

Dear Parents,

We are anticipating another great year at **PowerTime Camp!** PowerTime is a disciple-making ministry of the South Atlantic District of the Christian and Missionary Alliance.

Camp will be **June 14-19** at Camp Bob Cooper in Summerton, SC. The cost for camp this year is **\$195.00** for all campers. Please complete your registration form and return it along with a \$100 deposit to Pastor Joe before May 7th. Space is limited, so get your child registered early!

Check-in at camp begins at 2:00pm, Monday June 14th. Camp ends Saturday at 9:00am. Roommate preference will be granted if possible. However, we are unable to pair together campers who are attending different camps (age groups). Telephone use is permitted only in case of emergency and a counselor must be present. If you desire for your child to call home to let you know he/she has arrived safely, please send a note for the counselor. In the event of an emergency you may call the camp at 1-803-478-2105, or you may contact Paul Titus, the camp director at 336-414-5900.

Receiving mail at camp is a highlight for every camper! To send your child a letter, mail it to:

Robert M. Cooper 4-H Leadership Center
(child's name and camp: primary, junior, middle, senior)
8001 M.W. Rickenbaker Rd.
Summerton, SC 29148

Please make sure to provide all medical information as requested on the registration form. Should you have any health-related questions, please contact the camp director, or you may e-mail the camp nurse, Judy Garner, at zggarner2@juno.com.

If your child has been diagnosed with ADD or ADHD, we require that all medications be sent with him or her so that the week may be more enjoyable for everyone. The camp nurse will dispense ALL medications, unless she determines the child is old enough to keep and take his or her own medication. Please see the second page of the individual registration form for more information.

Primary/Junior campers have the snack bar fee included in their \$195.00 fee. Middle and Senior campers will need cash for the snack bar. The only other money needed is for the missions offering.

If discipline problems arise it may be necessary for a child's parents to arrange immediate transportation home. These cases are extremely rare, but our goal is to have a fun, safe, and uplifting week of camp. We also want to emphasize that modest clothing is a must. This means NO spaghetti strap shirts, NO shirts showing off the mid-section, and NO two-piece swimsuits. Please see the next page for a detailed list of what to bring and what not to bring.

Our prayer is for a great week of camp where Jesus Christ is exalted and kids grow in their love for Him. We trust that you will pray for the Lord to pour out His blessing.

All for Jesus,

Rev. Paul Titus

Director of PowerTime Camp camp@sadcma.org 336-414-5900 (cell)

SPECIAL INFORMATION

(Camp coordinators please make this information available to your campers and parents)

What to Bring

Comfortable clothes	Sneakers	Modest one-piece swimsuit	Towel
Bible, notebook, pen	Sunscreen (!)	Medications you need	
Linens/sleeping bag	Pillow	Toiletries	
Money for missionary offering	Bug Spray	Money for snacks (Jr./Sr. High only)	

What NOT to Bring

Snacks	Items for pranks	Immodest clothing (see parent letter)
*** Fireworks	*** Cigarettes	*** Illegal drugs / misused prescription drugs
Portable music or gaming devices		*** Sexually explicit material
*** Weapons	Cell Phones	

***** Campers found with these items are subject to being sent home, and the proper authorities will be notified as required. Campers will also be sent home for repeated rebellious behavior, for initiating inappropriate sexual contact, for leaving the camp grounds, for going off alone unsupervised, or for other dangerous behavior, at the discretion of the Camp Director.**

Pranks

We know pranks can seem like a lot of fun. At the same time, they are sometimes intimidating to some campers, and they can be dangerous to both people and property. They almost always detract from the spiritual atmosphere of camp. In addition, pranks can escalate, as people and cabins try to “get back at” one another, leading to more serious situations. *Several of last year’s campers will not be returning in 2010 due to participation in dangerous pranks. Please understand that we are serious about protecting the safety of our campers. Thanks for your cooperation in this.*

Roommate Preferences

We will make every effort to accommodate roommate requests. However, please note that in certain cases, large groups of campers from the same church often result in difficult decisions. The typical cabin holds about 12 campers. So if a church sends, say, 10 senior high girls and they all room together, then there will be two girls in the cabin from other churches who may end up feeling very left out. Similarly, if a church sends 14 or 15 senior high girls, then the two or three girls from that church who don’t get to room with the others will end up in the same situation. For this reason, we sometimes will split larger groups into 2 or 3 different cabins.

All requests for a change in cabin assignment MUST be approved through the appropriate age-group director. Any campers who attempt to change cabin rosters or move to a different cabin without this approval will forfeit their opportunity to be considered for a change! Please make sure your campers understand this! Church coordinators who would like to “pre-divide” their group are advised to contact the Director, Rev. Paul Titus, before June 7th. He may be reached at 336-249-4493 (church), 336-414-5900 (cell) or at camp@sadcma.org. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.