

# Camper Guide

## Camp Henry ~ Day Camp, 2010

Camp Henry provides life changing experiences for all in a Christian environment.  
"Changing the world one person at a time!"

### Welcome!

We are excited to welcome you as a camper this summer! We are determined to make this summer one of the best ever. The summer staff, made up of lots of returning staff members from last year as well as some amazing new folks, are already counting down the days until we can greet you at Camp Henry! Our goal is for every camper this summer to:

- Have a TON of fun!
- Try something new.
- Experience God's love.
- Help make the world a better place.

### Pick up/Drop off

The camp week for day camp runs Monday through Friday, from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm.

#### For parents bringing their child to camp...

- **Drop off:** Please bring your child to the Nicely Activity Center between 9:00 am and 9:30 am.
- **Pick up:** Please pick up your child at the Nicely Activity Center between 3:30 pm and 4:00 pm.

#### For parents using transportation from Grand Rapids...

- **Drop off:** Please bring your child to Westminster Presbyterian Church between 8:00 am and 8:30 am.
- **Pick up:** Please pick up your child at Westminster Presbyterian Church between 4:30 pm and 5:00 pm.

**In compliance with Michigan State Law, Camp Henry requires all children under the age of eight and shorter than 4 feet 9 inches tall, to be securely fastened in a child safety seat.**

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As you read through this Camper Guide, we hope that you will begin to get excited about your stay at Camp Henry.



We can hardly wait to see you this summer!



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### Forms, Forms, Forms:

- Final Payments are due at the Grand Rapids office 15 business days before you arrive at camp.
- Health Forms need to be completed and returned to the Grand Rapids office 15 business days before you arrive at camp.

### Camper Checklist: what to bring to camp what to leave at home

#### Necessary Items

- Clothing (as weather dictates)
- Bug Spray
- Sunscreen
- Swim Suit
- Beach Towel
- Rain gear

#### Optional Items

- Camera

#### Please DO NOT bring

- Cell Phone, Radio, Money
- Food, Pop, Ipods, Gameboys
- Grumpy Soup
- Weapons, Fireworks
- Alcohol, Cigarettes, Drugs

**Please mark all items with camper's name.**

All **camper medication** must be given in its original container at check-in to either the Health Director at Camp Henry, or to a staff member at the Grand Rapids drop-off site.

Please ask a Day Camp staff member if you are interested in purchasing Camp Henry gear.



## Contact Information:

Camp Henry Administrative Office  
Westminster Presbyterian Church  
47 Jefferson Ave SE  
Grand Rapids, MI 49503  
(616) 459.2267

Need to get in touch with the Summer Camp Director—or are you just curious about how your camper is doing? Send me an email—I would love to hear from you:

[jake@camphenry.org](mailto:jake@camphenry.org)

## Information for parents:

**Lost and Found:** Camp Henry can not be responsible for the mound of articles left behind at Camp. Any items that are not picked up within ten (10) days will be donated to a local charity.



**How to Reach Campers and Camp:** Beyond emergencies, campers are not allowed to use the telephones at camp. However, if your child has a concern and wants to call home, a staff member will be certain to call home to check in with the camper's parents. In case of an emergency, parents can contact Camp at (231) 652-6472 ext. 6

**Questions?:** Please don't hesitate to call us at (616) 459.CAMP (2267)

## Getting to camp:

5575 Gordon Avenue, Newaygo, MI 49337



### From Fremont:

Leave M82 at the east side of town at the 4-way stop and travel straight on Main (48th Street) 6 miles to Centerline Road. Turn right on Centerline and then turn right again right away onto Gordon Avenue and travel 1 mile south to the second Camp Henry entrance, the **Nicely Activity Center** is the first right at the top of a wooded, winding hill.

### From Newaygo:

At the north side of Newaygo, turn left at the light on the north side of the bridge over the Muskegon River (M82). Take the first right onto Old M37. Take the first left on 68th Street (west). Travel one mile to Gordon Avenue and turn right. Travel north on Gordon Avenue for 1.6 miles to the **Camp Henry Nicely Center** entrance on the left before the wooded, winding hill.

### In case of an Emergency:

In case of a family emergency, parents can contact Camp at (231) 652-6472 ext. 10.

In case of a camper's illness or injury parents will be notified by camp staff.

In the rare event that pick up or drop off times at camp change, Camp Henry staff will notify the parents of the campers effected.

