

## MEALS

Three nutritious hot meals are provided each day for Resident Campers - Lunch will be provided for Day Campers daily under the sponsorship of the Boys & Girls Clubs Alumni & Friends.

These meals are provided to all campers regardless of age, race, sex, disability, religious or political affiliation or belief, or national origin.

## MID AFTERNOON SNACK

Nutritious snacks will be provided to all campers each afternoon in the dining hall.

## HEALTH & SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Wichita Falls takes every precaution possible to assure the safety and health of all campers. Staff requirements, management, health, sanitation, and food preparation of the camp meet the standards described by the Tx. Dept. of Health Youth Camp Licensing.

## MAIL CALL

All campers look forward to mail call. Please be sure that your child is not disappointed, and that he or she receives a cheerful note from his or her family.

Mail should be addressed to the camper, c/o Camp Graham Ball, 12017 FM 368 S, Holliday, TX 76366-4213.  
**PLEASE DO NOT MAIL AFTER TUESDAY OF EACH CAMP SESSION.**



## MEDICINE POLICY

**If your child is on medication, please give it to the Camp Director during check-in, before departure to camp.** Be sure that a pharmacy label is on the container that includes the child's name and dose instructions. Be sure there is enough medication for the entire camp session. The medication is kept and dispensed by the Camp Director. Medications will need to be picked up from the Camp Director when your child returns from camp.

## VISITATION POLICY

Due to the short length of camp sessions, family visiting days are not available.

## HOME SICKNESS

We recognize this as a natural part of a child's development. Staff will counsel campers to help them adjust. Our policy is not to bring a child back to town because of home sickness.

## TELEPHONE

The camp maintains a telephone for administrative and emergency use only. Campers are not allowed to make or receive calls. Parents needing to get messages to their children may contact the Executive Director at the Boys & Girls Clubs. **No cell phones** are permitted at camp.

## IN CASE OF EMERGENCY...

In case of an accident, illness, or emergency at camp, the parent/guardian listed on the application will be notified immediately. **It is vital that emergency contact telephone numbers for home and work are accurately recorded when registering.**

## \$ MONEY \$

**Campers are not allowed to take money to camp. Any money will be confiscated and returned to the parent/guardian following camp.**

## DISCIPLINE

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Wichita Falls reserves the right to forfeit a camper's privilege to attend if camper exhibits dangerous or incorrigible behavior that cannot be corrected by staff.

The Parent/Guardian will be notified and the camper will be returned to the Parent/Guardian as soon as possible.



Here is a suggested list:

Hat or cap (to protect from the sun)	
2 pair blue jeans	1 swim suit
2 pair shorts	3 towels
2 pair tennis shoes	2 wash cloths
5 t-shirts	5 pair socks
5 pair underwear	1 pair pajamas
Toiletries	Laundry bag
Sunscreen lotion	Pillow
2 sheets & blanket or sleeping bag	

**Please put your child's name on all personal belongings**

**Good to have though not required:** Cameras, flashlight, insect repellent (wipe-on lotion, no sprays), canteen or plastic water bottle.

## **Do Not Bring:**

Money, food, gum, candy, knives, radios, electronic games, cell phones, tablets, any electronic devices, fireworks, undesirable literature, non-prescription drugs, or tobacco products. **IF ANY OF THE ABOVE ITEMS ARE FOUND, THEY WILL BE CONFISCATED.**

**THE BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF WICHITA FALLS IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST/STOLEN ARTICLES OF ANY KIND.**

