



CAMP OZARK

CLOSING DAY PROGRAM



SESSION A

2026



CLOSING CEREMONY

HIGHLIGHTS

1

Traditional Songs

The “Big 5” are the five traditional songs we sing during our Opening and Closing Day worship services. They’re fun, they’re loud, and the campers love them! Join in as we sing a Camp Ozark favorite, “Pharaoh, Pharaoh.”

2

Staff Introductions

FOLLOW ALONG ON PAGES 3-8 Meet the hardworking backbone of Camp Ozark, the Ozark staff. You can follow along using this program for more information on the different teams and individuals.

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Values & Special Recognition

FOLLOW ALONG ON PAGE 9 Our “values-based camping” philosophy is an important part of the Camp Ozark experience. We will take a moment to recognize some individual campers for their accomplishments.

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Camper Awards

FOLLOW ALONG ON PAGES 10 The Order of the Arrow award recognizes those campers who have exemplified the “3 flames” of Team Competition. F.I.T. awards recognize those in each cabin who have modeled true First is Third behavior.

5

Tenure Awards

FOLLOW ALONG ON PAGES 11 Our returning campers are at the heart of Camp Ozark! Check out all of our campers who have tenured four summers or more.

6

Closing Remarks & Friends

As we conclude our Closing Day ceremony, we pass along a few tidbits of important information before wrapping things up with the traditional singing of the song “Friends.” See you next summer!

FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED *For Over 35 Years*



Since 1985, the Torn family has dedicated their lives to creating an incomparable camp experience and environment for kids. The Torns believe firmly the Lord has blessed them with an amazing staff, driven by purpose and committed to the mission of serving kids. Each of the three summer camp environments created by the Torns have been meticulously planned to blend incomparable natural beauty with the most diverse and exciting camp programming in America.

Whether they are creating new and innovative ways for kids to have a total blast, perfecting the customer experience, providing quality health care, washing dishes, or re-stocking the store, each of the three generations of the Torn family are fully invested in making every aspect of the experience incomparable.

Our goal is for each and every child and each and every staff member to feel like family. We know for many families, the summer camp experience is transformative for their children. We love creating places where kids can be kids. Where they can learn to laugh, sing, run, and play. Where they can be goofy, silly, and crazy. Where they can learn, mature, and grow. Where they can make a friend, be a friend, and keep a friend. It's why we do what we do. There is no place we would rather be than leading an amazing staff who seek to make a real impact on kids.

THE TORN FAMILY



SAM AND SUSAN TORN

Sam and Susan Torn have been the owners of Camp Ozark since 1985. However, Sam first came to Camp Ozark (then known as Ozark Boy's Camp) in 1951 at the age of three with his family. He later spent five summers as a camper at Ozark Boy's Camp and six summers as a counselor.

In 1985, Sam and Susan, along with their three small children, left their suburban lifestyle behind and took a leap of faith when they acquired the assets of Camp Ozark. Since then, through hard work, dedication, and the highest of standards, the Torn family has guided Camp Ozark to its place as THE premier summer camp experience.

As the founders of the Camp Ozark experience, Sam and Susan remain fully committed to the mission of Camp Ozark and to the overall camper experience. Sam and Susan's three children - Scott, Chris, and Angela - have now all assumed operating responsibilities for the Torn Family Camps and continue the legacy begun by Sam and Susan. Sam and Susan also have fourteen grandchildren and one great-grandchild and count them as the greatest joys of their life.



SCOTT AND SECILY TORN

Scott Torn, along with his sister Angela, is a Director of Camp Ozark and oversees all operations. Scott also serves as a Family Director for Camp OTX, directs the Torn Family Camps leadership team, and is a co-director of the Camp Ozark Foundation. Throughout the years, Scott has experienced Camp Ozark from many perspectives: Camper, Dishwasher, Counselor, Lake Crew Director, Head Boys Counselor, and as a parent of campers and summer staff.

Scott's wife, Secily, is a board-certified pediatrician and part of the Camp Ozark Medical Advisory Team. Secily also serves as a Camp Doctor at times throughout the summer.

Scott began dating Secily in the fall of 1992 as a result of their Camp Ozark counselor experience. They married in the fall of 1996 and have five children: Sam, Jack, Kaiya, Tucker, and Anna Scott.



ANGELA AND STEPHAN SHAW

Angela Shaw, along with her brother Scott, is a Director of Camp Ozark and oversees all operations. Angela also serves as a Family Director for Camp OTX. Angela is an attorney by trade and directs the risk management aspects of Camp Ozark as well as overseeing all of the camp's legal and legislative initiatives. Over the years, Angela has experienced Camp Ozark as a Camper, CIT, Kitchen Crew, Counselor, Head Girls Counselor, and as a parent of campers.

