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June 2010

**We are returning to Victory Valley Camp this year!**  
Please keep this letter as it contains important information concerning your daughter's stay at camp, camp directions and the **password for our protected website.**

Dear Parent:

We are so happy your daughter will be attending Explorer Girls' Camp 2010 at Victory Valley Camp in Zionsville this year! We ask that you plan to arrive on **Sunday August 1, between 3:00-5:00 PM** and depart on **Saturday, August 7, between 10:30-11:30 AM**. Since the purpose of this week of camp is to get to know girls from other Explorer Girls' programs, the girls will be assigned to cabins according to age and not necessarily by church association.

We would appreciate your help in the following areas: It is great fun to receive mail while at camp. Send a cheerful note to your daughter while she is with us. It would be nice if you left a letter with us on Sunday which will be given to her on Monday. Her address is:

(your daughter's name)  
VICTORY VALLEY CAMP  
7472 Sigmund Rd.  
Zionsville, PA 18092



You may call the Explorer Girls' office at (610) 626-3332, and we will be glad to help you with any information regarding your daughter's stay at camp. **Please do not contact Victory Valley for any information.**

Receiving calls from home can cause campers to become home sick. Therefore, please do not call the camp to speak to your daughter unless it is an extreme emergency. Campers are not permitted to make out-going calls without the permission of the camp director. **Please do not send a cell phone with your daughter.**

You will find a health form enclosed. Please **complete** both sides. The form must be signed by a parent and **notarized between July 1 and July 15**. This is the policy of the local hospital. The completed health form **must be sent** to the Explorer Girls' office by **July 20, 2010**. This will aid our nursing staff in preparing our records so that we may register your daughter more quickly when she arrives at camp. **If your daughter isn't feeling well or has been exposed to a communicable disease within two weeks of her arrival at camp, please contact the Explorer Girls' office before coming.**

Please complete the enclosed **Parent Questionnaire** and enclose it with your health form. Your honest thoughts about your daughter will help us make her camp experience an enjoyable one.

Your daughter will need sturdy shoes to wear while at camp. No open toed shoes, platforms, sandals, clogs, flip-flops, shoes or boots with high heels, or bedroom slippers may be worn around camp. Shower sandals (flip-flops) may be used for the shower and pool only. There is a creek on the property and your daughter may have the opportunity to "creek walk". We suggest she pack an old pair of sneakers or water shoes for this activity. The showers and rest rooms are located in the cabins.



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Your daughter's spending money will be deposited in a personal account during registration. A "store card" reflecting the amount of money deposited will be used in the camp store each day, and her Missionary Offering will be deducted on Thursday of the camping week. Our suggestion for spending money would be between \$15.00-\$20.00. We will be selling Camp Tees at \$10.00. Additional items in the store include snacks, books, journals and souvenirs.

**Victory Valley Camp** is located at 7472 Sigmund Rd., Zionsville, PA, 18092 — which is South of Emmaus and North of Hereford near Route 29/100.

**Coming from the North...**

From U.S. 78, take the Cedar Crest Blvd./29 South exit. After about 4 miles, turn right on Chestnut Street (which is still 29 South) at the intersection, where you'll find a McDonald's and a Sovereign Bank. Continue south as 29 becomes 29/100. When you see the Upper Milford Township Fire Department (low, white building) on your left, turn right on Toll Gate Road. After about a mile, bear right at the Victory Valley Camp sign, then less than a mile later, turn right at the next Victory Valley sign. You're on Sigmund Road and you'll see the main camp sign in less than a mile.

**Coming from the South...**

Take 100 North past the little town of Hereford. About a mile past the light at the Turkey Hill convenience store, turn left onto Yeakel's Mill Road across from the Italian Restaurant. After less than a mile, turn left at the stop sign onto Sigmund Road. After less than a mile, you'll see the big sign for Victory Valley Camp.

**Remember to pack**

Bible, pencil, paper, bedding or sleeping bag, pillow, pajamas, bathrobe, towels, personal toiletry articles, bathing suit (one-piece only, midriff must be covered), for girls of appropriate age, bras must be worn except when swimming, showering and sleeping, underwear, jeans, rain gear, warm clothes, shoes for hiking, flashlight, old sneakers  
for water activities

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**Remember NOT to pack**

Cell phones, Ipods, MP3's, computers, radios, practical joke items, electronic games, matches, drugs, cigarettes, snacks.  
The girls should dress modestly so please **do not pack** bikinis, 2 piece bathing suits, halter tops, midriff tops, tube tops, strapless attire, or leggings.

Girls who were accepted for the **Horsemanship Activity** must bring long pants and shoes with hard soles and heels.



Please remember that your daughter's entire camp balance (including room & board and horsemanship fees) **must be paid in full by July 20, 2010**, and **health forms** should be in our office no later than **July 20, 2010**. **Checks should be made out to EG Ministries, Inc.**

We look forward to seeing you this summer. Thank you for the privilege of serving you and your daughter during this week of Explorer Girls' Camp.

Sincerely,

JK Williams  
Camp Director

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**Be sure to read the enclosed half sheet regarding the Music, Horse and Roller Skating Activities!**

Camp pictures will be available on our website starting Tuesday morning of the camp week. In order to protect our girls, the site is password protected. Please contact us at 610-220-2104 or 610-220-2816 for the password during the camp week. **Please note that this information is for our camp families only. Thank you.**