



ANVIL GUYS RETREAT | CAMP WIDJIWAGAN | FEBRUARY 25-26

Students, Leaders and Parents:

It's almost that time! Anvil 2022 is coming.

As we prepare to go, know that we are incredibly excited about spending a weekend with our young men and fathers at Anvil. It's going to be an incredible time of bonding, growing, bible study, worship and recreation. On the other side of this weekend, we hope our young men will walk away deeper in their faith, develop new friendships, and be further equipped to live life as a godly biblical man.

We have another tremendous team of leaders and teachers joining us this year. Derrick DeLain, Lead Pastor at Proclamation Church, will be preaching on Friday night and Saturday morning. We are looking forward to him joining us. Also, happening Saturday are 2 breakout sessions about "Making Disciples" and "Prayer" lead by Brentwood Baptist staff.

Combined with small groups, worship, and breakouts we have incredible times of fellowship and recreation planned for all students.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact our office.

The Student Ministry Team

LEAVING AND RETURNING:

CHECK-IN: Check in begins at **6:00 PM** on Friday, February 25 in the **HUDSON HALL, Connection Center – Brentwood Campus**. Buses will depart at 6:30 PM.

LATE ARRIVAL/TIME AWAY/EARLY DISMISSAL Any student with a mandatory activity that will preclude them from arriving at check-in Friday (6:00 PM) is required to turn in a time away form. In addition, if your son is needing to be away during a portion of the weekend or to leave early, they will need to turn in a time away form as well. Please notify our office immediately if this is something you need.

2022 MEDICAL RELEASE FORM and WIDJI Form is required to attend.

We're in a new year, which means a new release form. Please complete the [2022 Student Release Form](#) (requires a notary) & a front/back copy of your student's insurance card as well as the required [Widji/YMCA waiver form](#) and turn them into the student ministry offices as soon as you can. We will be set up inside Hudson Hall from 6:00-6:30PM. **We will be collecting paper work and will have a notary available at check-in Friday, February 25th** on the Brentwood Campus, but lines may be long. You are also welcome to turn in all paper work at your specific campus. We encourage you to utilize your local bank or library for assistance in getting paperwork notarized.

RETURN: *approximately* 4:15 PM on Saturday, February 26 to the **Connection Center at Brentwood Baptist**.

LODGING + BATHROOM FACILITIES:

We will be staying at Camp Widjiwagan, Nashville, TN. (3088 Smith Springs Road, Antioch, TN 37013) Cabins have bunk beds, electricity, bathrooms and heating/air.

WHAT TO BRING:

- Sleeping bag + pillow
- Towel (to shower)
- Bible + Pen
- Sleepwear
- Personal Toiletries (*deodorant, toothbrush, etc.*)
- Comfortable, weather appropriate clothes are fine for the entire weekend!
- Flashlight
- Close-toed shoes for rec time.
- A rolling suitcase is suggested as cabins are a good distance from the drop-off location. Keeping items as contained as possible is also suggested. Sleeping bags and pillows in trash bags is a good way to do this. It also helps protect them from rain and/or puddles.

- A Great Attitude!

WHAT NOT TO BRING:

- ⊗ NO portable electronic devices (iPods, iPads, tablets, game units, etc.)
 - ⊗ NO alcohol, tobacco, drugs, or drug paraphernalia of any kind including E-cigarettes and Vapes*
 - ⊗ NO knives or any kind of weapon*
 - ⊗ NO animals of any kind. But, seriously.
 - ⊗ NO pranks, period*
 - ⊗ NO fighting, threatening, or bullying of any kind*
 - ⊗ NO large amounts of cash
 - ⊗ NO energy drinks
- *may result in immediate removal + future consequences

***REMEMBER TO BRING LINENS OR A SLEEPING BAG and a TOWEL! ***
Please label items with your student's name!

GUIDELINES:

***STUDENT CELL PHONES WILL BE ENCOURAGED TO BE LEFT IN CABINS FOR AN UNPLUGGED EXPERIENCE.**

- Our Anvil lead team of students and adults has planned for an unplugged, phone-free retreat this year. **Dads and Leaders will keep their cell phone for safety and communication purposes**, but all students will be encouraged to leave their cellphones in the cabins.
- Should you need to reach your student, please note the following emergency contact information at the bottom of this page.

