



# Heritage Christian School

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*A ministry of the Kelowna Christian Center Society*

## Mid-Winter Student Retreat

### Sign & Return This Form

Return to  
Downstairs Office:  
ASAP !!!

Dear Grade 10 - 12 Students and Parents,

Wednesday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016

Nothing quite breaks up winter and the daily grind of school like getting away for a bit! We love retreats at our school because we love school community time!

**February 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>**, our Grade 10-11-12 students will be attending a 2-day, 1-night retreat at Sunnybrae Bible Camp ([www.sunnybrae.ca](http://www.sunnybrae.ca)). The camp is located near Salmon Arm and students will be travelling to the retreat via school busses. Students are not allowed to drive their own vehicles. Also, this year there will be 30 students and chaperones joining us from Halifax Christian Academy!

We will leave HCS on Monday, Feb 15<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am and return Tuesday, Feb 16<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm.

For this event to be possible, however, it requires the participation of each student involved by contributing \$45. **NOTE: families with 2 siblings in Gr 10/11/12 can pay \$60 total.** Please know that we do not want finances to be the reason a student cannot come on this trip. If you would like to discuss this please contact Mr. Kelly.

We are so pleased to announce that AXIS ([www.axis.org](http://www.axis.org)) will be doing the speaking at this retreat. I encourage you to check out their website.

**Parents, I would like to invite you to a free parent meeting put on by AXIS the evening our students get home, Tuesday, Feb 16<sup>th</sup>. This will be here at HCS in the Church Ministry Center from 7pm-8pm and will be followed by a time of Q& A. I've asked AXIS to share on supporting Christian Parents navigate this digital world with their teenagers.**

The purpose of this event is to connect with each other and connect with God in a more intimate way, as well as to share knowledge, and pass down leadership skills for the years ahead. To make this trip as successful as possible, we are requiring that you bring and do not bring the following items:

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## **Bring:**

- Bag Lunch for Monday Bus Ride
- Pillow & Sleeping Bag
- Toiletries, Flashlight
- Bible, Notebook

## **Do Not Bring:**

- Student Vehicles
- Headphones
- Homework

In order to attend this trip, you must provide the following to the Downstairs Front Office:

1. This signed HCS Permission Form
2. Signed Sunnybrae Risk Form & Food Form
3. \$45 or \$60 payment

If you have any comments, questions, concerns, or suggestions, please feel free to email me anytime at [pkelly@heritagechristian.ca](mailto:pkelly@heritagechristian.ca).

Thanks for your support in making this retreat a reality – we are looking forward to a great trip!

Mr. Kelly  
Heritage Christian School

Please fill out the following and return to the Downstairs Front Office.

Consent is given for (Student Name): \_\_\_\_\_ in Gr \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# SUNNYBRAE

BIBLE CAMP AND RETREAT CENTRE



3915 Sunnybrae Canoe Pt. Rd. Tappen, BC V0E 2X1 Tel: 250-835-4596 Fax: 250-835-4583 Email: info@sunnybrae.ca Website: www.sunnybrae.ca

## Risk and Consent Form – School Groups

This Risk and Consent form must be submitted to Sunnybrae Bible Camp upon arrival.  
If this form is not received or not completed by this deadline, your child may be ineligible to participate.

Name of Participant \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School & Trip Dates \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Names \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTIVITIES: All camp activities including but not limited to: Canoeing, Kayaking, Swimming, Basketball, Volleyball, Soccer, Archery, Rifelry, Wilderness Adventure, Horsemanship, Guitar, Rock Climbing, Floor Hockey, Drama, Paintball/Reball, and Crafts.**

My child and I understand the nature and inherent hazards and risks of the intended activities related to the trip, including but not limited to injury or death arising from: participation in camp activities; child's failure to follow instructions of supervisors; communicable illness; and independent acts of third parties not under the control of supervisors. We acknowledge that engaging in these activities may require a degree of skill and knowledge and that my child has responsibilities as a participant. In order to minimize risks to my child or other participants, I will take responsibility to see that my child is prepared for all activities and is in good health before their arrival.

In case of medical emergency, I understand that every reasonable attempt will be made to contact me, or the emergency contact named below. However, in the event that I or my named contact cannot be reached, I give my permission to the school personnel in charge of the School Group Rental to secure emergency medical treatment for my child. I agree to pay for any charges for emergency medical treatment that are not covered by personal health insurance. This acknowledgement applies to the session indicated above.

I acknowledge that there are risks inherent in any children's program and I also recognize that all risks cannot be prevented, and assume those beyond the control of the Camp staff. I have read the above and by signing below I agree it is my intention to have my child participate in various camp activities. I understand and fully accept the risks involved. I also understand that Sunnybrae Bible Camp and Retreat Centre will ensure responsible staff and procedures but is not responsible for any damages to any person or property otherwise caused during the function or event except as a result of any negligence from Sunnybrae Bible Camp and Retreat Centre.

Signature of Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent of Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

# Diet, Allergy, & Food Concerns

*Our kitchen will make every effort, within reason, to accommodate food allergies, concerns, or special dietary needs.*



## Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates on site: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Food Information:

- If you are a *vegetarian*, please check what you **can eat**.

Chicken       Fish       Dairy

- If you have food *allergies*, please list them below.

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- If you have a *special diet*, please describe it below.

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- If you have *food concerns*, please describe them below.

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Would you like to be contacted by our Food Services Manager to further discuss your needs?

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**Further Notes:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Please note that for proper preparation we request all diet, allergy, & food concerns to be submitted **14 days prior to the group's arrival**. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.