



2015 Summer Camp Schedule



OVERNIGHT CAMPS

Pine Ridge Riders ■ All tenderfoots' welcome! You can learn a lot about yourself atop the saddle of a 1200-pound horse. Grow in your faith while learning the basics of horse riding, grooming and care. Then you will be ready for the rugged trails of Chadron State Park. All this, plus a ton of activities at Camp Norwesca, will make this a wonderful week full of Wild West adventure!

Grades 3–6 & 7–12 | \$355 per person (includes canteen, t-shirt, bag and water bottle) | **June 15 (10 a.m.) – June 20 (11 a.m.)**

MADD Camp (Music, Art, Drama, and Dance) ■ “Formerly God’s Notes and Expressions in Music” Do you like to sing, dance, act, and go a little crazy and have fun doing it? Then you will fit right in at Camp Norwesca. Pack your talents for a week of singing, dancing, acting, and all sorts of other crazy camp activities! Join us as we celebrate the gift of music, art, drama, dance, and fellowship. Then top off the week by performing the musical Drama “Living it up” and a mini concert with hand chimes for family and friends on Friday night. Please register early so we can send you information about the musical we will be performing.

Grades 3–6 & 7–12 | \$255 per person (includes canteen, t-shirt, bag and water bottle) | **June 22 (3 p.m.) – June 27 (11 a.m.)**

My Hero and Me Camp ■ Calling all first time campers! Summer adventure awaits you at Camp Norwesca! Bring your favorite adult hero and super hero costume with you as you escape into the great outdoors! There will a super hero dinner that you will attend in your favorite hero or heroine attire. If you do not have an outfit, never fear because you and your big can make matching capes during arts and crafts! Enjoy many different activities such as archery, super slide, hay rack rides, outdoor cooking, and games. Hike over to Chadron State Park for swimming and horseback riding. Enjoy an evening over a crackling campfire, while roasting marshmallows, singing songs and listening to stories. Then fall asleep listening to the crickets sing and the wind blow through the pine trees.

Grades Preschool–2 | \$150 for camper and adult (includes water bottle) | **June 27 (3 p.m.) – June 29 (11 a.m.)**

Your adventure starts here this summer in the beauty of Pine Ridge at Camp Norwesca. Camp Norwesca is all about fun, friendship, and learning more about who we are as children of God. Test your skills with archery, outdoor cooking, and team building exercises. Get closer to nature by hiking, horseback riding and exploring the Ponderosa Forest by hay rack ride. Then cool off with a ride on our super slide or swimming at the Chadron State Park. Unwind next to a crackling campfire while singing songs and roasting marshmallows. Drift off into a peaceful sleep in one of our cabins or under the stars; listening to the crickets sing and the wind blow through the trees. In the midst of God’s beautiful creation, Camp Norwesca is truly a unique setting and destination for you to experience friendship and growth.

The Color Games ■ Welcome to Camp Norwesca’s first annual color games. Choose your district name and build your team’s base camp. Learn survival skills such as fire building, archery, and navigation. Then test your knowledge, skills, and stomach as you compete in games and wacky challenges against the other districts for color points. Will your district win the character cup and be crowned victors?

Grades 3–6 & 7–12 | \$255 per person (includes canteen, t-shirt, bag and water bottle) | **July 6 (10 a.m.) – July 11 (11 a.m.)**

Camp Hope ■ We all face challenges in our lives. Break free from your normal routine to enjoy time with God and friends at Camp Norwesca. Camp Hope is intended for youth and adults with developmental disabilities. Join old and new friends for games, crafts, bible study, singing around the campfire and much s’more. Campers are encouraged to invite a buddy to accompany and support them while enjoying all of the fun activities Camp Norwesca offers.

All Ages (intergenerational) | \$150 per person (includes water bottle), \$65 per Camp Hope Buddy | **July 18 (3 p.m.) – July 21 (11 a.m.)**

Outdoor Adventure Camp ■ Come explore God’s World with us this summer as we look at God’s creatures, both big and small. We will discover creatures past and present from bugs to mammoths and everything in between. Join us as we camp off-site in tents and explore God’s wonderful world with hikes, games, bible study and surprises! Outdoor cooking, campfires, geocaching, and water fun are just a few of the activities you can look forward to doing while learning about God’s creatures.

