



### **Winkler Bible Camp's Rental Policy**

Winkler Bible Camp is committed to providing great service and seeing all opportunities that we have as a privilege to share the love of Jesus Christ through our actions, attitudes, and words, we must remain true to our Statement of Faith, our interpretation of the Holy Bible, and Winkler Bible Camp's Code of Conduct.

While on any of our sites, we require all individuals, rental groups, campers, visitors, and staff to respect our Statement of Faith and our Code of Conduct. By signing the rental agreement, the rental contact person assumes all responsibility to convey the following Statement of Faith and Code of Conduct with those he/she is representing on behalf of the group. It is also agreed that the rental group will abide by the Code of Conduct and will not teach, promote, or practice anything that is in opposition to or is inconsistent with our Statement of Faith while on any Winkler Bible Camp owned or operated property.

### **Winkler Bible Camp's Statement of Faith**

#### **1. The Word of God:**

We believe that the Bible is the Word of God, fully inspired by the Holy Spirit. We believe that the Bible in its original manuscripts is free from all falsehood or mistake and so is entirely true and trustworthy in all matters and that it has supreme authority in all matters of faith and conduct.

#### **2. The Trinity:**

We believe that there is one living and true God, eternally existing in three persons; the Father, Son (Jesus Christ), and the Holy Spirit. They are equal in every divine perfection, and that they execute distinct but harmonious roles in the work of creation, providence and redemption.

#### **3. Jesus Christ:**

We believe in Jesus Christ, God's only begotten son, conceived by the Holy Spirit. We believe in His virgin birth, sinless life, miracles and teachings. We believe in His substitutionary atoning death, bodily resurrection, ascension into Heaven, perpetual intercession for His people, and personal visible return to earth.

#### **4. Satan:**

We believe that Satan and his demons are created beings and are adversaries of God.

#### **5. State of humankind/Salvation:**

We believe that humankind was created in the image of God; that humankind sinned and thereby incurred not only physical death but also spiritual separation from God; and that all human beings are born with a sinful nature. Everyone who reaches the stage of understanding moral responsibility and becomes culpable sinners, are in need of a Savior to bring them into a personal relationship with God. This is possible only through repenting from our sinful ways and accepting Jesus Christ as their personal Savior and that He paid the penalty of our sins by dying for us and rising from the grave conquering sin and death to live eternally. As such, all believers should attempt to live according to His guidelines as recorded in the Holy Bible and through the leading of the Holy Spirit.

#### **6. Eternal life:**

We believe in the bodily resurrection of all people. Those that have accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Savior, or have not yet reached the stage of accountability, will enter into eternal life of joy and blessedness with God and other fellow believers, and the eternal punishment for those that have not done so.

## **Winkler Bible Camp's Code of Conduct**

While on Winkler Bible Camp owned or operated property, the group agrees to refrain from the following:

- Practicing, teaching, and/or promoting any religious practices contrary to or not in accordance with the Statement of Faith of Winkler Bible Camp
- Teaching, promoting or engaging in pre-marital or extra-marital sexual relationships
- Teaching, promoting or engaging in practices that contradict Winkler Bible Camp's belief that marriage is only between one man and one woman as it is described in the Holy Bible
- Reading, viewing, or possessing pornographic material
- Consumption or possession of alcoholic beverages
- Use of profane or blasphemous language
- Smoking in any buildings or on the grounds other than in the designated smoking areas
- Littering, destruction of wildlife and/or nature, or hunting
- Allowing pets in/on any Winkler Bible Camp property
- Engaging in any behavior contrary to the Criminal Code of Canada

Participating in any one or more of the above listed points will render the individual, renter, and/or group in breach of Winkler Bible Camp's Code of Conduct. Consequences and actions due to a breach of the Code of Conduct will be at the discretion of Winkler Bible Camp staff and will be based on the degree of undue hardship the breach has or may cause Winkler Bible Camp. Actions may include, but not be limited to, an individual and/or group being asked to leave the grounds and pay for all damages related to their actions and be required to fulfill all financial obligations even