Angela's husband, Stephan, is also a practicing attorney and recently completed his debut novel "Glory in the Dust," which should hit bookshelves in the near future.

Angela and Stephan married at Camp Ozark in 2012, having met through mutual Camp Ozark acquaintances. They have four children: Mack, Susan, Torn (in heaven), and Annie.



CHRIS AND CECI TORN

Chris joined the Camp Ozark permanent staff in 2005 where he directed camper recruitment, the camper experience, spiritual emphasis, and Team Competition. In 2017, Chris completed his Master of Theological Studies from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. In 2018, Chris transitioned his focus to a new project that we now know as Camp OTX.

Chris and Ceci both serve on the board of As Our Own, a ministry that rescues some of the world's most vulnerable children. Ceci also serves on the board and the executive committee of Camp Blessing, a Texas not-for-profit camp for children of all abilities.

Chris and Ceci married in 1998 and have five children: Caroline, Caitie, Mary Claire, Christopher, and Charles Henry. They welcomed their first granddaughter, Charlotte, this year.

INCOMPARABLE LEADERSHIP

The Camp Ozark Leadership Team spends 365 days a year planning, preparing, and evaluating all aspects of the program to ensure our campers have an incomparable experience. During the summer, this team is directly involved in day-to-day operations of the camp program.

GENE MONK Arkansas Tech

44 Summers



Living in the nearby town of Oden, Gene began working at Camp Ozark in 1979 and, except for a short stint in the Peace Corp, has worked every summer since. In 1984 Gene joined Sam and Susan Torn for their inaugural year as owners of Camp Ozark, serving as the camp program director. Gene now oversees the entire Camp Ozark facility & all camp office operations. Gene met his wife, Amy, at Camp Ozark when they were both members of the Summer Staff. Married in 1988, they have three children: Ginny, Callie, and Will.

DEBBIE AND WADE PRIDDY Baylor & Texas A&M

34 & 8 Summers



Debbie began working at Camp Ozark in 1985 while a student at Baylor University. In fact, Debbie was one of the very first people hired by Sam and Susan Torn. Debbie also has the distinction of being the original Mish Mash lady! Debbie oversees all aspects of summer staff hiring, training, supervision. Debbie is also responsible for all HR concerns relating to the Camp Ozark permanent staff. Debbie met her husband, Wade, at Camp Ozark, and married in 1990. They have 2 children: Andy and Bailey.

DAVE ATKINS Oklahoma State

39 Summers



Dave began working for Camp Ozark as a Cabin Counselor in 1988 and was the very first Mountain Bike instructor. Dave pursued a PhD in Exercise Physiology but soon followed his heart and joined our full-time staff in 1995. Dave manages many summer programs, such as the Ozark Media Group, Special Events, and camper behavior, as well as hosting the morning show. Dave and his wife Andi met at Camp Ozark, married in 2015, and live in Arkansas, close to the camp property. Dave has two young children: Hannah Rose and Alexander.

PATRICK AND KATIE HOERCHER

Vanderbilt, Duke, Harvard, A&M 22 & 20 Summers



Patrick began working at Camp Ozark as a counselor in 2003. A natural academic, Patrick has earned masters degrees at Duke and Harvard. Patrick now oversees the ministry resources of both Camp Ozark and The Camp Ozark Foundation. He also manages the daily program and our older campers' experience. Patrick's wife, Katie, helps coordinate Ozark's marketing, social media, and customer communication teams. Patrick and Katie met at Camp Ozark in 2007, were married in 2010, and had their son, Bhrett, in 2012.

HALEY HENNESSEY Mississippi State

17 Summers



Haley first joined the Camp Ozark staff in 2010 as a cabin counselor. After graduating from Mississippi State University in 2013 with a degree in Elementary Education, Haley joined the Camp Ozark permanent staff. Haley now serves primarily in the Human Resources department where she acts as the summer staff Coordinator and oversees all summer staff recruiting. Haley and her husband Connor met at Camp Ozark in 2012, and were married in 2018. They have three children: Ann Clark, James, and William.

BEN AND ALI MONK

University of Virginia & UT Austin 14 & 16 Summers



Ben and Ali Monk met in the Camp Ozark Small Gym as counselors in 2009. Ben, a Dallas native and long-time Camp Ozark camper, joined the Permanent Staff team upon graduating from UVA, working from 2012 to 2018 and returned as an Associate Director in 2022. Ali grew up in Austin, is a Texas Longhorn, and came on full-time in 2010. The two married in 2016 and have three beautiful children, Hayden, Eleanor, and Austin.

