

NEW BEGINNINGS

Diocese of Central Florida

Weekend Information Sheet

What: New Beginnings is a weekend especially designed to respond to the issues, concerns, and needs of teenagers in middle school (approx 12 – 15 year olds). It was created in the Diocese of Central Florida, to help young people grow in their love of themselves, of others, and of the Lord Jesus Christ. Participants do not have to be Episcopalian but must be recommended by an Episcopal Church and have the backing of an adult (over age 21) from that church that will be attending the weekend as a sponsor. It is expected that all participants, sponsors, and team stay for the entire weekend due to the building nature of the talks and activities.

COVID 19 Precautions The team and staff at Camp Wingmann will do everything in our power to keep participants safe. We ask that if your student has any symptoms that they stay home and attend the next weekend. We will have hand sanitizer and masks available for indoor activities and will socially distance cabins.

When to arrive: Fri. eve at 7 p.m. (Please eat dinner before you arrive)

When the weekend is over: Approximately 1:30 Sunday afternoon

Where: Camp Wingmann, Avon Park, FL

Cost: \$110 per person

What to bring:

Comfortable clothes Extra pair of shoes (in case it rains) Towel Toiletries

Lightweight jacket Bathing suit (girls—one piece suits) Bible Sleeping bag, pillow

There will be T-shirts available for \$10 but no other cash will be needed on the weekend

What not to bring: (in order to make this a true retreat, students are encouraged to leave behind the technology that takes them away from group participation. If these items are with the student, we will ask them to put them away until bed time.)

Cell phone, I-Pad, other electronics, Watch, Valuables

Unapproved and/or illegal drugs, alcohol, or weapons are not permitted.

If there are further questions, please call The Rev. Phyllis Bartle 386-775-6200