. At the junction of 16 and 14, go straight on 14 for 2 miles. Turn right on Lind Ave and follow to Camp Omega.

From Mankato/Waterville From Highway 60 (east) take left on Highway 13 in Waterville. After crossing the bridge at Upper Sakatah Lake, take the second right (County Road 3) and follow for 2.5 miles. Turn on the first paved road to the right (County Road 10). Follow three miles to Lind Ave. Turn left at the camp sign and follow to Camp Omega.

From New Prague/Highway 13 Follow 13 south. Watch for the blue Camp Omega sign. Turn left on County Road 166 (gravel road) and follow for one mile. Go straight at the stop sign onto County Road 10 and follow for three miles to Lind Ave. Turn left on Lind Ave. and follow to Camp Omega.

Camp Omega Summer Camp Informational Flyer



**You're
Registered!
Everything
You Need to
Know**

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Welcome to Summer Camp 2011 at Camp Omega!

This brochure is designed to help you prepare your child for his or her stay at Camp Omega. Following these suggestions allows campers to be fully prepared for a great camp experience. Please take time to carefully read and share with your child the following information.

What to Bring

The following items are recommended for all summer camp sessions.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Long Pants | <input type="checkbox"/> Bible |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shorts | <input type="checkbox"/> Pillow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> T-Shirts | <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping Bag |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sweatshirts | <input type="checkbox"/> Bug Spray |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Socks | <input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Underwear | <input type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis Shoes | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Bottle |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sandals | <input type="checkbox"/> Toiletries |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One piece Swimsuit | <input type="checkbox"/> Towel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Envelopes and stamps | <input type="checkbox"/> Rain Gear |

Also, please bring the following items if you are attending one of the specialty camps below:

Sailing Camp

- Sturdy one-piece swimsuit
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen with UVP 30+

Extreme Outpost

- Release form (online)
- Sunscreen with UVP 30+

Shotgun Safety

- Shotgun (may also be rented)
- Ear Plugs
- Safety Glasses

Servant Event

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Work Pants | <input type="checkbox"/> Work Shirts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Work Gloves | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Bottle |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Work Boots or Shoes | <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Socks |

Youth Servant Leader Training

- Registration forms (online)

Camp for People with

Developmental Disabilities

- Information form(s)

What NOT to Bring

- ✗ Cell phones
- ✗ Other electronics
- ✗ CD and MP3 players
- ✗ iPods
- ✗ Knives or weapons
- ✗ Food
- ✗ Immodest or revealing clothing and swimsuits
- ✗ Clothing that could be offensive in language or graphics.

Registration & Check In

Registration is conducted at the following times:

- Check-in for sessions that begin on Sunday is from 4:00-5:00pm.
- Check-in for sessions that begin on any other day of the week is 6:30-7:00pm.
- For the **Camp for People with Developmental Disabilities**, registration will begin at 4:00 PM and supper will be provided following registration.

During Registration, you will be able to

- Obtain cabin assignments.
- Deposit canteen (Camp Store) money.
- Order a Memory CD-Rom (\$9).
- Complete the camper pick up form.
- Turn in camper medication and discuss concerns with the health care volunteer.
- Meet the counselors.
- Purchase clothing and food merchandise.

*** NOTE: All balances must be paid and required forms submitted 14 days prior to the camper's first day of camp. Visit the Pre-Registration page at www.CampOmega.org under Summer Camp Camp FAQs or the Register Now link for details.**

Canteen (Camp Store)

Every day, campers have the opportunity to purchase items such as candy, crackers, ice cream and drink items at the Canteen. Campers will visit the Canteen once in the afternoon and once in the evening. They may purchase up to three items per visit. Items range in price from \$.75-\$1.50. We recommend depositing \$20-30 for a full week and \$10-15 for weekend camps into their camp bank account. Purchases are deducted from the account that is deposited at the time of registration or check-in. Remaining balances will be returned in cash outside the Canteen on last day of the camp session. Any unclaimed balances left will be gifted towards the summer's mission project. Clothing merchandise may be purchased only during check-in and departures days.

Medications

During Registration, parents and campers must turn in all prescription and over-the-counter medicine to the Health Care Volunteer. He or she distributes all medication on a prescribed or as needed basis and as directed by the camper's instruction sheet. Medication must be in original packaging, bottle or containers.

Check Out & Closing

Parents are encouraged to participate in the closing celebration for all camp sessions at 11:00am on the last day of camp. Campers are free to depart after closing by checking out with their counselor. All campers must be signed out by one of the adults designated on the camper's sign out sheet prior to departing.