What Is MIX?

Mix is a week-long junior high event held all over the country, led by an organization called Christ in Youth (ciy.com). The mission is to amplify the call of Christ on students' lives to become kingdom workers. Students will experience high energy worship, engaging teaching and have a great camp experience at the same time. In a word, it's youth camp for middle school students.

When and Where: June 5-9 @ Country Lake Camp, Underwood, IN

- We will travel to Underwood, IN in church provided transportation (bus & vans), leaving Fairhaven Church, Centerville Campus at 9:00 AM
- We will be sleeping in the very nice bunkhouses at the camp. Beds will be provided, but students will need to bring their own bedding. (sleeping bag + pillow or twin sheets, etc. packed & labeled!)
- We will do our best to accommodate housing requests. If you could kindly email <u>students@fairhaven.church</u> with any requests you may have, that will help in the assimilation process.

What Will We Do?

- There will be two large-group worship experiences by CIY each day.
- There will be time together in small groups lead by Fairhaven staff and serve team members along with events for just our groups.
- There will be time together to relax and have fun at many different recreation opportunities.
- There will be organized large group games led by CIY each day.

What's the cost of Mix 2023? (*all trip fees are non-refundable)

- \$400 | Deposit of \$75 reserves a spot
- Final payment due by May 10
- Registration closes May 10 or when registration is full
- Additional Cost:
 - Recreational Experiences (can be registered through May 1)
 - Zipline- \$10/person
 - High Ropes Adventure \$12/person
 - Paintball (1-hour session) \$27/person
 - Axe Throwing (1-hour session) \$7/person
 - Archery (1-hour session) \$7/person
 - Country Lake Camp has a snack bar to purchase during free time
 - CIY has a merchandise store that is available for parents to purchase online for student pick up at the event. (please note, a MIX t-shirt is included in the cost of registration)
- Scholarship money is available until completion of approved scholarship request application.

REQUIRED FORMS:

For this event, there are additional required release forms to that will be sent prior to the event.

^{**} There are 60 spots available for camp, please reserve your spot today with a \$75 deposit.

What Should A Student Pack?

- A week's worth of clothing!
- Recreation attire, including swimsuit (shirts for bikinis), shorts, tennis shoes, etc.
- Sunscreen
- Towels & Toiletries (tooth-brush, tooth-paste, shampoo, soap, deodorant, etc.)
- Pillow & sleeping bag or twin sheet bedroll, packed and labeled
- A Re-usable water bottle
- A Bible and a pen
- Optional Spending Money
- Our group will receive a color assignment from CIY as we get closer to our date. Your student will want to bring at least 1 t-shirt of the supplied color. We will notify you by email what our team color is -so please read every email you receive!!

Technology Policy

- Students are welcome to bring their mobile device and/or tablet, but no larger electronics are allowed on the trip (laptops, gaming systems, etc.).
- Leaders will collect all phones during group discussions and overnight to avoid unhealthy distractions and ensure that students get the sleep they need to fuel a great trip. Please plan accordingly. This is non-negotiable.
- If phones become a serious distraction or are misused, they will be held by the campus pastor until the trip is over.

Student Expectations

- Keep the main thing the main thing Focus on God first!
- Represent our church, leaders, and ministry well
- Great attitudes!
- No Lone Wolves Stay in a group
- Following all Fairhaven, CIY and Country Lake Camp guidelines.
- Follow the schedule. Nothing is optional.
- No practical jokes or pranking!

Behavior Policy - We have a zero-tolerance policy for the following behavior infractions:

- Bringing alcohol, weapons, tobacco, drugs, pornography, vapes,
- Bullying, pranking, physical violence
- Illegal activity of any kind
- Sexual activity
- Violations may result in the loss of privileges during the week or, if deemed necessary by Fairhaven or camp staff, the student being sent home at their parent's expense

Trip Medication Policy

Prescription Medication:

- Prescriptions will be turned in to a member of the Student Ministries staff at check-in.
- Prescriptions must be in their own pharmacy-labeled bottle.
- Please only send enough dosages for the time that we are at camp.
- All meds will have an accompanying med form.
- The only prescription medications allowed to be held by students are epi-pens and inhalers. These still need a completed med sheet.
- Medication will be kept safe and secure. Students will receive reminders to take their medication at meals and at the end of the day. IT IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STUDENT TO TAKE THEIR MEDICATION.
- Any remaining medication/prescriptions bottles should be retrieved at drop-off when we return to Fairhaven Church.
- Unclaimed medication/bottles will be disposed of immediately.

