

**This was the first time ever my children have spent more than 1 or 2 nights away from home without us. They came home telling us all about the fun they had and didn't stop talking for the whole drive home. Having a friend with them was helpful. They both want to come back next year.**

# Camp of the Rising Son

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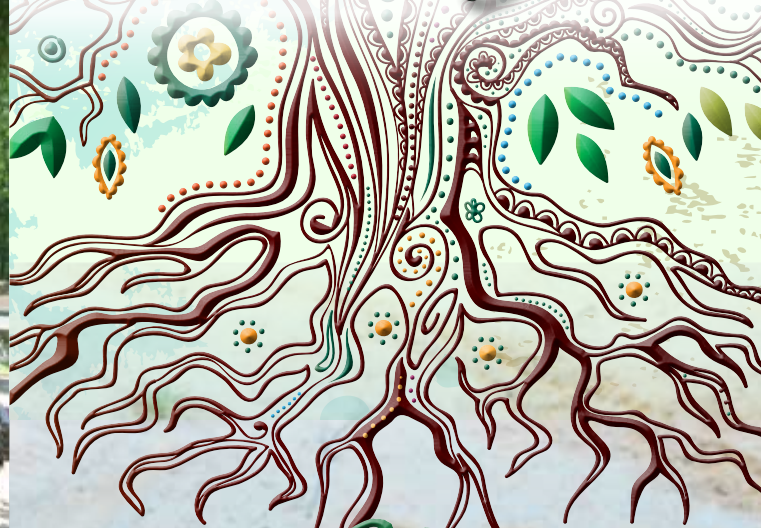
**FRENCH CAMP**  
ACADEMY  
*One Fine Place*

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**My camper had so much fun, it was his first experience at a weeklong camp and he cannot wait to go back next year.**

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Camp of the Rising Son is a Christ-centered summer camp for youth ages 6-17 committed to sharing the life-changing love of Christ through creation, relationship, and fun. Located just off the historic Natchez Trace Parkway in French Camp, MS, it is nestled on over 300 acres of scenic woodlands and beautiful Lake Ann.

For over 35 years, thousands of campers have come from all over the country to experience a week of life-changing fun! At CRS campers

- Unplug from technology and engage creation hands on
- Make new friends
- Take risks and experience adventures in a safe environment
- Build character and grow confidence
- Discover and explore
- Learn new skills that will serve them lifelong
- Make lasting memories

The Chiefs create the special moments of camp, pouring into the lives of their campers, teaching them while living out their own relationship with Christ; therefore, we take very seriously our responsibility to recruit, hire, and train the best, caring Christian young men and women to serve as our chiefs. Each chief is carefully screened through an extensive application, interview, references, and background check. At the beginning of the summer we conduct a 9 day staff training to prepare our staff by educating them and investing in them spiritually.



**Our daughter could not stop talking about how much fun she had!**

Safety is top priority at CRS. It is a privilege to be entrusted with the care of your child and an obligation to which we are completely committed. Camp of the Rising Son strives to consistently exceed the highest standards for operating a fun, adventure-packed, summer camp program. To hold ourselves accountable to this standard of excellence, we voluntarily maintain accreditation with the American Camp Association®. Find out more about our first-class safety standards at [campoftherisingson.com](http://campoftherisingson.com).

A week at CRS is full of life-changing fun, opportunities, and adventure! Each week includes

- Delicious, balanced meals served family style
- Special visitors or skits for entertainment
- Worship and Bible teaching times
- Many different activities for fun and learning
- Exciting themes that make each week unique and memorable
- Daily snacks at camp store and octaball
- Online photo gallery for parents to share in the fun

and camp songs galore!

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## 2017 Registration Form • Camper Information

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Preferred Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender: F M Grade Completed at Camp time: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_  
T-Shirt Size: Youth S M L Adult S M L XL (circle one)  
How did you hear about CRS? \_\_\_\_\_

Cabinmate Request: (only one please) \_\_\_\_\_

Cabinmates must be within one year of same age and mutually requested to be honored.

**Please check program desired:**

**Overnight Camp** ages 7-12; cost \$499/week

**Please indicate 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> choice of week.**

\_\_\_ Week 1 June 4-10 \_\_\_ Week 2 June 11-17 \_\_\_ Week 3 June 18-24  
\_\_\_ Week 4 June 25-July 1 \_\_\_ Week 5 July 2-8

**Day Camp\*** ages 6-10; cost \$399/week

\*Parents are responsible for daily transportation

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**CRS Teen Adventures**

**Boys Adventures** ages 13-15

\_\_\_ Boys Rafting-June 11-17 cost \$615 \_\_\_ Boys Ultimate June 25-July 1 cost \$665

**Girls Adventure** ages 13-15; cost \$625

\_\_\_ June 18-24

**Girls Horse Camp** ages 13-17; cost \$499/week

\_\_\_ July 10\*-15 \*Horse Camp begins on Monday

**Camp Intern Adventure**

**Required application available on website—please call office or submit application to register for this program.**

**D1 (Discipleship 1)** ages 13-14; \$399/week

\_\_\_ Week 1 (boys and girls) June 4-10

\_\_\_ Week 2 (boys and girls) June 11-17

\_\_\_ Week 3 (boys and girls) June 18-24

**D2 (Discipleship 2)** ages 15-17; cost \$299/week

\_\_\_ Week 4 (boys and girls) June 25-July 1

\_\_\_ Week 5 (boys and girls) July 2-8

**Total number of weeks your camper will be attending:** \_\_\_\_\_  
May change weeks if space available up to 2 weeks prior to camp date.

