



## PENIEL BIBLE CAMP APPEARANCE AND CONDUCT EXPECTATIONS

*The Word of God raises a high standard of dignity in areas of modesty of dress, courtesy, and willing subjection to constituted authority. We do not imply that everything we have excluded is wrong. However, we believe these expectations are necessary and enforceable for our camping program.*

**GENERAL:** All clothing must be in good taste, modest, and loose fitting. (Loose fitting is defined as the ability to “pinch an inch” of material.) Clothing with extreme styles, symbols, or imprints inappropriate in a Christian atmosphere, or designed to bring attention to the body should not be worn. Properly concealed under support is required. Shoes and socks that provide appropriate foot protection are to be worn for recreational activities. The camp reserves the right to ask a camper to change clothing that is deemed inappropriate.

**MEN/BOYS:** Recreational wear includes loose fitting pants that come at least to the knee and shirts with sleeves. Swimwear includes boxer-style trunks or cut-offs. Jewelry, such as earrings, bracelets, or necklaces, is not to be worn. Long pants and collared shirts appropriately buttoned and tucked-in should be worn for evening or other prescribed chapels.

**LADIES/GIRLS:** Dresses and tops should be loose fitting with sleeves, cover the midriff at all times, and not have low necklines in front or back. Recreational wear includes loose fitting slacks, culottes, capris, etc. Garments should cover the knee when sitting or standing. Swimwear includes modest one-piece suits. Cut-offs or culottes, etc., with appropriate tops are acceptable. Dark T-shirts are needed as cover-ups for water activities. Dresses or skirts should be worn for evening or other prescribed chapels.

### **CONDUCT:**

- Physical contact between unmarried couples is not allowed.
- Tobacco, alcohol, or illegal drugs are not permitted on the grounds.
- Electronic devices such as games, cell phones, iPods, and MP3 players are not allowed in the cabins.
- A spirit of complaint and insubordination shown in repeated attempts to violate the expectations or a display of ungodly language or conduct shall be reason for dismissal.

**FAMILY CAMPS AND RETREATS:** Children younger than youth camp age (3<sup>rd</sup> grade) may have a somewhat shorter skirt or pant length than that noted above. Please limit cell phone use.