

Baptist Youth Camp of the Ozarks
Competition Categories: Sign-up for these is Monday at Registration.

Speech and Quizzing Events:

1. Boys' Preaching **(8-minute time limit)**
2. Girls' Reading/Storytelling/Sunday School Lesson (5-minute time limit)
3. Bible Quiz - Team and Individual (50 questions) The top three scoring teams qualify for the Bible-Quiz-Off Friday morning to determine 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places.
4. Scripture Memorization - Individual

Talent Events PLEASE NOTE: There is a three (3) minute time limit for each performance.

1. Vocal Solo, Male
2. Vocal Solo, Female
3. Vocal Group (2-4 members)
4. Vocal Ensemble (5 or more members)
5. Piano Solo
6. Piano Duet
7. Instrumental Solo
(A piano may accompany only. The instrument solo must carry the melody)
8. Instrumental Group (2 or more members)
(A piano will not be considered an instrument for instrumental group)
9. Boys' Song Leading

Art Event:

1. Sketching

Things to Bring:

1. Bible
2. Pen and Paper
3. Extra spending money
4. Swim Suit
5. Extra clothes and shoes
6. Jacket, hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, bug spray
7. Pillow, sheet, and blanket (or sleeping bag)
8. Soap, towels, and toiletries
9. Sports equipment
10. Musical Instruments
11. A FRIEND!

Athletic Events:

1. Softball Sr Camp/ Kickball Jr Camp
2. Volleyball
3. Track
4. Swimming
5. Water Volleyball (Ladies only)
6. Basketball (Men only)
7. Water Basketball (Men only)

GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR TALENT EVENTS:

1. Art, Music, Song-Leading, Bible Memory, Preaching, and Girl's Reading/Storytelling/Sunday School lesson entries must sign up for respective events upon arrival on Monday! **(Paper for art must be picked up from Bro. Bingham before the evening service Monday evening.)**
2. Bible Memory entries must register and qualify before 4PM Monday.
3. All Music events will be limited to a 3 (three) minute time limit. A 5 (five) point penalty will be added to your final score for each additional 15 seconds.
4. Preaching and Girls Reading/Storytelling have time limits. A 5 (five) point penalty will be added to your final score for each additional 15 seconds. **All outlines must be approved by Pastor and/or Youth Director.**
5. All art entries must be a black and white freehand sketch using a graphite pencil only.
No art entry may be started before arrival at camp grounds. All Art entries must be completed and turned in by 12pm Thursday of camp. Judging will be done @ 1pm
6. Boys' Song Leading contestants will lead the congregation in a hymn or Jr Church-type song. If a contestant chooses a chorus for his entry, it may be sung twice. If a hymn is chosen, he may lead 1 (one) verse and 1 (one) chorus.

GENERAL RULES FOR BIBLE QUIZ

1. The quiz will be a written test administered at 7:45AM Wednesday.
2. You may participate as an individual and/or on a 4 (four) member team.
3. There is no limit on the number of teams a church may enter. However, a contestant may be a member of only one (1) team.
4. There will be awards for team and individual members.

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GUIDELINES FOR BIBLE MEMORY

Ps 119:11 plainly declares “Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee.” Memorizing God’s Word will enable campers to resist and escape temptation.

The goals of this event are simple:

1. To be able to lead someone else to Christ (guidelines 1 and 2);
2. To comprehend entire thoughts or ideas from God’s Word (guidelines 5 and 6);
3. To hide as much of God’s Word in the camper’s heart as possible.

So that “*all things be done decently and in order*” (1 Cor. 14:40), we have established the following guidelines:

1. In order for a camper to qualify as a Bible Memory contestant, the “Romans Road” plan of salvation must be quoted word-perfect in the following order:

Romans 3:10, 23; 6:23; 5:8; 10:9,10,13. Verses must be quoted to the Camp Talent Coordinators.

2. All potential contestants must register and qualify with the Camp Talent Coordinators before 4PM, on the Monday of camp.
3. Guidelines 1 and 2 are prerequisite to be eligible to be a contestant.
4. Each contestant must have two (2) reference lists: one for the camper and the other for the Listener. A contestant may add to these lists as needed.
5. Each contestant must begin by quoting passages consisting of a minimum of 5 verses. There must be a minimum of 25 verses quoted during this portion of the competition. This can be done many ways, such as 5 sets of five, one passage of 25, etc.
6. These passages must be quoted perfectly, as a whole, with at least one passage being attempted in a sitting. If a passage of 5 verses is attempted, and 1 word in a single verse is missed, then the whole passage must be requoted.
7. Guidelines 5 and 6 are prerequisite to all other verses being quoted (individual or further passages).
8. When a contestant has qualified and met the prerequisites, individual verses and/or passages may be quoted. Individual verses are as the name implies, individual. A sequential order or a complete thought is not required. NOTE: See guideline #9.
9. A minimum of five (5) verses, individual or passage, must be attempted at one time. Contestant receives credit for any or all of the verses quoted in accordance to the guidelines. (This rule is intended to protect the limited time of each Listener) If the contestant comes down to the last few verses, and these verses total fewer than 5 it is acceptable to quote these even though they don’t meet the minimum requirement for a sitting. A contestant MAY NOT study and quote one verse at a time during that sitting. The contestant may pause to study again every 5 verses if necessary.
10. No repetitive verse or verses will be allowed.
11. Each qualified contestant will be assigned a Listener to whom the verses will be quoted.
12. Verses may be quoted to the camper’s assigned Listener until Thursday of camp at 4PM.
13. All verses, individual or passage, must be from the KJV Bible only.
14. To be counted, the verse must be quoted “word-perfect” without help from the judge or any outside source.
15. Should any questions arise or clarifications be necessary, the Talent Coordinator shall be responsible to settle the issue. The decision of the Talent Coordinator shall be final.

Baptist Youth Camp of the Ozarks - Talent Registration Form

(Please present this form to the Talent Coordinator upon arrival.)

Church Name: _____ City: _____

Head Counselor: _____

Please list the name of each camper or group and the name of each song.

Female Vocal Solo

Instrumental Solo (piano may accompany)

Male Vocal Solo

Instrumental Group (2 or more – piano not included)

Vocal Group (2-4 people)

Song Leading

Vocal Ensemble (5 or more)

(Please list the number of people in each ensemble)

Preaching

Piano Solo

Reading & Story Telling

Piano Duet

Baptist Youth Camp of the Ozarks – Talent Registration Form (cont.)

Bible Memory – Romans Road Only

Bible Quiz

Bible Memory – With Additional Verses

Art

(paper must come from Talent Coordinator at Registration Table)