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TRAVIS AND ALANA TARKINTON

University of the Ozarks 26 & 19 Summers



Travis began working at Camp Ozark in 2001 during his summers in college and joined the permanent staff in 2006. Travis helps manage many different aspects of Camp Ozark with a focus on Financial and IT Operations. Alana joined the permanent staff in 2008. She oversees Retail Operations in the Camp Ozark Store along with serving in the Mt. Ida Ozone Ministry. Travis and Alana met in college and married in 2008. They have one son, Josiah, who was born in 2013. He is affectionately known as "JoJo" around camp.

JOHN AND TIFFANY CATE

Rice University & Mississippi State 19 Summers Each



John, a graduate of Rice University, first came to Camp Ozark in 2007 as a Counselor and Summer Videographer. In 2012, John joined the permanent staff as the Director of Software and Website Development. Tiffany, a graduate of Mississippi State University, first came to Camp Ozark in 2007. Tiffany serves as Camp Ozark's Executive Manager of Retail as well as Sam and Susan's Executive Assistant. John and Tiffany first met at Camp Ozark in 2007 and married in 2018. They have two sons, Jack and Ben.

CRYSTAL SMITH

Louisiana College 16 Summers



A graduate of Louisiana College, Crystal joined Camp Ozark in 2014 as our Health Center Coordinator. A Registered Nurse for over 18 years, Crystal has extensive experience as an Emergency Department Nurse and Camp Ozark medical professional. Crystal is in the nurse practitioner program at ULL, where she recently received the Outstanding Master's Graduate award. Crystal and her husband have 4 children: Austin, Cooper, Paxton, and Sophia.

JERI ANN AND GERRY BREASHEARS

Henderson St. and Arkansas St. 11 Summers Each



Gerry and Jeri Ann are both Arkansas natives and live locally in Mount Ida. Gerry has worked on-site with the Camp Ozark facility since 1986, joining the permanent staff team in 2016. He plays a crucial role in Ozark's construction projects and facility maintenance. Jeri Ann earned a master's degree from Arkansas State University and worked as a teacher before joining Camp Ozark, where she is currently the Director of Food Services. Gerry and Jeri Ann have two children, Taylor and Seth. Seth is on permanent staff at Camp OTX.

JOSH AND JENNA ALLRED

Auburn and Baylor 9 Summers Each



During summer 2015, Josh and Jenna Allred met while working on Top Staff. Josh, a graduate of Auburn University worked full-time as an Ozone Ministries Area Director in Houston from 2013 to 2017 before working for a recruiting and consulting firm. Jenna graduated from Baylor University in 2014 and began work at PWC as an accountant. The Allreds married in 2018 and returned to Camp Ozark in 2022, Josh as part of the HR and Summer Program teams and Jenna with the business services team. They have three wonderful children; Anna Claire, Emma Kate, and Wesley.

JOSH AND FRANNIE CASH

Liverpool John Moores & Auburn 8 & 9 Summers



Josh and Frannie met at the ropes course during the summer of 2013. Josh, a graduate of Liverpool John Moores University in Liverpool, England, worked as a full time recruiter from 2015-2017. He then went on various ventures for the next 6 years. Frannie graduated from Auburn University in 2015 and immediately began working for Ozone Ministries in Houston, TX. Frannie and Josh returned to camp last summer to help grow our international efforts. They have three very loved boys in Finn, Oliver, and Murphy.