Grades 6–12 | \$355 per person (includes canteen, t-shirt, bag and water bottle) | **July 27 (3 p.m.) – August 1 (11 a.m.)**



Register Online: www.Norwesca.org

Call for a Registration Form: **308-432-3872**

Pirates of the Plains ■ Swimming, fishing, and super sliding is what this week is made of! Hunt for buried treasure and capture the black pearl! Feast like a true pirate with no silverware or utensils allowed! These are meals where burping will be encouraged. Build a ship and race it to the finish line. Then craft a flag fit for your crew, jeweled necklaces, and a captain's hat too. Will your crew become the ultimate pirates? Or will you walk the plank?

Grades 3-5 | \$255 per person (includes canteen, t-shirt, bag and water bottle) | **August 3 (10 a.m.) – August 8 (11 a.m.)**

Last Blast ■ Last Blast is the ONLY way to end your summer! Experience all of your favorite camp activities during this unforgettable week. You are in charge of your schedule. That's right you get to choose what activities you do from Camp Norwesca's all-time summer favorites list! This week will be bursting with adventure, fun and fellowship. Join Camp Norwesca as we say farewell to summer with a BLAST!

Grades 6-12 | \$255 per person (includes canteen, t-shirt, bag and water bottle) | **August 3 (10 a.m.) – August 8 (11 a.m.)**

DAY CAMPS

Day Camp: Power up your summer with Day Camp! Camp Norwesca is offering this camp for the little ones who are not quite ready for overnight camp. Come join us at the United Methodist Church in Chadron. There will be games, crafts, relays, and so much more fun!

Grades K-3 | \$110 per week (includes t-shirt) | **Weeks from May 25 – August 14 | Monday – Friday (8 a.m. drop off, 4 p.m. pick up)**

Summer Camp Specials

- **Early Bird Special:** Save 10% if you register before April 15.
- **Refer a Friend or Family Member Discount:** \$5 off per friend/family member you refer (Up to 4)
- **Sibling Discount:** \$10 off



ATTENTION CHURCH LEADERS:
Help promote camping in your church!

Go online for photographs, graphics, videos and other resources and ideas for encouraging your children and youth to attend Camp Norwesca this summer. Contact us and we can schedule a camp staff or board member to come speak to your church group.

FAQs

How soon should I register?

The sooner the better. Camps fill early and fast. All registrations are processed on a first-come basis. You must register before April 15 to get the early bird price.

Do I have to register online?

No you can also register by phone, call the camp office to sign up.

Do I register for the grade I finished or for the I'm grade going in to.

Camps are organized by age groups based on the grade you just finished.

How do I know my camper is registered?

You will receive registration confirmation via email confirming your camper is registered. If you have started a registration and have not received your confirmation, your camper's registration is not yet completed and not guaranteed a spot.

General Information

CHECK-IN / CHECK-OUT INFORMATION

Over Night Camps

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Day Camps

Takes place all summer long, Monday through Friday at the United Methodist Church in Chadron.

Monday – Friday Drop off at 8 a.m. and Pick up at 4 p.m.

PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

You may pay online or by phone by credit or debit card, or mail a check. If you send a check, please indicate what camper the money is to be applied toward by listing the camper's first and last name and the camp name and date.

Checks payable to:

Camp Norwesca
79 Camp Norwesca Rd
Chadron, NE 69337

HELPFUL REMINDERS:

- Register early! Camps fill up quickly.
- A confirmation letter will be emailed after the registration is processed. The email includes important camper information. Please provide an active email address in your registration. This is the primary way we will communicate with you leading up to camp.

CANCELED AND TRANSFERRED REGISTRATIONS

All requests to change camps or to cancel registration are subject to an administrative fee of \$20 after May 1st. You will receive a full refund, minus the administrative fee, for cancellations up to 16 days before the camp's start date. Fifty percent refunds, minus the administrative fee, will be granted for cancellations 15 days or less before the camp's start date. There is no refund for no-shows except in cases of illness, injury or a death in the family.



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