



Crossways Camping Ministries

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Thanks for signing up for our **Scrapbooking Retreat at Waypost Camp, October 8-10, 2010!** We're so excited to offer this opportunity and hope that it will be a great experience for all! Here is information that will help you prepare for your arrival at camp.

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE: Please arrive at camp at between 6:30 and 7:00 pm. ****Participants may arrive as early as 4:00 pm – NO FRIDAY EVENING MEAL IS SERVED – plan accordingly**** All retreat participants should check in at the main Lodge, located on the right when you pull into the main camp driveway. The weekend will wrap up at 3:00 pm on Sunday. *(Late arrivals should contact camp directly at the phone number listed on the back of this letter.)*

LEADER & PROGRAM INFORMATION: Crossways will have a Creative Memories Consultant, Becky Willard, at your retreat to lead mini-workshops, provide raffle prizes, assist you with questions, and who will have product available for you to purchase. The CM Consultant will contact you prior to camp, in case you have any items you would like to pre-order.

Each participant will be provided with a 6' or 8' table. **When possible** groups who register together will have tables arranged together. A few additional tables will be available for all participants to share cutting machines and tools. FREE Wireless internet is available for those who bring their laptops for digital scrapbooking, etc.

Please note – if you are a CM Consultant, please refrain from bringing product to sell as a courtesy to our program.

DIRECTIONS: Follow the map on the back of this sheet. We recommend that you **do NOT use** Google, Yahoo, or Mapquest. If you still have questions, please call camp directly.

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER: If someone needs to contact you during your stay at camp in the case of an emergency, Crossways' staff will take a message for you as phones are not available in your cabin.

LODGING: Scrapbook and lodging facilities are located in the SAME building at Waypost. Our maximum retreat size is 15 participants – this ensures ample space for scrapbooking and for each participant to have a bottom bunk bed. Participants will be assigned rooms based on roommate requests and health concerns.

SMOKING, DRUGS AND ALCOHOL: Crossways Camping Ministries is a drug-free, smoke-free and alcohol-free environment. Use of drugs and alcohol are strictly forbidden. (An exception is made for communion wine.) Wisconsin state law prohibits smoking by anyone under the age of 18. If needed, Crossways' staff will direct anyone 18 or older wishing to smoke to a designated smoking area.

FOOD SERVICE: Crossways food service staff prepares and serves fresh, well-balanced meals during your stay. In order to plan for the retreat, it is important for us to know if you have any food allergies in advance of your arrival. Our cooks will plan for your arrival about two week ahead of time. If you have special dietary needs, health concerns, or mobility concerns please call camp directly as soon as possible after registration.

HEALTH FORM: State law requires that a completed health form be on file at camp in order for a camper (under 18) to attend a program at Crossways. Included is a Health Form for you to BRING WITH YOU to camp. Health forms for adults are strongly encouraged but not required.

NEW in 2010! FREE Wireless internet is available for those who bring their laptops for digital scrapbooking, etc.

PACKING LIST

What do I need to bring to camp?

- Pictures and other memorabilia
- Scrapbooking supplies (tools, paper, etc.)
- Bible
- Bedding and Towels
- Health form & medication
- Toiletries
- Flip flops/shower shoes
- Outdoor and Indoor shoes
- Casual, comfortable clothing
- Flashlight
- Battery Operated Alarm Clock – cell phones rarely get service at camp

What shouldn't I bring to camp?

- Pets
- Anything expensive. Crossways insurance does not cover your personal items.
- The common sense items: weapons, drugs, and alcohol.

Optional Items to Enhance Your Retreat Experience: *This list was compiled by previous retreat participants – they are not required items, but helpful suggestions.*

- Camera (memory card, film, batteries)
- Binoculars
- Water Bottle
- Slippers
- Extra Pillow – to maximize comfort while sitting in chairs
- Chair – some people prefer to bring their own chair rather than those we provide at camp
- Extra light/extension cord – some prefer to have a personal Ott-lite/LED light for their table
- Money for Canteen or to Purchase Scrapbook Supplies
- Earplugs – to drown out sound at night
- Fan – to drown out sound at night
- Reading Material (a great novel, magazine, etc.) – for free time
- Writing Material (letters, envelopes, stamps, etc.) – for free time
- Outdoor Attire – for hiking on camp trails or roads during free time
- Bike & Helmet – for biking around the lake during free time
- Lawn Chair – to sit along the lakeshore and enjoy God's creation
- DVD's – to watch a movie during free time
- ipods, MP3 players & headphones/speakers

If you have any further questions about your stay at camp please call Waypost Camp directly at 715-454-6487 and speak with Sara Damrow, Director. If you have registration or payment questions, please call our Appleton office at 920-882-0023.