***PRESCRIPTION MEDICINE:** If you have prescription medicine, you **MUST** complete the attached Medication Form and check it with us when you sign in on Friday. A nurse will supervise all medications. Anyone **NOT** turning in medication will be subject to removal from the retreat. We cannot take risks in this area!

***NO Portable Electronic Devices:** We only have a short weekend together. To encourage conversation and community-building, please leave these devices (including iPods/music players, gaming devices, etc.) at home.

***THE BIG 3 = DRUGS, WEAPONS, SAFETY:** Any student who brings any type of drugs (including alcohol and tobacco) or any type of weapon, will be immediately sent home. In addition, anyone who fights, threatens the safety of others, or fails to comply with camp rules will be subject to removal from the weekend, and may face future consequences.

***LIGHTS OUT** means that all rooms must turn all lights out and be quiet. Changing clothes and brushing teeth and all that pre-bed stuff must be done **BEFORE** Lights Out.

Remember our "BIG 5" Group Proverbs:

No one likes a bunch of rules, but as a group we have to live by some guidelines. Keep these in mind and we'll all be just fine!

- Show Respect!
- Listen!
- Be Flexible!
- Have a Good Attitude!
- Be where you're supposed to be, when you're supposed to be there, doing what you're supposed to be doing!

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Camp Widjiwagan
3088 Smith Springs Rd.
Antioch, TN 37013
<http://www.campwidji.org/>

Garrett Gregory's Cell: 615-540-4284
Mac Johnson's Cell: 919-357-2329
Chris Blanton's Cell: 615-545-0123
John Walker Cell: 757-434-2827
Steve Wilkinson Cell: 931-636-3126

****Please only call these numbers if it is urgent! ****

WEEKEND SCHEDULE:

FRIDAY | 02.25.2022

06:00 REGISTRATION BEINGS | CHECK-IN AT BBC IN HUDSON HALL
06:30 BUSES LEAVE FOR ANVIL
07:30 ARRIVE
08:00 WORSHIP
08:45 SMALL GROUPS
09:30 LATE NIGHT (WESTERN NIGHT)

- MEAT, S'MORES, ETC
- VIDEOS

10:15 HEAD TO ROOMS

- HIGH SCHOOL LATE NIGHT (GLOW IN THE DARK CAPTURE THE FLAG)

11:15 LIGHTS OUT!

SATURDAY | 02.26.2022

08:00 BREAKFAST
08:30 BEGIN LOADING SHUTTLE TO GREAT HALL
08:50 QUIET TIME
09:00 WORSHIP
10:00 SMALL GROUPS
10:45 BREAK
11:05 EXPLAIN LAB BREAKOUTS "YOU PICK TWO"
25 MINUTES EACH, WITH 5 MINS TO SWITCH.
STUDENTS CAN PICK AND CHOOSE AS THEY WISH.
11:15 BREAK-OUT GROUPS ROUND 1
11:45 BREAK-OUT GROUPS ROUND 2
12:15 SHUTTLE TO LUNCH
01:15 TIME WITH DADS/ TIME TO REFLECT
01:30 FREE TIME (SOCCER TOURNAMENT)
03:00 PACK BUSES
03:30 LEAVE FOR BBC
04:15 ARRIVE AT BBC

If you have any additional questions, please contact Karyn Caldwell or Anna Brackins-Gilmore in the Student Ministry office at 615.324.6288/ 615.324.6126 or kcaldwell@brentwoodbaptist.com / [Abrackins-gilmore@brentwoodbaptist.com](mailto:abrackins-gilmore@brentwoodbaptist.com)

Begin to pray NOW that we experience God in new and exciting ways this weekend as we focus on connecting with God and one another! Can't wait to see you there!