



# Camp Barakel 2018

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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**January 5-7** Teen Retreat for Groups | College/Career  
**January 12-14** Teen Retreat for Groups | Father/Son Retreat  
**January 19-21** Teen Retreat for Groups | Father/Son Retreat  
**January 26-28** Teen Retreat for Groups | Father/Son Retreat  
**February 2-4** Teen Retreat for Groups  
**February 9-11** Teen Retreat for Groups  
**February 16-18** Teen Retreat for Groups | Father/Daughter Retreat  
**February 23-25** Teen Retreat for Groups  
**March 2-4** Teen Retreat for Groups



*Winter*

**April 20-21** Co-Labor Challenge Work Weekend  
**May 4-5** Co-Labor Challenge Work Weekend  
**May 11-12** Co-Labor Challenge Work Weekend  
**May 18-20** Mother/Daughter Retreat | Men's Retreat  
**May 22-24** Spring Plant and Prep Days  
**May 25-28** Memorial Day Family Camp



*Spring*

**May 30-June 3** Summer Staff Workshop  
**June 4-8** HIS-ability Camp  
**June 9-18** Summer Staff Workshop  
**June 19-25** Junior, grades 4-6 | Junior High, grades 7-9  
**June 26-July 2** Junior, grades 3-5 | Junior High, grades 7-9  
**July 3-9** Junior, grades 4-6 | Junior High, grades 7-9  
**July 10-16** Junior, grades 3-5 | Junior High, grades 7-9  
**July 17-23** Middle School, grades 6-8 | Senior High, grades 10-12  
**July 24-30** Junior, grades 4-6 | Junior High, grades 7-9  
**July 31-August 6** Junior, grades 4-6 | Junior High, grades 7-9  
**August 7-13** Middle School, grades 6-8 | Senior High, grades 10-12  
**August 13-18** Lifeguard Class and Cleaning Days



*Summer*

**August 31-Sept. 3** Labor Day Family Camp  
**September 14-16** Married Couples Retreat | Father/Son Retreat  
**September 21-23** Ladies Retreat | Father/Daughter Retreat  
**September 28-30** Ladies Retreat  
**October 5-7** Ladies Retreat  
**October 12-14** Fall Men's Retreat  
**October 19-21** Fall Men's Retreat  
**October 26-27** Lumberjack Work Weekend  
**October 30** Annual Meeting



*Fall*



## Join the extended Barakel family!

*Each year, more than a thousand volunteer positions are filled by friends of Camp Barakel who are eager to join in the ministry. Did you know about these additional volunteer opportunities?*

- In the spring, hundreds of volunteers come to rake leaves, clean, and spread woodchips on the paths. (We call it the Co-Labor challenge).
- Each summer week, four healthcare workers (nurses and/or doctors) dispense medications and provide care.
- All of our camp buildings are built and maintained by volunteer labor. People in the building trades, like electricians and plumbers, are always a blessing!
- We're always on the lookout for volunteer mechanics who keep our pickup trucks and golf carts running strong!
- With more than 8,000 guests each year, the dining halls are always busy. Adults volunteer to help in our kitchens or lend a hand washing dishes during each of our 50+ events.

# CAMP BARAKEL

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## 2018 Schedule of Events

 Look us up on Facebook and join the conversation.



## Can't get enough Barakel?

Season-long volunteer opportunities are available for adults 18 years old and up (even way up — retirees are welcome)! In addition to hosting weekend retreats alongside our Resident Missionary Staff, we're eager to see how your unique skills and talents can be put to work on season-long projects. We'll provide housing and many meals throughout the fall, winter, and spring seasons. For more information, contact [Serve@CampBarakel.org](mailto:Serve@CampBarakel.org).