

2010 Mid-Atlantic Christadelphian Bible School Rules

July 3 - July 11, 2010

And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord

Colossians 3:17

All can contribute greatly to the enjoyment of this week by conforming to the intent of these regulations.

Our patience and courtesy towards others will enhance the spirit of fellowship at the Bible School.

PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL ATTENDING THE BIBLE SCHOOL ARE FAMILIAR WITH AND UNDERSTAND THESE ESSENTIAL INSTRUCTIONS

CLASSES AND ACTIVITIES

- All ages are expected to attend orientations, morning devotions, morning classes, Memorial services, readings and evening programs. Teens (13-19) are also expected to attend teen evening devotions. Young people are expected at all scheduled Youth Program activities.
- Youth program classes are assigned by the grade the student will be entering in the upcoming school year. Check your confirmation notice and notify the registrar before Bible School if a change is needed. In consideration for the teachers and leaders **NO CLASS CHANGES WILL BE MADE AT THE SCHOOL.**
- **Attendance** will be taken at teen and youth classes. Please notify the teacher if your student will not be at a class or activity.
- **Parents and sponsors** please note that you are responsible for your students this week at Bible School. If your child/teen is not at a scheduled activity he/she must be with you and under your direct supervision. Children are not to be left unsupervised at any time.

HOUSING AND KEYS

- Room or roommate changes are not to be made without prior approval of the Service Committee. Please do not move furniture between rooms or from lounges. Do not attach anything to walls or doors.
- **Coed visiting in your unit is NOT allowed at any time.** This is a dismissible offense. Use lounges to meet your friends.
- Please be considerate of those trying to sleep. (Public phones are not to be used after 10:45PM.)
- All Stoneridge residents must be inside the building prior to 11 PM.
- Please keep your room neat and orderly and **ALWAYS** lock it when you are not in it.
- Room keys and meal cards are issued to each person. **These must be signed in to a Key Representative by 9AM Sunday** before you leave the Bible School. There will be a lost key charge of \$40 for Seavers and \$140- \$225 for Stoneridge (this is not a typo). There is a fee of \$5 to replace meal cards during the week. Take the card with you at departure.
- When checking out, close all windows; return borrowed items to proper location. Open all desk & dresser drawers and open closet doors. Remove all food items from unit. Cleaning fees received from the University will be charged for any rooms left in an unacceptable condition. Remove trash from the room and lock the door.

APPROPRIATE DRESS

- **Appropriate dress for everyone should be modest, clean, non-distracting and non-offensive.** The following are inappropriate for the Bible School setting: bare midriffs of any type, cropped tops, slip-type tops, halter tops, tank tops, T-shirts with offensive sayings or pictures, lounge wear/pajama bottoms, stretch type shorts, immodest tops, skirts, and/or shorts. Parents, please check the clothing that children and teens will be bringing to the school. Please consider whether your attire might offend others when deciding what to bring. When in doubt, don't bring it!
- **Sport caps or hats** are not to be worn by anyone during indoor activities or at any time in the dining hall.
- During the **Memorial Service and lectures**, sisters or young ladies should wear a dress or skirt. Sisters are requested to wear a head covering. Brothers and young men should wear sport coat, dress shirt/slacks, tie, or a suit.
- For the **evening programs and morning classes**, sisters or young ladies should wear a dress, skirt, casual slacks, nice jeans or pantsuit. Brothers and young men are expected to wear casual slacks or nice jeans and appropriate shirt. Children up to grade 7 only may wear shorts in classes, at breakfast/dinner, etc.
- During lunch, all may wear modest shorts and shirt. **Shorts are not acceptable at breakfast or dinner.**
- **Afternoon sports** attire should include modest sportswear, shirts, and/or swimwear (women - one-piece swimsuits). Please no bikinis, two-piece or other type of abbreviated suit for men or women.

MEALS AND DINING HALL

- Food items may not be removed from the dining hall without the prior approval of the Service Committee and the University Dining Hall Supervisor.
- Parents are asked to monitor your student's table for proper behavior. Please do not allow your young children to run free in the dining hall or foyer area.
- You are responsible for clearing your table of all dishes and trash.
- All meals will be served cafeteria style. You may sit anywhere and enter any serving line. Please respect those tables with infant seats - do not move them, select another table.

MISCELLANEOUS

- If you need to leave campus, please **advise a family member or friend**. In case of an emergency, it is important to know where you can be reached.
- **Those under 18**, unless leaving with a parent or sponsor, **must get parent/sponsor permission prior to departure. Failure to do so may be a dismissible offense.**
- **PLEASE DO NOT;**
Walk on the lawns - use designated walks.
Litter - use trash receptacles
Use tobacco – This is not allowed in any campus building or near doorways.
Throw/roll/bounce balls in any building except the gym.
Use electronic entertainment - TV's, music/game equipment, etc.
Use skateboards anywhere on campus.
Play musical instruments after 11 PM
- Essential electronic devices must not disturb any activity - **(silence your cell phones!)**
- Rollerblades/inline skates may only be used in designated areas and only while wearing helmets and appropriate safety gear. They are not to be used in any buildings or on the walkways or roadways on campus.

SPECIAL MEETINGS

- All meetings should be approved in advance, scheduled **and announced** by the Service Committee. Meetings on controversial topics are not to be held.

DISMISSABLE VIOLATIONS

- The use of or possession of alcohol, drugs or fireworks.
- Violation of the coed visitation rule.
- Tampering with fire alarms or fire extinguishers. (This is a violation of state law as well.)
- **Leaving campus, if under 18, without permission of parent/sponsor.**

SPECIAL NEEDS

- If you or your child has a special need (learning, medical or otherwise) please let us know before the school so these needs may be addressed.

Thank you

*Your attention to these essential guidelines and rules
ensures a very positive Mid-Atlantic Christadelphian Bible School!*

The Mid-Atlantic Christadelphian Bible School Service Committee