Questions or for more information call:  
940-322-2012



## 2019 CAMP DATES

First Session - **June 10 - 13, 2019**

**Day Camp - Age 7 & up**

Second Session - **June 17—20 , 2019**

**Resident Camp (Girls) Age 10, 11 & 12**

Third Session - **June 24—27, 2019**

**Resident Camp (Boys) Age 10, 11 & 12**

Fourth Session - **July 1-3, 2019**

**Day Camp - Age 7 & up**

Fifth Session - **July 9-11, 2019**

**Resident Camp (Girls) Age 7, 8 & 9**

Sixth Session - **July 16—18, 2017**

**Resident Camp (Boys) Age 7, 8 & 9**

## LIFETIME MEMORIES

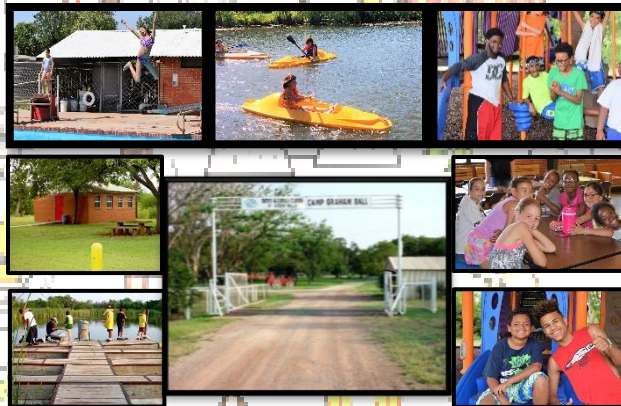
**The purpose of the Boys & Girls Clubs' camping program is to provide a creative outdoor educational experience.**

**Campers will develop a sense of pride and self-worth through their accomplishments, while learning a sense of responsibility and respect for others in a safe and healthy environment.**

**Our camp program creates an atmosphere where children learn to live, work, and play together while making a variety of friends.**



# 2019 CAMP GRAHAM BALL



## RESIDENT & DAY SUMMER CAMP

Come join us in celebrating  
the 56th year of fun  
at Camp Graham Ball!

### ELIGIBILITY

All campers must be members in good standing with the Boys & Girls Clubs of Wichita Falls. Membership dues are \$12.00 per year.

In keeping with standards set for safety and fun, this is a 1st come, 1st served opportunity for your child. **Space is limited to 50 campers per session for Resident Camp only.** Therefore, getting required application and fees turned in early is key to camper participation and acceptance to this very popular outdoor program!

Campers **MUST check in** at Central Boys & Girls Club, 1318 6th Street, **no later than 8:30 a.m.** with their gear.

### CAMP CREDITS

To attend Camp Graham Ball, members must earn camp credits. Credits are awarded for participation in various activities throughout the year. Campers must also maintain high standards of citizenship at the Clubs, in school, and in the community.

**Pee Wee** (7-8-9 yrs.) - 500 credits

**Cadet/Jr.** (10-11 & 12 yrs.) - 600 credits

Upon completion of camp credits, members are given camp/swim permission forms. These forms **MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENTS or legal guardians** and **submitted with required accident insurance fee of \$5 per session for Resident Camp & \$1 per session for Day Camp, prior to attending camp.**

### TRANSPORTATION

Bus transportation to and from camp is provided. Campers will be returned to the Central Club **by 5 P.M.** on the last day of each camp session. **IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PARENTS TO PICK UP THE CAMPERS AT THAT TIME.**

### FACILITIES

Located just 28 miles southwest of Wichita Falls (at Lake Kickapoo in Archer County), Camp Graham Ball is a very big part of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Wichita Falls. There are five air-conditioned brick cabins accommodating fifty campers weekly. Modern & updated kitchen and cafeteria facilities are also air conditioned. Restrooms and showers with hot water are centrally located and adjacent to the Olympic-sized swimming pool.

Providing comfort is a high priority at the Boys & Girls Clubs Camp. Other facilities include a man-made lake with floating boat dock, archery range, picnic shelter, baseball field, volleyball court, basketball court, a Frisbee golf range, playground, and camp headquarters.

### CAMP-STAFF

Camp staff are carefully selected adults, consisting of a camp program director, camp director, Red Cross certified lifeguards, cabin directors, professional cook, kitchen staff, and senior counselors.

### ACTIVITIES

Activities include swimming, fishing, boating, archery, wagon rides, campfire activities, arts & crafts, frisbee golf, softball, volleyball, soccer, basketball, and table games.

In addition to recreational swims, swim lessons are offered daily. All swimming is restricted to the swimming pool area and under the close supervision of certified life guards.

Canoeing, kayaking, paddle boating, and fishing are available on the camp lake. Rest at ease knowing that campers are always under camp staff supervision and all campers are required to wear life jackets (provided by camp personnel)

