

WHAT IS THE WEEKEND?

Shifting gears and venturing beyond the usual bounds of everyday life, we want to unlock the possibilities that transcend the ordinary. Stepping out of the cozy confines of our home propels students into an immersive event where they can truly experience God's creation, fortify their bond with Jesus, and establish genuine connections within their Connect Groups, free from external pressures or disruptions. The Weekend is a dynamic two-night winter retreat tailored exclusively for high school students. Get ready for unique worship, captivating Connect Groups, and messages aimed at deepening students' understanding of God. For all the details and to secure your spot, cruise over to sugarcreek.net/theweekend.

2025 THEME

This year at The Weekend we will be answering the question "What is worship?".

EVENT DETAILS

WHO: High School Students (9th - 12th) // All Campuses

WHERE: LoneHollow Ranch // 1010 Cooley Ln, Vanderpool, TX 78885

WHEN: Friday, January 24, 2025 - Sunday, January 26, 2025

DEADLINES: Early Bird (\$255) // October 6 – October 27, 2024

Regular (\$295) // November 3 – December 15, 2024

IMPORTANT FORMS

All students attending The Weekend must fill out this form. Click on the form name below to access it.

1. Sugar Creek & Lone Hollow Release Form

EVENT SCHOLARSHIPS

We understand that asking for help in difficult times can be hard, but we don't want finances to be a reason a student can't attend The Weekend. If you need a scholarship, <u>click here</u> to access our scholarship request form. Within 7-10 Business days of filling out the form, someone from our student team will be in contact with you. We do have a limited number of scholarships so please be mindful of others who may have a greater need for financial assistance. The final day to apply for scholarship is December 15th.

REFUND POLICY

We fully understand that the unexpected can happen and a student who has registered and paid for an event may no longer be able to attend. Refunds may be requested and given according to the registration period that the request is made. If a refund is requested during the Early Bird Registration dates (October 6 – October 27, 2024), a 50% refund may be issued. If a refund is requested during the Regular Registration dates (November 3 – December 15, 2024), a 25% refund may be issued. Once registration is closed (December 15, 2024), refunds will not be issued. All refunds must be requested via email to students@sugarcreek.net.

MEALS & MERCH

Meals at The Weekend, that are included in the cost of registration, are as follows: Saturday breakfast, lunch, and dinner as well as Sunday breakfast. We will stop for one meal on Friday and one meal on Sunday, so students will need \$30 for those meals. Additionally, during registration students can order an add-on camp shirt if they wish but it's important to note that shirts are first come first serve while supplies and sizes are available. If students wish to purchase any additional food, snacks, or other Student Ministry merch, they will need additional spending money. Pro-tip: If you are sending additional money with your student, consider sending them with a pre-paid card and write their name on it. We will accept card payments while at The Hike and pre-paid cards will help students not lose their spending money. Please note,

however, that students will not be able to use third-party bank apps like CashApp, Venmo, Zelle, and PayPal to purchase merch while at The Weekend.

MEDICATION

All prescription and non-prescription medication will be administered by our Camp Nurse and will need to be registered at check-in. All medications need to be in the original bottle with only the quantity needed and placed in a sandwich size, clear zip lock bag. The mediation and medication form (see "important forms" section) will need to be turned to the Camp Nurse at check-in on the day of the event. Any student found in possession of medication that was not checked-in (prescribed or unprescribed) could be sent home immediately.

GENERAL SCHEDULE

(Schedule is tentative and subject to change)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24

4:00pm Check-in at the Sugar Land SCBC Chapel5:00pm Leave the Sugar Land SCBC Chapel

7:00pm Stop for dinner at Buc-ee's 10:30pm Arrive at LoneHollow

11:15pm Lights out

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

7:30am Breakfast 8:15am Session 1 9:30am Connect Group

10:30am Trek 1 11:15am Lunch 12:30pm Trek 2 2:00pm Trek 3 3:30pm Free Time 5:00pm Dinner 6:00pm Session 2 7:00pm **Connect Group**

10:00pm In Rooms & Pack up

Late Night

10:30pm Lights out

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

8:30pm

7:30am Breakfast
8:15am Session 3
9:30am Conect Group
10:15am Pack and get to buses
10:30am Luggage on buses
10:45am Group Photo
11:15am Leave LoneHollow

1:45pm Stop for lunch at Buc-ee's in Luling 4:30pm Arrive at the Sugar Land Student Center

PACKING LIST

- o Bible, Pen & Notebook
- Sleeping bag/bedding & pillow (extra blanket because of cold nights)
- Towels (for showering)
- Toiletries & shower shoes
- Clothes for 3 days (no short shorts!), including a hat, if desired.
- Closed toed shoes/hiking boots
- Warm clothing, and a warm throw blanket for outdoor activities
- Jacket/sweatshirt (it will be chilly at night & during the day)
- Trash bag for very dirty clothes and shoes
- o Flashlight

- Sunscreen may be sunny
- o Bug spray
- Spending money for merch and snacks

RULES

These rules are not in place to bore students, but to ensure that they get the most out of their experience

- 1. Respect all adult leaders and students
- 2. No PDA (public OR private displays of affection)
- 3. No cell phones during Quiet Time, Session, or Connect Group
- 4. No drugs, alcohol, tobacco products, weapons, water guns, water balloons, silly string, pranks, etc.
- 5. Do not leave camp property for any reason
- 6. When walking from place-to-place travel in groups of four or more
- 7. Do not touch another student's belongings without the owner's permission
- 8. Do not go into any small group room that isn't yours
- 9. No girls in boys' rooms and no boys in girls' rooms
- 10. No leaving rooms after "lights out" or 11:00 PM

BEHAVIORS THAT COULD LEAD TO REMOVAL FROM CAMP

- Stealing
- Destruction of property
- Assault on another student or staffer
- Foul language
- Repeated disobedience to rules
- Sexual activity of any kind
- The possession of drugs, alcohol, firearms, fireworks, or pornography
- Improper use of any mobile device
- Girls in boys' rooms and boys in girls' rooms

If you have any further questions about The Weekend, please feel free to contact us!

Sugar Creek Students

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^{*}Note: All contents of the info packet are subject to change at any point before the event