THE OZARK *Family*



AG GANEY
Media Coordinator



ALEX SU
IS Program



ANNA SCOTT
Bistro



AUSTIN FLETCHER
Ropes Course



BENTLEY FLETCHER
Human Resources



BLAKE MULLEN
Ropes Course



CORDAVEON CARTER
Media Coordinator



DYLAN DAVIS
Junior Staff



ELLIE TARTER
Aquatics Program



ESTHER LEE
Crafts Program



HANNAH MARIONNEAUX
Media Coordinator



JACK CHENOWETH
Aquatics Program



JULIA WASHBURN
Aquatics Program



KARLEEN STANDRIDGE
IS Program



KG KULI
Accounting



LAUREN GONZALEZ LOPEZ
Int'l Support Staff



LUKE MARTIN
Ropes Course



MARGARET SAVOIE
Crafts Program



MARY EMMA TALLEY
Afternoon Program



MATT STANDRIDGE
Facilities



MATT VIERRA
Lake Program



MORGAN KANE
Shooting Sports



MORGAN MAIER
Camp Ozark Foundation



NIKKI KANZLER
Lake Program



PAIGE PATRICK
Special Events



RAFA GONZALEZ LOPEZ
Work Crew



RILEY WALTON
Morning Program



SARAH ADAMS
Afternoon Program



TANNER ALEXANDER
Team Competition



TASHA FENNEL
Dining Hall Coordinator



TJ STEELE
IT Administration



TY ENDSLEY
Facilities



WILL TARTER
Team Competition

ABBIE PEDERSON
Creative Director

CHRISTOPHER FAIR
Facilities

CORY O'NEAL
Human Resources

ERIC SUMMITT
Facilities

JAMIE KENNEDY
Administration

JOHNNY WHITE
Facilities

JULIUS SIMBORIO
Facilities

KATIE WOODLEY
Camp Ozark Foundation

KELSEY BEASLEY
Care Consultant

KRISTI PERRY
Administration

LISSA WELCH
Administration

LUCAS STROZEWSKI
Facilities

REAGAN LEONARD
MIS and Development

TOMMY JONES
Equestrian

SUMMER STAFF

Over 750 of the best college-aged staff members are hired each year to serve on our incomparable Summer Staff!



JUNIOR STAFF

For those young people who are too old to be campers, but too young to serve as members of the summer staff, Camp Ozark offers the Junior Staff program. J-Staff serve behind the scenes in a variety of ways and have the opportunity to experience having a heart of a servant.

CABIN SISTERS

Cabin Sisters are female counselors who partner with our Boys Cabin Counselors to support elementary-aged boys' cabins during mealtimes, help keep campers on schedule, and assist with any other needs that arise throughout the day.



S.W.A.T.

S.W.A.T. stands for 'Servants Working All Together.' These dedicated, hard-working staff members assist with behind-the-scenes tasks that are essential to our incomparable camp experience, including cleaning and maintaining the camp facilities, setting up camp events, and much more.

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE

A group of staff from all across the globe that are hand-picked by our recruiting team to serve at camp and experience American culture. They serve in our dining halls, keep the camp facilities clean and maintained, and assist in the camp program as Instructor Specialists and Counselors.



TOP STAFF

The members of the Top Staff are key players in helping Camp Ozark operate smoothly. Comprised of experienced returning staff members, the Top Staff brings a wealth of wisdom and insight in as they help manage various program and facility areas.

MEDICAL TEAM

Camp Ozark is blessed with talented and highly-qualified nurses and doctors who make up our medical services team. Led by our permanent Medical Team - Susan, Secily, and Crystal - the camp nurses and doctor support the health and safety of the entire camp in a wide variety of ways.



CAMP MOMS AND PROGRAM DADS

A small team of former Camp Ozark staff members who support both campers and camp families by helping campers transition into camp life, partnering with parents regarding individual camper needs, and assisting throughout the camp program.

CABIN AWARDS

Each camper who attends Camp Ozark is special and uniquely created by God. To recognize each camper's uniqueness, we present two awards to every camper. The first award is in recognition of a unique personality trait while the second is for upholding one of our six core values:



develop a more positive
SELF-ESTEEM

We know self-esteem is important and want our campers to have or develop a positive view of themselves. We want them to feel good about who they are and to understand God made them just as they are for a reason. We strive to build our campers up and help them recognize their uniqueness and worth.



achieve greater
SELF-CONFIDENCE

Camp Ozark is a great place for kids to challenge themselves with new things and to be adventurous. Self-confidence comes from the knowledge that success or failure isn't nearly as important as simply having the courage to just try. We seek to help our campers feel secure enough to face any adventure in camp and in life.



cultivate character with
INTEGRITY

Integrity, having the courage to do the right thing no matter the circumstance, is an invaluable and increasingly rare characteristic. Integrity involves moral conviction, respect for others, and truthfulness. We emphasize the value of integrity and want our campers to understand the importance of seeking to do the right thing.



understand the value of
TEAMWORK

We are parts of a team at school, in sports, in college, in business, in marriage, and in life. Our campers are parts of teams in the cabin, in activities, and during competition. Through these opportunities, we help our campers understand the value of being a part of a team and how the success of the team is more important than any individual.



learn the importance of
FRIENDSHIP

Camp Ozark provides a great opportunity for campers to form genuine, face-to-face friendships with other kids from around the country. In today's world, these types of friendships are increasingly rare but so very valuable. We want our campers to learn the art and value of true friendship and to appreciate the gift of a true friend.



grow a greater sense of
INDEPENDENCE

At Camp Ozark, we provide an environment in which all campers can grow in independence in ways appropriate for their age. Whether it's taking on new challenges or making choices about what to do during a Special Event or Mish Mash, our campers have ample opportunities to grow and learn about becoming more self-reliant and making wise choices.

