

Notice

Date: September 7, 2023

To: The following leaders in the United States and Canada: Stake Young Women Leaders, including Camp Specialists; Stake Young Men Leaders, including Camp Specialists; Bishoprics and Branch Presidencies; Aaronic Priesthood Quorum Advisers and Specialists; Ward Young Women Leaders, including Camp Specialists; Camp Managers and Camp Schedulers

Copies: General Authorities; General Officers; Stake Presidencies; Directors for Temporal Affairs; Meetinghouse Facilities Department Employees

From: Priesthood and Family Department (1-801-240-2590)

Subject: Recreation Camp 2024 Season Priority Schedule



The 2024 season priority schedule for the United States and Canada camp reservations is being changed in order to give priority to larger stake groups, increase accessibility for Young Men groups, and add stake youth combined activities into the schedule. Recreation camps can now be used for youth conferences, but doing so is not expected or required. In accordance with these changes, camps will now be referred to as “youth camps” rather than “Young Women camps.”

After youth groups have an opportunity to schedule stake and ward camps, the use of the properties by other Church organizations is encouraged. The primary purpose of recreational properties is not for family reunions or other non-Church activities. Members are only able to reserve the camps for family or personal use if there are remaining reservation slots available after all the needs of official Church programs are met.

Units can start placing reservations on September 25, 2023 at camping.ChurchofJesusChrist.org. The new priority schedule can be found in the attached enclosure or on the website. Leaders are encouraged to explore the website before their assigned registration week in order to look at different campsites and plan which camps and dates they will try to book during their assigned week.

Camp managers and camp schedulers facilitate operations and reservations at each recreational property. Names and contact information are provided on the property’s page. If you have questions about campgrounds or reservations, please contact the volunteers assigned to the specific property you are planning to visit.

Recreational Camp 2024 Season Priority Schedule

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The priority registration schedule is set by the Priesthood and Family Department to ensure the camps are used for their primary purpose: Young Women and Young Men camping. The schedule below indicates when each group can start making reservations. Area Seventies (as designated by the Area Presidency) may assign stakes to a Church-owned camp in the area based on stake needs and the proximity and use of such properties. The system will become available at 8:00 a.m. mountain time on the given date.

Date	Who Can Make Reservations
September 25:	Stake Young Women presidencies may make reservation to their <i>assigned</i> camp.
October 2:	Stake Young Men presidencies may make reservations to their <i>assigned</i> camp.
October 9:	Stake Young Women presidencies may make reservations to <i>any</i> camp.
October 16:	Stake Young Men presidencies may make reservations to <i>any</i> camp.
October 23:	Stake combined youth presidencies may make reservations to their <i>assigned</i> camp.
October 30:	Stake combined youth presidencies may make reservations to <i>any</i> camp.
November 6:	Ward Young Women presidencies may make reservations to their <i>assigned</i> camp.

- November 13: Bishoprics and Priesthood Quorum Advisors may make reservations for Aaronic Priesthood quorums to their *assigned* camp.
- November 20: Ward Young Women presidencies may make reservations to *any* camp.
- November 27: Bishoprics and Priesthood Quorum Advisors may make reservations for Aaronic Priesthood quorums to *any* camp.
- December 4: The presidency of any stake or ward organization may make reservations to their *assigned* camp.
- December 11: The presidency of any stake or ward organization may make reservations to *any* camp.
- December 18: All Church members, including families, may make reservations to their *assigned* camp.
- December 26: All Church members, including families, may make reservations to *any* camp.