



Christian Service Brigade #2047

from the Wesleyan Church of Orchard Park

Tree Climbers

Boys 6 & 7 / Dads

Wed. 7-8:30pm

jim@2047.org

Stockade

Boys 8-12 yrs

Tues. & Wed. 7-8:30pm

www.2047.org

Battalion

Young Men 12-18

Monday 7-8:30pm

Dear Parents,

May 15 - 17 is our Stockarama camping weekend at our camp in Varysburg, New York. Camp Hickory Hill is 40 minutes away and is our CSB Regional camp. The weekend consists of competitions, activities, and a lot of eating.

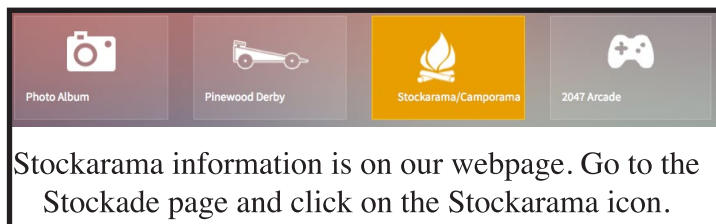
Friday night - Saturday afternoon will be spent competing against other Stockade groups in a variety of activities. Saturday afternoon - Sunday morning will be spent with activities with our Stockade. The Saturday morning competitions normally consist of a sort of Obstacle Course, fire building, etc. Additional weekend activities will involve a lot of eating, ravine hike, games, cooking over a fire, etc.

We'll be sleeping in 2 cabins and tents. Boys can bring their own tent if it is a "dome style tent" and they are familiar with setting it up. Bunks in the cabins are first come first serve. With the smaller group this year we should have no problem fitting most, if not all of the boys inside if that is where they prefer to sleep.

Sunday on our way home from camp we will be stopping at Burger King for lunch. The burger king money should be handed separately so we can keep it in an envelope. The envelopes will be handed out when we arrive at Burger King.

If there are some dad's who would like to join us there is a limited amount of room.

If the budget allows we will be going to and from camp on a rented bus. If the cost is prohibitive we will need assistance from parents with transportation of boys and gear. If you would be willing to drive to camp and/or drive from camp on Sunday, let me know asap.



You can let us know if your boy is attending at Stockade, phone (662-0335), email (jim@2047.org) or by the link on our website (www.2047.org).

The dates and detailed information are below.

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| May 9th - | Deadline to notify Jim about attending (662-0335, jim@2047.org or see me at Stockade) |
| May 12 & 13th - | Money due \$60/boy, \$15/dad (cash, check or credit card. For credit card you need to see Jim) |
| May 15th - 6:15 - | sign in time at the gym. Have all your gear packed AND labeled. It is easiest to have clothes and sleeping bag inside a large plastic bag with the boy's name on the outside. We have a bus to transport us to Stockarama.

Arrive at gym, check in, hand in gear, hand in Burger King Money, listen to instructions. |
| May 17th - | We are leaving camp at approx. 11:00. On the ride home we will be stopping at Burger King. The boy's will receive their fast food money collected on Friday. |
| 12:45 - 1± - | Bus returns to Gym for pick up.. Please be waiting at the gymnasium. |

I need to know on or before Saturday May 9th if your boy will be attending.

Photographs from past Stockaramas are on the website at www.2047.org, select **Stockade**, select **Photo Album**.

Jim Szczodrowski - 662-0335 jim@2047.org

NOTE: Pioneer Girls (Wednesday) end their meetings in a couple weeks. Stockade meets until June 3.

STOCKARAMA CHECK LIST

Don't purchase new or good clothes/gear for this weekend. The basics will do.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Tell Jim I am attending | <input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight (optional but handy) | <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Socks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Sneakers or shoes | <input type="checkbox"/> Heavier type Jacket or Coat | <input type="checkbox"/> Snacks (optional & NOT TOO MUCH) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Clothes | <input type="checkbox"/> Toothbrush, etc. | <input type="checkbox"/> Any Spending Money (Optional) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping Bag/Pillow | <input type="checkbox"/> Hat of some kind (baseball etc.) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Poncho/Rain Coat | <input type="checkbox"/> Tents (Sentinels - Dome) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$60 registration fee |

Please put your boys name on Flashlight, hat, sneakers etc. All the boys things look alike when dirty and laying around! The leaders must be told of any pocket knives brought along.