

# Wegese gum Camp Week 2018

Do you remember the first time someone inspired you to think about what you could be or do in this life? How far you could go? How big you could dream? How high you could climb?

When kids go to camp, they explore, observe, practice, and learn. They find and develop faith. They gain confidence, courage, and the passion to try. They build friendships, trust and self-esteem.

It doesn't matter how special their needs, how broken their homes, how different their beliefs, or the colour of their skin. **At camp kids are kids.**

They get inspired, motivated, and moved.

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They learn responsibility, independence, respect, and how to work as a team. **At camp kids are kids.**

Camps lay the foundation, provide support, and enable growth, as they teach life lessons, celebrate achievement, and keep kids on the right path. **At camp kids are kids.**



For over 50 years Green Hill has made a difference one guest at a time by showing the path, leading the way, and letting campers flourish.

**This summer let's work to see more  
kids from our communities  
experience the thrill of camp!**

## Quick info at a glance:

- ➔ Summer camp location would be Camp Wegese gum.
- ➔ Dates: July 15-20, 2018.
- ➔ For: Children ages 9-12.
- ➔ Camp staff and program would be provided and directed by Green Hill Lake Camp.
- ➔ Maximum number of campers: 65.
- ➔ Registration fee per child: \$289 (+ hst).



Residential summer camp is a terrific growing experience for kids – their week will be packed full of a lifetime of memories! It's also expensive – meeting industry standards, parental expectations, not to mention the expectations of kids – comes with a price. Our "bare bones" budget to provide staff, food service, programming, administrative support, insurance, and facilities support, comes in just under \$21,000.

Green Hill Lake Camp Inc. is a not-for-profit / charitable organization. While we have the staff, experience and time to operate a week of summer camp for the regions' kids, we do not have the financial resources. Simply "hoping" parents will recognize the value of a summer camp experience, and register their kids, is not a risk we are able to take. Figuratively speaking, *the money has to be in the bank*.



## **The Plan:**

*Local Churches // Businesses // Schools // Community Organizations*

For this summer camp venture to get off the ground we need local churches and businesses to step up and provide scholarships. When the finances have been committed we will then need local schools and community organizations to award camp scholarships to worthy students.

*Question:* Can individual families register their kids, and pay the fee without going through the scholarship process? **Yes.**

## **The Process:**

- 1.) Local churches and businesses will be asked to consider providing the financial resources for scholarships. Time period: 3 months (Over the next 2 weeks, letters will be delivered to local churches and businesses.)
- 2.) A response form including a 10% deposit will need to be received by Green Hill Lake Camp by February 1, 2018. Cost for one scholarship: \$335.00

*Questions:*



- (1) Is there a minimum or maximum number of scholarships any one individual church or business can contribute? **No.**
- (2) Are gifts tax deductible? **Yes.** We encourage all interested donors to contribute towards local churches and other groups to scholarship gifts.

(3) When will the full scholarship amount be required? **June 1, 2018.**

(4) Could a church or business pay their contribution over a period of months? **Yes.**  
Contact our office – we can make it work!

- 3.) Local schools & community organizations will be asked to provide Green Hill with the basic criteria they plan to employ to distribute their camp scholarships by March 1, 2018.
- 4.) Student recipients will be required to fill out a camp registration form and pass it into the organization, through which the scholarship was given, by May 15, 2018.
- 5.) Once the awarding organization has received all of their camper registration forms they will send them to the Green Hill office (by June 15, 2018).



### Church & Group Response Card

**Name of Church:**

**Contact Person:**

**Contact Number:**

**Anticipated Number of Scholarships:**


**Deposit:**  Attached.


Forthcoming.  Invoice Us.

**Comments?**

Please forward completed form to:

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