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## ***Molding Christian Character***

*Summer Youth Camp • Retreats • Quality Programming  
Team Building • Climbing Wall • High Ropes Course*

## 2018 OVERNIGHT RETREAT DETAILS

### **Dates:**

We are available for retreats from March through mid-May and then again, from mid-August through mid-November. We run our own summer camp program from late-May through mid-August, so we are not available for outside retreats during those months. (We close down our housing facility for the winter months of December, January, and February but the cafeteria/gym/outdoor fields are available during this time for day groups.) Please contact us if you would like to discuss dates, keeping in mind that the **fall retreat season books 9-12 months out!**

### **Tentative Rates for 2017:**

We can add or subtract a meal here or there to custom-make your retreat. These rates include housing, meals, the use of the grounds, and your choice of two activities facilitated by the MCC team. Here is an idea of a shorter and longer retreat cost:

- One night, three meals - \$69 per person
- Two nights, five meals - \$114 per person

### **Numbers Attending - Capacity:**

Because our facility does not have separate meetings rooms, we only have one lease group in attendance at any time. This means that the group in attendance has the use of the complete grounds. For this reason, we ask for the groups to pay for a minimum of 50 people for a one-night retreat, or a minimum of 40 persons for a two-night retreat. Some churches or groups will choose to join up with another group in order to reach the minimum.

### **Housing:**

Our regular cabin buildings have a total of 144 beds (usually 72 beds for girls plus 72 beds for guys). There are 12 beds per room (6 sets of bunk beds). These cabins have sinks and mirrors in the bedrooms. Two cabins of 12 each share a bathroom, consisting of 2 showers and 2 bathrooms. (Additional housing of 44 more beds is available, depending on the time of year and weather.) We also have 2 motel units available (for your speakers, leadership, or a special need). These rooms consist of one double OR queen bed, AND a set of bunk beds. Motel units are available for no *extra* fee. Rates are "per person."

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### **Food Service:**

Due to health department regulations, we are unable to allow outside groups use our kitchen facilities. For this reason, all meals are provided by MCC staff. And we get compliments on our food! We serve family style. This means that the food is on each table (tables for 8) in serving dishes, hot, at the time you schedule for your meal. We recommend that all guests are present at the meal start time, instead of people coming and going during the meal timeframe since we do **not** have a serving/buffet line.

We do not offer a menu for the group leader to choose from, but if you have a favorite or a strong dislike, we can certainly take that into consideration as we plan your retreat menu. A breakfast example would be biscuits, sausage, eggs, hash browns, instant oatmeal, fruit, yogurt, granola bars, (jelly/butter), cereal, milk, coffee, juice. A lunch example would may be chicken tenders, fries, fruit, salad bar, dessert, tea/lemonade/ water. A supper example might be chicken fajitas, flour tortillas, tortilla chips, nacho cheese, Spanish rice, (shredded cheese, lettuce, sour cream salsa), salad bar, dessert, cool aid, tea, water, ice.

At the end of the first meal, a MCC staff member will demonstrate the “clean up process.” It’s fairly simple but helps our team clean up quicker and allows us to keep staffing costs down (thus, keeping retreat costs down). It works well in our own summer camp programming as well.

### **Activities:**

Included in the overnight retreat rate are two activity options that MCC staff will facilitate for you (if desired). Activity options are: 48 foot climbing wall, team building activities, large group games, and/or blob & water obstacle course at lakefront (available in season only). MCC will work with you to arrange them into your schedule and try to find timeframes that work for you as well as our team. This will take place during the contract process. Other activities the retreat groups can facilitate themselves are: 9 Square in the Air, soft-ball field (limited equipment on site), outdoor sand volleyball, gaga pit, arena soccer, tetherball, playground, canoes and paddleboats on the waterfront, 9-Hole Disc Golf, outdoor swimming pool (in season), gymnasium (includes basketball, volleyball, foosball, carpet ball, ping pong, etc.), chapel area with stage, couch area in cafeteria and fireplace, three campfire area options, and more! All facilities, in season, are included in the per-person cost.

### **Booking:**

If your group and Merriwood both decide on a working date, Merriwood will send you a contract and facility use agreement so we can best prepare for your needs. When you return the contract and \$400 non-refundable deposit, your date will be confirmed. Your deposit will be deducted from the total. The balance amount is due during your retreat time with us. MCC prefers checks, to avoid high credit card fees.

Please call Hannah Baucom at Merriwood at 336-766-5151 or 336-909-5741 (mobile) if you have any questions or would like to check on some potential dates. We look forward to hearing from you! You may also email Hannah at [office@campmerriwood.net](mailto:office@campmerriwood.net)

### **Summer Camp:**

For information about our summer camp program, for rising 1<sup>st</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> graders, please check our website at [www.campmerriwood.net](http://www.campmerriwood.net).