



2025 GUIDE

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CAMP TEKO A



IN ASSOCIATION WITH





THE **TEKOA** WAY

Camp Tekoa is built on Christian principles. Everything we do is built around our mission. Every child is valued and belongs here. From the adventure trips off-site to our weekly talent show, we strive to help each camper step into who God is calling them to be. Because we strongly believe in community, camper groups are organized as Family Groups and are led by Family Group Leaders (counselors). At the end of each week these family groups share with one another how they have grown and talk about all the memories they have shared together.

CHRIST-CENTERED

One of the things that makes Camp Tekoa special is our focus on spiritual growth. Each summer we choose a theme from Scripture to support our campers in their walk with God. Each week campers will start the day with a personal devotion time, debrief at activities, have a meeting with our Pastors of the Week, spend time in nightly prayer and enjoy our campfires and candlelight service.



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CAMP MATTERS! NOW MORE THAN EVER



**WE DON'T WANT ANY CHILD TO MISS OUT. LET US KNOW
IF YOU HAVE A NEED. WE WILL WORK TO GET YOU TO CAMP!**

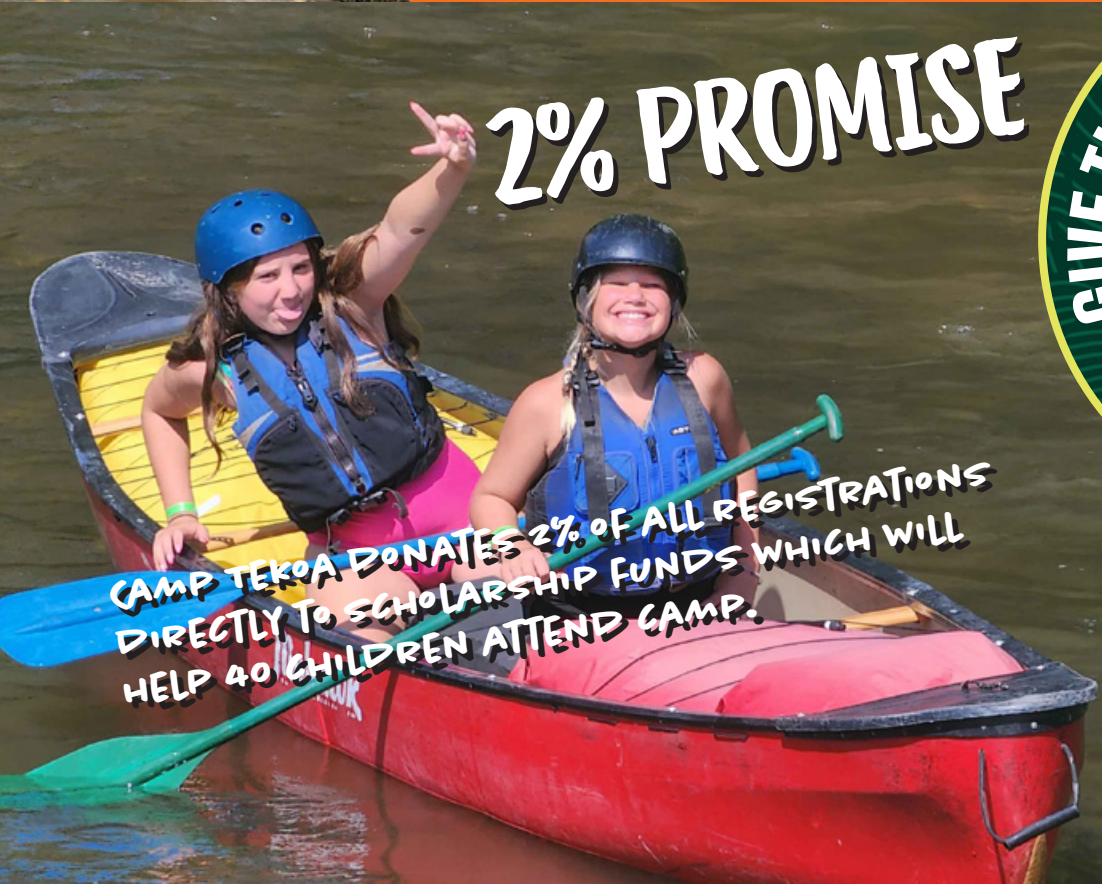


HELENE SCHOLARSHIPS

This year, Tekoa has partnered with our generous donors to make possible 20 full-tuition scholarships for campers that have been severely impacted by Hurricane Helene. We are grateful to be a part of offering a place of fun and healing for our neighbors.