CAMPER AWARDS

JOURNEYS

Journeys is a voluntary, multi-level achievement program that challenges campers in the areas of personal development, achievement, and participation. It takes self-discipline and dedication to earn a Journeys award, so we are very proud of our Journeys award winners!

AWARD	CAMPER	AWARD	CAMPER	AWARD	CAMPER
PIONEER	MILLE STARKEY	PIONEER	STELLA MALAGARIE	EAGLE	ORLA BARNES
PIONEER	ELLIE HYNES	PIONEER	LAUREN WOOD	EAGLE	ANN HOLLIS HAWKINS
PIONEER	HOLLIS HORVATH	PIONEER	GREER MCELLIGOTT	EAGLE	JILL TAYLOR LOWE
PIONEER	LYDIA PALOTTA	TRACKER	PRESLEY HORVATH	EAGLE	MILAM GOSS
PIONEER	ANDI WALKER				

F.I.T.

First Is Third is the overriding spiritual philosophy of Camp Ozark. We believe true success in life is only possible by placing God first, others second, and ourselves third. Each session, one camper from each cabin is recognized for exemplifying our F.I.T. philosophy. Once a camper has won a session F.I.T. award three times, their name is permanently displayed on a plaque located in the Dining Hall. Congratulations to our session F.I.T. award winners!

GIRLS

CABIN NO.	CAMPER	CABIN NO.	CAMPER	CABIN NO.	CAMPER	CABIN NO.	CAMPER
30	CAMILLE NOREN	21	SUZANNAH BRANTON	4	MARY HAYS GAUTREAU	S02	ADDIE HOUSE
29	PALMER SMITH	19	HANNAH CHANDLER	3	AVERY RICHEY	P11	CORA SUFFRIDGE
28	CAMILLE SMITH	18	AMELIA ADAMS	S11	AUBREY ANDERSON	P10	JORDYN MILNER
27	ELEANOR TAYLOR	17	LAUREN WOOD	S10	ELOISE MASON	P08	MIA THIBODEAUX
24	JILLIAN STACY	12	EMILY LANDRY	S07	BRIAR VRANICH	P07	BINDI KOJIS
23	HANNAH BYLES	11	ANNISTON BURNS	S05	JOSLYN MILNER		
22	REMI PENLAND	5	VIVIAN ROUNTREE	S04	ELLEN STUERMANN		

BOYS

CABIN NO.	CAMPER	CABIN NO.	CAMPER	CABIN NO.	CAMPER	CABIN NO.	CAMPER
31	HENRY KALSCHUEUR	40	WALKER VINES	53	HENRY WILLIAMSON	S20	LANDRY GIBBONS
32	JOAQUIN TORRE	41	ROANE ZABASKY	54	CANON WILLIAMS	S21	FINN BOUDREAUX
33	CAMDEN PITCOCK	42	WESLEY PIPKIN	55	AJ MALLION	S23	JOSEPH DAVISON
34	OSCAR MALLION	43	BROOKS EZELL	56	WRIGHT JEFFREYS	S24	PETER DOHERTY
37	BROOKS WALPOLE	44	WILLIAM KILLEN	S15	JOHN REED STRINGER	P16	HAMPTON HEATHCOTT
38	WILL BARON	51	HAYDEN FROST	S17	JOE ANDRUS	P17	CARTER LANDRY
39	BEAU BLACK	52	HENRY FEERICK	S18	JUD FLORES		

OOTA

The Order of the Arrow award recognizes one camper from each age-specific team who best exemplified the three flames of Team Competition: maximum effort, maximum enthusiasm, and maximum sportsmanship. Once a camper wins this award three times, their name is displayed on a plaque located in the Dining Hall. Congratulations to our Order of the Arrow award winners!