**Family Discount \$40 off additional weeks or campers!**  
**Weekend Stayover \$40**

(Available for campers staying consecutive weeks)

**Deposit \$100 x week(s) of camp** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Adventure Trips require \$200 deposit**

**This amount will be deducted from the total fee.**

**Remaining balance due May 1.**

**Donation for CRS scholarship fund** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Gift to Waterfront Improvement** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total amount enclosed** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(over)



(Registration form continued)

A nonrefundable, nontransferable deposit of \$100 per week or \$200 per trip must accompany registration. The balance and forms are due May 1. Registrations after May 1 require payment in full. Checks should be made payable to "Camp of the Rising Son". Cancellations must be received at least 2 weeks prior to beginning of camp session to receive refund minus the \$100 nonrefundable deposit. No refund for early dismissal except for injury or illness requiring departure.

I authorize Camp of the Rising Son to use, distribute, and publish any and all photographs, video and/or sound recordings of my child. I realize that the deposit is non-refundable and non-transferable. I understand that if my child leaves for any reason, he or she may not return and that there is no admission after 8 a.m. Monday. I agree to forfeit my child's space at camp without refund if notification of late arrival is not given prior to 5 p.m. on registration Sunday. I authorize the staff of Camp of the Rising Son to provide and/or seek medical treatment for my child while in their care.

Signature of Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Camper Home Address:** (Please fill out for the residence to which camp communication should be sent.)

Father Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Father Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

How do you prefer to receive communication from us?  
\_\_\_\_ regular mail \_\_\_\_ email

**Please contact the camp office if you do not receive a confirmation within two weeks of sending your registration.**

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**Your camp is renowned for the plethora of amazing and fun activities and crafts in which the campers can choose to participate and learn. KUDOS!**

### Overnight Summer Camp: ages 7-12

Your camper will love exploring, learning, and laughing all week long! In rustic, screened cabins, 12 campers and 2 counselors live close to nature while building lifelong friendships. By the time Saturday comes, your camper will be wishing to stay longer!

Campers create a personalized schedule by choosing their favorites from over 20 activities to participate in daily. ACTIVITIES: Archery, Art, Canoes, Dance, Horses, Pottery, Sailing\*, Kayaking\*, Nature, Leather Crafts, Camp Skills\*, Ropes Course, STUFF, Frisbee Sports, Fishing, Newspaper\*, Swimming Lessons, Free Swim, Waterfront, Vaulting, and Mixed Sports! *\*especially for ages 10-12*

At the end of each day a different adventure awaits! In addition to a week long sleep over with friends, each overnight camper participates in a fun theme night (changes weekly), overnight cabin camp-out\*, silly skits, water slide\*, guys/girls night out, s'mores, Passion Play, swimming, cabin devotions, games, and more!

Register online at [www.CampoftheRisingSon.com](http://www.CampoftheRisingSon.com)

### Day Camp: ages 6-10

Day Camp is a great option for nearby families desiring daily adventure but not an overnight stay. Our Day Campers participate in daily activities as well as Bible Study, camp store, and other fun-filled adventures! Monday through Friday, Day Campers start each day at 8:00 and wrap up at 5:30 p.m. Friday nights, Day Campers have the option to stay for the Passion Play and spend the night with their new friends! *\*families must provide own transportation*



### Adventure Trips: ages 13-15

A CRS raft trip is an unforgettable adventure! Our rafters and their leaders find excitement on a week-long expedition to the Smokey Mountains spending the week unplugged, camping out and connecting with God and each other while taking on challenges that require true teamwork.

**Boys Rafting Adventure:** experience adventure through a high ropes course, Nantahala, Chattooga, and Ocoee Rivers.

**Girls Combined Adventure:** grow through the challenges of a high ropes course, Chattooga III, duckies on the Nantahala, and the Ocoee river.

**Boys Ultimate Adventure:** test your skills in team building activities, Chattooga IV, duckies on the Nantahala, an ariel adventure course, and wild cave expedition.

*\*maximum of 12 participants per session*



### Camp Intern Adventure: ages 13-17

As a part of a select group, you will have the opportunity to work with amazing chiefs and fellow participants to serve the staff and campers. There will be times for building relationships, recreation, and studying God's Word to grow in your personal faith. *Application required for admittance—for more information visit our website or contact the camp office.*

**D1:** Discipleship Stage 1 is for ages 13-14. D1s will participate in CRS activities together and enjoy

fun, original programs while being taught by their own chiefs. D1s will get a firsthand view of what it takes to make camp happen and assist in support staff roles including kitchen, grounds, and housekeeping.

**D2:** Discipleship Stage 2 is for 15-17 year olds who desire to have fun at camp, build relationships, and grow closer to the Lord. D2s will see what it takes to be a great chief and work alongside chiefs in all areas of camp, assisting with activities and cabin time while being guided by their own leaders.

### Horse Camp: GIRLS ages 13-17

If you love horses, then this is the week for you! Come and spend time in the saddle exploring over 300 acres on horseback, learn horse handling skills, and vaulting—gymnastics on horseback! Our Horse Campers also enjoy roping lessons, meals on the trail, an overnigher, and other fun camp activities, such as crafts, swimming, and group games. This incredible week concludes with campers demonstrating their skills for their families in a closing rodeo! *\*Horse Camp begins on Monday!*



### Family Camp: (Labor Day Weekend) ages 0-100

This weekend is a fun opportunity for your whole family to enjoy what camp has to offer and spend time unplugged. Think of it as a rustic, all-inclusive resort, where we'll take care of food and planning and you just relax and have fun. Play opportunities include swimming, fishing, and boating on Lake Ann, rock wall, archery, horseback riding, frisbee golf, crafts, and more. In the morning, adults will be challenged and connect during worship and Bible study, while camp staff teach and entertain the children. Afternoons will be play time for families to get to experience camp together. Nights hold a campfire, parent date night/kid fun night, and a fun theme night!