2% PROMISE

**CAMP TEKOA DONATES 2% OF ALL REGISTRATIONS
DIRECTLY TO SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS WHICH WILL
HELP 40 CHILDREN ATTEND CAMP.**



"Effective Camp Project research has demonstrated that camp is more than a simple emotional high that quickly fades. The camp experience has positive and lasting impacts on the participants, and these impacts extend to their families, friends, and church communities. We have been able to measure these lasting impacts in camper self-confidence, leadership, frequency of devotional practices, and understanding faith is relevant to daily life."

- Sacred Playgrounds Research

"Thank you so much for the opportunity my son experienced and the scholarship award. I am so pleased he was surrounded by faith and Christianity."

-Parent of Scholarship Recipient



We want to offer the Tekoa experience to as many children as possible.

Would you be willing to donate a camp experience to a child? Give to our scholarship fund:

camptekoa.org/giving



OVERNIGHT CAMPS

Experience traditional camp cabin living. These camps operate mostly on-site and are packed with fun, adventure, and creativity!

MINI CAMP

7-9 yr old • Sun-Wed / Wed-Sat

Mini Camp is a perfect way to begin your overnight experience! These short sessions give you a taste of everything.

*Arts and Crafts / Lake Zipline
Swimming / Campfire and S'mores*

ELEMENTARY

8-11 yr old • Sun- Sat

Elementary TKO is the classic camp experience. Campers will have the thrill of a zipline, swim in our lake, and experience our talent show and campfires.

*Slip-n-Slide / Paddle-boating / Arts & Crafts
Lake Zipline / Swimming / Campfire & S'mores*

MIDDLE SCHOOL

11-14 yr old • Sun- Sat

Middle School TKO will challenge campers with new adventures, going off-site to nearby waterfalls and on-site camping in shelters for one night.

*Slip 'N Slide / Swamp Canoes / Lake Zipline
Pisgah Waterfall Hopping / Swimming / Camp Out*

HIGH SCHOOL

14-17 yr old • Sun- Sat

High School TKO offers the best of all we offer on-site at Tekoa. Campers travel on a whitewater rafting trip and support our community with a local service project.

*Arts & Crafts / Swamp Canoes / Big Zipline & Vertical
Playground / Swimming / Campout / White Water
Rafting Trip / Service Project / High Ropes*

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DAY CAMPS

Monday - Friday
8:00-4:30

ELEMENTARY

DAY CAMP 6-8 yr old*

*Zipline / Swimming
Boating / Arts and Crafts
Slip 'N Slide*

**Must have completed kindergarten*

ADVENTURE

DAY CAMP 9-11 yr old

*Lake Zipline / Swimming
Boating / Water and Field Games
Slip-n-Slide
Weekly Adventure Trips*

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BARNABAS CAMP

18+ Yr Old

Our Barnabas camp for special needs adults is a highlight each summer. Campers will be paired with a special friend and participate in all camp activities including the Zipline, Arts and Crafts and some special off-site trips. Monday - Saturday



MIDDLE SCHOOL

Ages 12-14



HIGH SCHOOL

Ages 14-17 (ALL COED)

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

BREAKOUT! Coed

Rising 6th Graders Only
Late Night Zipline
Waterfall Hopping
Whitewater Rafting

CASCADE All Girls

Waterfall Hopping / Tubing
Horseback Riding
Stand-Up Paddle Boarding

EXPLORER All Girls

Whitewater Rafting / Tubing / Caving
Pisgah Adventure "Views & Waterfalls"