TEAM	CAMPER	TEAM	CAMPER	TEAM	CAMPER
KICKINGBIRDS	CAMILLE NOREN	COBRAS	BRIAR VRANICH	DINGOS	DRU DICKSON IV
KINGFISH	SAWYER SCHOEFFLER	PYTHONS	AVERY TRAVIS	HYENAS	STUART LUKE
SEALS	MARJORIE KELLNER	TIGERS	HADLEE YOUNG	GORILLAS	GUNNAR DIXON
PENGUINS	ELEANOR TAYLOR	LIONS	BLAKELY BARRAGAN	APES	MILES COLLINS
TORNADOS	SAVANNAH HOBSON	OTTERS	CORA SUFFRIDGE	BIG HORN SHEEP	MASON BREAU
HURRICANES	STERLING ZABASKY	MUSKRATS	PARKER SMITH	MOUNTAIN GOATS	ABRAM LANDRY
SEAGULLS	ISABELLE FONTENOT	PUMAS	EVANGELINE BABINEAUX	COYOTES	DEANO BABINEAUX
PELICANS	SUZANNAH BRANTON	WILDCATS	BINDI KOJIS	WOLVES	WILLIAM THOMPSON
CONDORS	HANNAH CHANDLER	CHIPMUNKS	WALKER FEERICK	BRONCOS	ELI CISNEROS
FALCONS	HANNAH CAI	SQUIRRELS	PARKER MAXWELL	COLTS	JOHN REED STRINGER
JACKRABBITS	STELLA MALAGARIE	TARANTULAS	CAMDEN PITCOCK	AXIS	JOSHUA KILGORE
ROADRUNNERS	COLLINS GARRIGA	SPIDERS	HENRY FRIERSON	RAMS	FIVE HARDING, V
RACCOONS	LUI SCOVELL	LYNX	JOHN DAVID FEERICK	JAVELINAS	FISHER HEBERT
BADGERS	PRESLEY HORVATH	WOLVERINES	MILES GIBSON	RAZORBACKS	FINN BOUDREAUX
OSTRICHES	MARGOT LASSERE	YAKS	BEAU BLACK	CARIBOU	RUGER JONES
EMUS	EMERSYN THIEM	OXEN	LOGAN THIEM	BUFFALO	SAM THOMAS
LEOPARDS	ELOISE MASON	VULTURES	BECKETT DOWNING	CAYMANS	AJ GREENE
CHEETAHS	PENNY SIEVERS	HORNED OWLS	GRAHAM GAUTREAU	HORNBACKS	PATRICK HARRINGTON

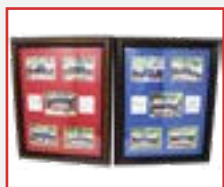
TENURE

Tenure awards are presented to all campers who have attended Camp Ozark for at least four years. Our returning campers are very important as they are key to the “incomparable” Camp Ozark experience. In addition, many of these returning families are very helpful to us in their local communities. We deeply appreciate our returning campers and camp families!



4 YEAR CAMPER Embroidered Blanket

AMELIA ADAMS	HARPER MALONE	COLBY CHAPMAN	GRAHAM GAUTREAU	SAM TEMPLET
AVERY BLAKE	ADDISON MECHE	LUCA CIPOLETTI	HAWKENS HALE	LOGAN THIEM
COLETTE DAVID	ADELE MIDDLETON	ALEXANDER CLEVELAND	SAM HOUSE	HUDSON WALPOLE
RYALS FAIR	ELLA MIRE	COOPER CLEVELAND	DEACON JONES	HENRY WILLIAMSON
GRACIE FLAUTT	OLIVIA MOORE	SOAREN COOK	JAMES KALSCHUEER	
CAMILLE FONTENOT	ESTELLE PRICE	TREYDEN COOK	REEVES KILPATRICK	
BAYLEE GOSS	REESE PYLES	WILLIAM COPELAND	RHODES KILPATRICK	



5 YEAR CAMPER Cabin Photo Plaque

EVANGELINE BABINEAUX	LYDIA PALOTTA	ZANE BOUDREAUX	AIDAN MATHERNE	
HANNAH CHANDLER	AVERY RICHEY	ELI CISNEROS	WATSON MILLER	
AMELIE DUPLCHAIN	SAWYER RUTLEDGE	THAD COOK	JOHN COLE PARKER	
VIRGINIA ELMORE	YASMINE SBAITI	JOSEPH DAVISON	LUKE PARSONS	



6 YEAR CAMPER Engraved Bible

ANNA-GRACE ADAMS	MARGOT LASSERE	VIVI SMITH	ARCHER HAHN	REID THOMAS
BLAKELY BARRAGAN	LAUREN LEIGH	EMERSYN THIEM	PETE HALL	SAM THOMAS



