

# Central Coast Encounter

## “A Camp for Awana Scholars”

### AT CAMP MT. CRAGS, MALIBU, CA

### Monday, July 6 – Saturday, July 11, 2020

[www.CCEncounter.org](http://www.CCEncounter.org)

Dear Awana Club Camp Coordinator:

Thank you for being willing to act as Church Camp Coordinator for your Awana Club. Yours is a critical role in making camp successful. If you have concerns or questions, please contact the Camp Director, John Laubacher, at [johnflaubacher@gmail.com](mailto:johnflaubacher@gmail.com) or (805) 443-8209.

1. Please print out and make copies of the Camper applications posted on the website.
2. E-mail [johnflaubacher@gmail.com](mailto:johnflaubacher@gmail.com) if you would like a representative to visit your club and talk about camp and show a video. Or you can show the video yourself. You will find it on the website. **Also email if you would like us to send you tri-fold brochures to send home with all of your eligible clubbers.**
3. **Recruit** Camp Counselors from your club. **The cost per counselor is only \$100.00 or \$90.00 if they send their application by February 15<sup>th</sup>.** They can print out the counselor application from the web-site, fill it out and send it directly to the camp registrar listed below. Please plan on sending at least one counselor from your club and then another counselor for every additional six clubbers you send. You can always send extra counselors! The counselor requirements are listed on their application page. Make sure the Camp Counselors know that there will be a mandatory training day on Saturday, May 16, 2020.
4. **Enlist** students for camp who meet the qualifications listed on the application. Make sure they are on pace to complete the current year Awana material before camp begins. Churches sending campers to camp for the first time should contact John Laubacher for the exceptions to the book completion requirement.
  - This is an accelerated, discipleship type of camp where each student is expected to memorize and recite one or two verses of scripture each day with no helps and complete an entire Bible lesson each day. Please make sure that the applicants are ready to accept the challenge and can be compliant! For most campers this is not a problem.
  - Please understand that we are not equipped to accommodate campers with severe physical handicaps or severe behavioral issues.
  - As each student completes the application and the director has signed it, read it carefully and check it for completeness. Look for all blanks to be filled out and all signatures completed. You should have an application, a behavior agreement, a liability release, a medical history and consent, a copy of the front and back of a medical insurance card (or credit card if no insurance) and a check for the \$100.00 deposit made out to Camarillo Community Church.
5. Mail the checks and all paperwork to: **Central Coast Encounter c/o Julie Laubacher 5850 Terra Bella Ln Camarillo, CA 93010. Early bird applications should be postmarked by February 15, 2020, timely applications by March 31, 2020 and late applications ASAP. Really late applications must still be paid in full by June 10<sup>th</sup>. See below for fee and deadline details.**

6. Assist the students and counselors in raising funds for their camp fee. Some activities to consider are special offerings at church, individual sponsors, Sunday School sponsors, a “Verse-a-thon”, a bake sale, a garage sale, cashing in recyclables, group babysitting or a pancake breakfast, car wash, etc.
  
7. If you have monies earned from fundraisers, please send them with a church check to be postmarked no later than June 1st. Check should be made out to Camarillo Community Church and be accompanied by a list of the campers/counselors and how much to apply to each one. The total on the list should equal the total on the check.
  
8. All campers and counselors will receive acceptance notification by April 30<sup>th</sup> by e-mail.
  
9. The final payment due will be invoiced directly to the campers by June 5<sup>th</sup> and will be due June 10<sup>th</sup>.

### THE COST

Submission of application	Submitted with \$100 deposit and postmarked by:	Cost
Early bird	February 15, 2020	\$395
Regular	March 31, 2020	\$410
Late	After March 31 and before June 10	\$425

The camp fee covers 6 days (5 nights) - Monday to Saturday including all meals and lodging and most extra activities offered by the camp (see web-site for listing). Most campers bring extra money for crafts, snacks and mission project offering.

### PAYMENT AND ACCEPTANCE TIMELINE

	Due date	Amount of payment
Initial Deposit (non-refundable unless not accepted to camp)	With application – make check out to Camarillo Community Church and write campers name in the memo	\$100.00
Late Initial Deposit (non-refundable)	ASAP after March 31	\$115.00
Acceptance letter emailed to camper	April 30	
Church fundraiser and scholarship funds	One check from the church listing amounts for all campers postmarked by June 1	All amounts earned by campers
Remaining camper balance	An invoice for the balance will be e-mailed to camper's parent. Check for final balance must be postmarked by June 10 to avoid a late fee.	Balance due per invoice

Please understand that acceptance to camp is not guaranteed. Besides completing the materials in their Awana book for the year, camper’s club director must sign that they don’t have any physical or behavioral issues that might keep them from participating in all aspects of the camp. Also, we need counselors! If we do not have enough capable adults to be counselors, we will not be able to accept campers.