JOURNEY All Girls

Backpacking / Waterfall Hopping
Caving / Horseback Riding

LEAP!! Coed

Ziplines / High Ropes
Climbing Tower & Leap of Faith
Rock Climbing / Vertical Playground
Waterfall Hopping

OVERBOARD! All Boys

Whitewater Canoeing
Stand-Up Paddle Boarding
Fishing Campout / Waterfall Hopping

SURVIVOR Coed

Tribal Challenges / High Ropes
Big Zipline / Primitive Living
Tower & Leap of Faith

VOYAGE Coed

Caving / Whitewater Rafting
Riverside Camping
Inflatable Kayaking / Riverside Camping

WATER ADVENTURE Coed

Stand-Up Paddle Boarding
and Cook Out
Tubing / Waterfall Hopping
Whitewater Canoeing

QUEST (NEW)

This brand new adventure camp will give Elementary campers their first taste of Tekoa Adventures!

Co-ed, Elementary
Ziplining / Rockclimbing
Paddle Boarding

AMAZING RACE

Travel off-site in this exciting competition trip camp that combines elements of our popular Survivor camp with new off-site adventures!

BLITZ!

Rising 9th Grade Only
Stand-Up Paddle Boarding
Rock Climbing / Mountain Biking
Caving / High Ropes

EXPEDITION

Caving / Backpacking
Flatwater Canoeing and Campout

EXPEDITION EXTREME!

Ages 15-17 (Two Weeks)
Stand-Up Paddle Boarding
Rock Climbing
Whitewater Canoeing
Horseback Riding
Scuba Diving / Mountain Biking
Backpacking / Caving

RIVER RUNNERS

Tubing / Inflatable Kayaking
Whitewater Rafting
Stand-Up Paddle Boarding
Canoeing / Riverside Camping

SURVIVOR

Tower & Leap of Faith / Tribal Challenges
Primitive Living / High Ropes / Big Zipline

ULTIMATE CHALLENGE

Backpacking / Rockclimbing
Stand-Up Paddle Boarding

WATER ADVENTURE

Two Trips of Whitewater Canoeing
Whitewater Kayaking
Flatwater Canoe and Camp Out



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WEEK 1 JUNE 2-6
Elem., Adventure

WEEK 2 JUNE 9-13
Elem., Adventure

WEEK 3 JUNE 16-20
Elem., Adventure

WEEK 4 JUNE 23-27
Elem., Adventure

WEEK 5 JUNE 30-JULY 4
No Camp This Week

WEEK 6 JULY 7-11
Elem., Adventure

WEEK 7 JULY 14-18
Elem., Adventure

WEEK 8 JULY 21-25
Elem., Adventure

WEEK 9 JULY 28-AUG. 1
Elem., Adventure



WEEK 1 JUNE 1-7
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO

WEEK 2 JUNE 8-14
Elem. Mini
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO

WEEK 3 JUNE 15-21
Elem. Mini
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO

WEEK 4 JUNE 22-28
Elem. Mini
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO

WEEK 5 JUNE 29-JULY 5
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO
Barnabas (Mon.-Sat.)

WEEK 6 JULY 6-12
Elem. Mini
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO

WEEK 7 JULY 13-19
Elem. Mini
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO

WEEK 8 JULY 20-26
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO

WEEK 9 JULY 27-AUG. 2
Elementary TKO
Middle School TKO
High School TKO



WEEK 1 JUNE 1-7
Breakout! (rising 6th graders)
Cascade (MS)
Explorer (MS)
Quest (Elem)
Survivor (MS)
Water Adventure (MS)

WEEK 2 JUNE 8-14
Amazing Race (HS)
Breakout! (rising 6th graders)
Quest (Elem)
Survivor (MS)
Voyage (MS)
Water Adventure (HS)

WEEK 3 JUNE 15-21
Breakout! (rising 6th graders)
Cascade (MS)
Quest (Elem)
Survivor (MS)
Ultimate Challenge (HS)
Water Adventure (HS)