OTC Medication:

- Each cabin will have a supply of generic OTC medication. (Advil, Pepto Bismol, etc.)
- OTC medication is available on request. Any dosages will be signed out by the student on a med log.
- STUDENTS SHOULD NOT HAVE ANY MEDICATION, PRESCRIPTION OR OTC, WITH THEM OR IN THEIR LUGGAGE.

Lost & Found Policy

Any items left behind after pick-up at Fairhaven will be held at the Centerville Campus only in the Lost and Found cabinet.

Sample Schedule for MIX Dav 3 7:30 - 8:00 AM - Breakfast Day 3 8:15 AM - Adult Leader Meeting Day 1 9:00 AM - Æffect Store Open 9:15 AM - Doors Open 9:00 AM Meet @ Church 9:30 AM - Morning Session Lunch stop on the way 11:00 AM - Group Time 1:00 – 2:00 PM Arrive at Camp 12:15 - 1:15 PM - Lunch 4:15 - 4:50 PM - Adult Leader Meeting 1:15 PM - Kingdom Worker Session 5:00 - 6:00 PM - Dinner 2:15 PM - Outer Realm Dodge Ball & Free Time 6:15 PM - Doors Open 4:00 PM - "Zombies" Game 6:30 PM - Main Session 5:00 - 6:00 PM - Dinner 8:15 PM - Outer Realm Game 9:30 PM - Group Time 6:15 PM - Doors Open 6:30 PM - Main Session 10:30 PM - In Dorm 8:15 PM - Group Time 10:45 PM - Lights Out 9:45 PM - Outer Realm Game 11:00 PM - In Dorm Day 2 11:15 PM - Lights Out 7:30-8:00 AM - Breakfast 8:15 AM - Adult Leader Meeting 9:00 AM - Æffect Store Open 7:30 - 8:00 AM - Breakfast 9:15 AM - Doors Open 8:15 AM - Adult Leaders Meeting 9:30 AM - Morning Session 9:00 AM - Æffect Store Open 11:00 AM - Group Time 9:15 AM - Doors Open 12:15 - 1:15 PM - Lunch 9:30 AM - Morning Session 1:30 PM - Outer Realm Game 11:00 AM - Group Time 2:30 PM - Free Time 12:00 PM - Skip-A-Meal (Extended Recreation) 4:00 PM - Stage Games 4:00 PM - Kajabe Can Can Tournament 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM - Dinner 5:00 - 6:00 PM - Dinner 6:15 PM - Doors Open 6:15 PM - Doors Open 6:30 PM - Main Session 8:15 PM - Group Time 6:30 PM - Main Session 8:30 PM - Group Time 10:15 PM - In Dorm 10:30 PM - Lights Out 10:15 PM - In Dorm 10:30 PM - Lights Out Day 5 8:30 AM - Head Home

Finally, Thank you!

Parents – THANK YOU (!!!) – for trusting us in your family's faith walk and intentionally investing in your high schooler through this week at CIY MIX!

Breakfast stop included on the way home

We believe weeks like this are milestone moments in the faith trajectory of teenagers! So be praying for a few things as you send your baby off to camp!

Please pray with us:

- For students to Find Hope through following Jesus toward life-change.
- For students to experience deep relationships within their small groups.
- For God to move powerfully in the lives of our students in ways we would never imagine!

We never want logistics to be a distraction to what God is doing, so we've done our best to anticipate your needs and questions by providing this document! That being said, sometimes stuff happens...busses run late, communication breaks down, traffic throws off the schedule...there are so many variables that force us to adjust. So, please BE FLEXIBLE! We will do our best to communicate any needed adjustments and answer any questions you may have.

Please join our text message service to be provided updates regarding trip info and travel updates.

text "@mix2023" to the number 81010

Again, THANK YOU for supporting this trip this week!!! Be praying for us! Can't wait to see how God moves in the lives of our students.

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