7 YEAR CAMPER Backpack

KEELIE FINKLEA
CAM BUTLER
PATRICK HARRINGTON
RUGER JONES
AJ POLK
BANKS STRINGER
HENRY WALPOLE

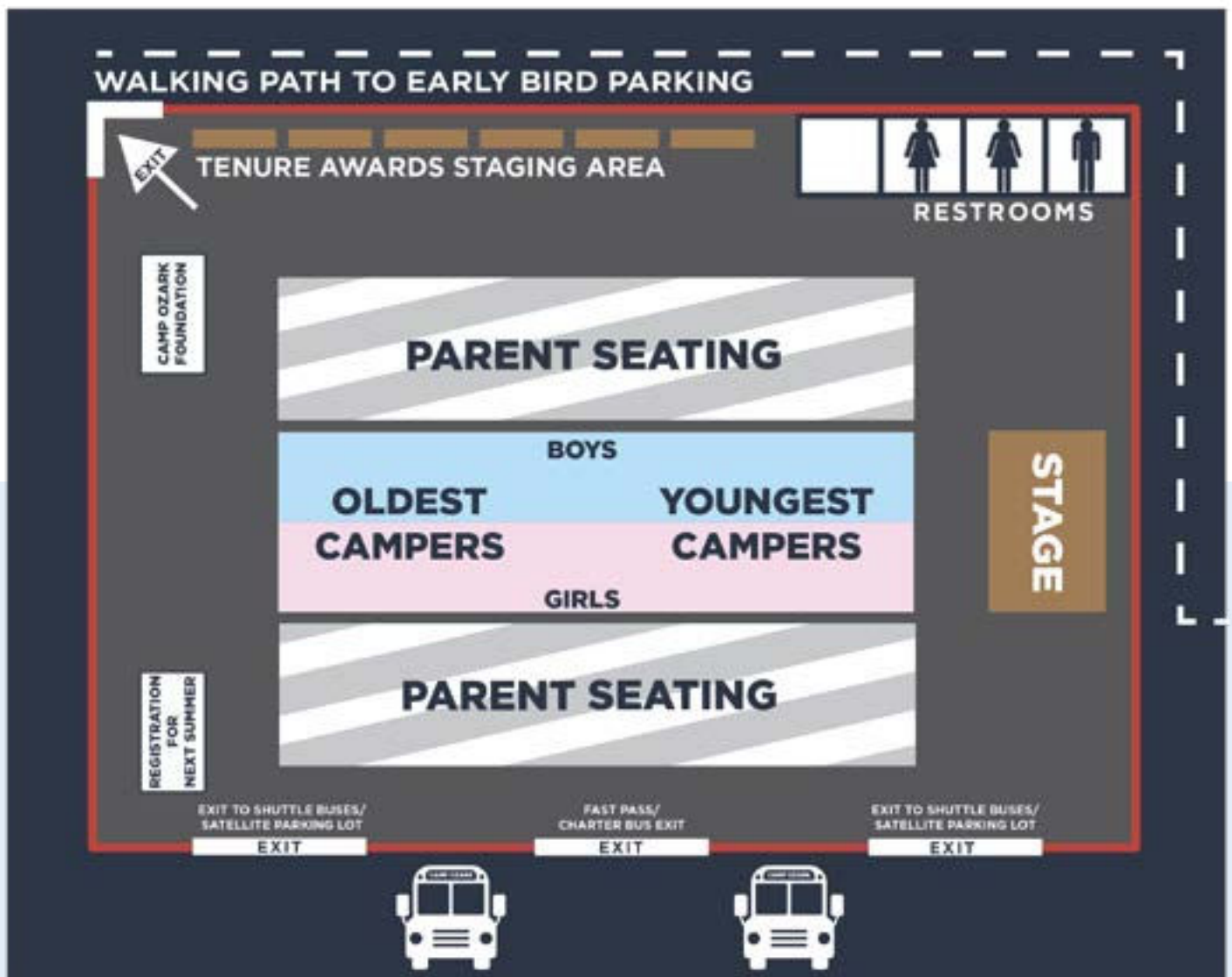


8 YEAR CAMPER Legacy Leaf

LILY HIGHT
BINDI KOJIS
RALYNN SHARP
ELLEN STUERMANN
HAMPTON HEATHCOTT
LOGAN HIGHT

AFTER THE *Closing Ceremony*

1. Campers taking a charter bus home will be dismissed.
2. Those families who have elected to purchase a Fast Pass do not need to board a shuttle bus.
3. Traditional Closing Day pick-up families may use one of the two exits to board the shuttle buses to the Satellite Parking Lot.