WEEK 4 JUNE 22-28
Breakout! (rising 6th graders)
Expedition (HS)
Expedition Extreme (2-Ex) (HS)
Explorer (MS All Girls)
Overboard (MS All Boy)
Survivor (HS)

WEEK 5 JUNE 29-JULY 5
Expedition (HS)
Quest (Elem)
Survivor (MS)
Voyager (MS)
Water Adventure (MS)

WEEK 6 JULY 6-12
Blitz (rising 9th graders)
Leap (MS)
Quest (Elem)
River Runners (HS)
Survivor (HS)
Water Adventure (MS)

WEEK 7 JULY 13-19
Breakout! (rising 6th graders)
Quest (Elem)
Survivor (MS)
Ultimate Challenge (HS)
Voyage (MS)
Water Adventure (MS)

WEEK 8 JULY 20-26
Blitz (rising 9th graders)
Breakout! (rising 6th graders)
Leap (MS)
River Runners (HS)
Survivor (MS)
Water Adventure (MS)

WEEK 9 JULY 27-AUG. 2
Breakout! (rising 6th graders)
Cascade (MS)
Journey (MS)
Quest (Elem)
River Runners (HS)
Survivor (MS)

2025
RATES

DAY CAMPS

Day Camp **\$365**
Adv Day Camp **\$425**

OVERNIGHT CAMPS

Mini Camp **\$400**
Elementary TKO **\$780**
MS TKO **\$810**
HS TKO **\$825**
Barnabas **\$780**

MIDDLE SCHOOL ADVENTURE CAMPS

Breakout! **\$910**
Cascade **\$940**
Explorer **\$940**
Journey **\$925**
Leap! **\$915**
Overboard! **\$985**
Survivor **\$880**
Voyage **\$960**
Water Adventure **\$940**

HIGH SCHOOL ADVENTURE CAMPS

Amazing Race **\$995**
Blitz **\$940**
Expedition **\$995**
Expedition Extreme (2X) **\$1995**
River Runners **\$965**
Survivor **\$880**
Ultimate Challenge **\$975**
Water Adventure **\$975**

ELEMENTARY ADVENTURE CAMP

Quest **\$850 NEW!**

SCHOLARSHIPS

If you have a financial need, please apply on our website for scholarship support. We want any child that wishes to have the Tekoa experience to be able to attend camp.

LEADERS IN TRAINING LIT

We believe the best possible way to grow into a staff member at Tekoa is to participate in our LIT program. You will have one week of training and three weeks of service. Experiences include leading devotions, guiding games and serving behind the scenes at Tekoa.



JOIN OUR STAFF

**Are you ready
for the next step?**

You can join our paid staff after high school. Or become an LIT after your junior year. We hire college age students who love God and love working with youth and children outdoors.

APPLY ONLINE: CAMPTEKOA.ORG

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

How to Register:

Online at CampTekoa.org
If complete payment is not made when you register, a \$150.00 deposit is required and the balance must be paid in full by May 1st, 2025. If registering after May 1st the balance must be paid in full at the time of registration.

Required Forms

All waivers are due within 3 weeks of initial registration. Download waivers & forms from website and mail to:

Camp Tekoa
PO Box 1793
Flat Rock, NC 28731
fax: 828.697.3288

- Health History form is included in the online registration process
- Other forms as required for specific camps - i.e. Barnabas waivers

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“Camp Tekoa is a very calming and spiritual place for families to share a quiet, meaningful and fun time together in retreat. Camp Tekoa is also a very spiritual atmosphere for youth or adult weekend retreats. It has been a place to experience God and his grace for our church and family for over 40 years.”
- Bruce, Cokesbury UMC

Camp Tekoa offers all you need for your next retreat! With an extraordinary amount of adventures on site and countless offsite possibilities, Camp Tekoa is the perfect spot for your group.

Check out our rope swing over the lake, multiple ziplines, and 40-foot climbing tower. We have a full-size field, 3 acre lake, open air pavillion and plenty of hiking trails. We can accommodate groups ranging from 20-300 in our many clean and accomodating lodges and cabins.

Retreat at Tekoa!