HISTORY

1949 OZARK BOY'S CAMP OPENS ITS GATES FOR THE VERY FIRST SUMMER

1959 Sam Torn spends his first summer at Ozark Boy's Camp

1977 Ozark Boy's Camp is renamed to Camp Ozark

1985 SAM AND SUSAN TORN ACQUIRE THE ASSETS TO CAMP OZARK

1986 First is Third begins

1988 Order of the Arrow begins and the Tube Slide and Curvy slide come to camp

1989 Advanced Ropes Course is built *22 CABINS*

1990 The new Main Chow Hall is built

1991 Camp Ozark gets a Fishing Pond

1995 The Main Camp Store and Tandem Course are built

1997 The Skate Park is built

1998 Camp Ozark introduces Wacky World and the Canoe Pond

2003 Camp Ozark gets two more blobs and Smashball

2004 THE CAMP OZARK FOUNDATION BEGINS OZARK FOR ALL AND OZONE MINISTRIES

2005 Camp Ozark's sister camp, Camp War Eagle, opens its gates

2007 The Fieldhouse is built

2008 The Summit area is built

2009 The new Crafts Palace is built

2011 The Canopy Tour comes to camp

2012 SCOTT TORN AND ANGELA TORN SHAW BECOME OPERATING DIRECTORS AT CAMP OZARK

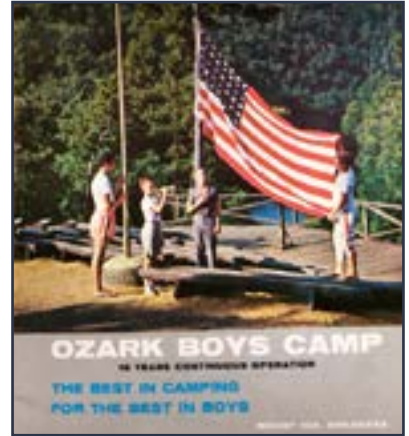
2013 Belba's Bistro and Paintball come to camp

2014 The BOP and Pines Cabins are built

2018 Camp Ozark gets a Swimming Pool

2021 Camp Ozark's sister camp, Camp OTX, opens its gates in Bandera, TX

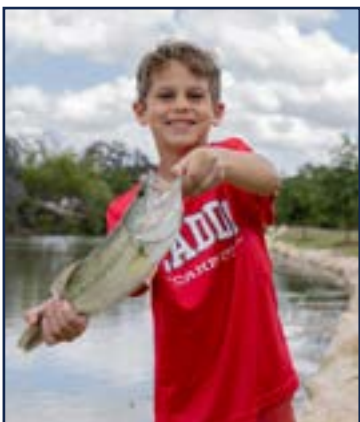
2026 



A TEXAS TRADITION



Opened in summer 2021, Camp OTX is the sister camp of Camp Ozark and continues the tradition of excellence. The entire Torn family, along with their dedicated, experienced staff, look forward to welcoming kids across the state of Texas and beyond to this premier summer camp experience, located smack dab in the middle of the beautiful Texas Hill Country. Camp OTX is a Texas summer camp like no other!



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CAMPAIGN FOR ALL KIDS

We believe every child deserves the chance to experience the life-changing power of summer camp. That's why we're launching the **CAMPAign for All Kids**, a special initiative to support the creation and growth of the Ozark For All Camp, a dedicated facility and program for underserved and under-resourced youth. Our overall goal is to raise **\$50,000,000**. Every dollar raised will go directly toward making this vision a reality. By giving to the CAMPAign for All Kids, you're not just donating — you're investing in a child's future. **Let's make Ozark For All, truly for all.**

\$50,000



Ensures that **1 child** every summer will have the OFA experience.

\$100,000



Ensures that **2 children** every summer will have the OFA experience.

\$200,000



Ensures that **4 children** every summer will have the OFA experience.

\$500,000



Ensures that **10 children** every summer will have the OFA experience.

GIVE THE GIFT OF CAMP. CHANGE A LIFE FOREVER.



CAMPAIGN GOAL



**INITIAL
CONSTRUCTION**
\$20,000,000



**OPERATIONAL
ENDOWMENT**
\$30,000,000



**TOTAL FUNDS
NEEDED**
\$50,000,000

PROGRESS UPDATE



A relational, spiritual growth program with the aim of helping middle & high school students establish and deepen relationships with Jesus Christ.

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**OZARK
LEADERSHIP
INSTITUTE**

Developing uncommon leadership excellence and a Christ-centered worldview while growing students into culture-shaping Christian leaders as they prepare for college and beyond.

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SIGN UP FOR SUMMER 2027

Check out our session dates for next summer and register at campozark.com/sessions. Our waitlists fill up fast so don't miss your chance to return for another Incomparable summer at Camp Ozark!



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