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INGHAM OKOBOJI LUTHERAN BIBLE CAMPS

SUMMER CAMP

PROGRAM GUIDE '25



WELCOME TO CAMP!

Greetings from IOLBC! Another great summer of ministry is fast approaching here at Ingham Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camps. Camp is a chance for you to retreat, to rest, to reconnect with family and friends, and to refocus your life on the Lord. We work hard to make camp a safe environment for you to grow in your faith and to have tremendous amounts of FUN!

When you come, you will experience programs rooted in our core values: Christ-centered staff, biblical teaching, genuine hope and healing, a playful and loving Christian community, and a vision of God's heart for the whole world. Our mission is, "To know Jesus Christ and to make Christ known to all," and it drives all we do. Take a few minutes to read through the brochure, take note of the programs which best match your needs, mark your calendars, and sign up today!

In Christ, Your Ingham Okoboji Staff

SUMMER THEME: "CAPTIVATED" PSALM 121:1-2

Creation is magnificent, but how much more so is the LORD, the creator of the universe, who created each of us with purpose and vision. "Captivated" is an exhortation for each of us to look up, to turn our eyes upon Jesus, who knows us, loves us, and will forever walk with us no matter what life throws our way. When we allow our heart, soul, & mind to be fully captivated by Him, it shapes our entire reality.



AGES 4-6 CAMPS

HAND-IN-HAND AGES 4-6 WITH AN ACCOMPANYING ADULT

This one-day camp will give our youngest campers a taste of what camp is really like. Guided by the staff, each camper and adult will experience camp hand-in-hand including Bible Studies, games, crafts and more. Each adult may accompany more than one camper.

**INGHAM CAMP: JULY 11, JULY 18, 9:30 AM-2:30 PM,
PRICE: \$37 PER CAMPER, \$15 PER ADULT, \$15 DEPOSIT**





K-6TH GRADE CAMPS



CAMP-IN-A-DAY

COMPLETED KINDERGARTEN, 1ST, 2ND GRADE

This one-day camp will provide a great taste of what camp is like. Joining in with chapel times and free time, campers will also enjoy special Bible studies and activities geared just for them! Each day has new lesson themes, games, and crafts, so campers can register for one day or all six unique experiences!

INGHAM CAMP: JUNE 18, 19, JULY 9, 10, 16, 17
9:30 AM – 4:30 PM, PRICE: \$42, \$15 DEPOSIT

PATHFINDERS

COMPLETED 2ND-5TH GRADE

Pathfinder campers get to stay two full nights at camp as they dive into fun-filled days of activities like carpet ball, swimming, and campfires. They also will enjoy chapel and Bible study times to help build a solid foundation of faith.

INGHAM CAMP: JUNE 15-17, JULY 6-8, JULY 13-15
PRICE: \$214, EARLY BIRD PRICE: \$184, \$50 DEPOSIT

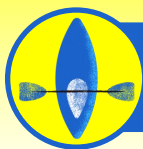


TRAILBLAZERS

COMPLETED 4TH-6TH GRADE

Trailblazer campers will have tons of FUN as they explore camp activities like swimming, archery, canoeing, crafts and more. Trained counselors will help role model positive peer relationships. Most importantly, engaging chapel times and Bible studies will nurture camper's growing Christian faith.

INGHAM CAMP: JUNE 15-20, JULY 6-11, JULY 13-18
PRICE: \$439, EARLY BIRD PRICE: \$409, \$100 DEPOSIT



JUNIOR HIGH CAMPS



JUNIOR HIGH CAMP COMPLETED 6TH-9TH GRADE

Junior High campers will experience a great place to meet new friends, discover more about what it means to be a Christian, and grow in their faith! Besides that, they will have tons of FUN choosing activities like paintball, or an optional off-site camping excursion.

OKOBOJI CAMP: JUNE 8-13, JULY 6-11

INGHAM CAMP: JULY 20-25

PRICE: \$459, EARLY BIRD PRICE: \$429, \$100 DEPOSIT

CONFIRMATION CAMP COMPLETED 6TH-9TH GRADE

Held in conjunction with Junior High Camp, Confirmation Camp is designed for pastors, youth directors, and other confirmation leaders to lead their own teaching time, or have the camp staff lead the summer theme Bible studies. Call in and reserve spots for your group, as these weeks can fill up fast.

OKOBOJI CAMP: JUNE 8-13, JULY 6-11

PRICE: \$459, EARLY BIRD PRICE: \$429, \$100 DEPOSIT



ENJOY THESE CAMP ACTIVITIES AND MORE

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| PAINTBALL | 9-SQUARE | SAND |
| ESCAPE | IN THE AIR | VOLLEYBALL |
| ROOM | GAME | TEAM |
| ARCHERY | ROOM | BUILDING |
| TURBO | SWIMMING | MINI GOLF |
| CHUTE | CRAFTS | BOATING |
| GAGA | SUP | HIKING |
| BALL | BOARDS | CAMPING |
| TUBING | ZORB | WORSHIP |
| CANOEING | BALLS | AND MORE |



SR. HIGH CAMP

SR. HIGH CAMP COMPLETED 9TH-12TH GRADE

High school is a time of discovering gifts and interests. It's a time of questioning and deepening beliefs, and these years come with a desire for belonging and a longing for significance. Our BRAND NEW Senior High Week at Ingham brings all of these together in one exciting new week! Unplug from busyness and anxiety, and have tons of fun while connecting with other youth and summer staff.



Campers can also expect the following:

- Powerful messages, helping campers know Christ.
- Small groups to provide a safe place to study the Bible and ask questions.
- An opportunity to audition for the youth led worship team for the week.
- An optional off-site camping excursion.
- NEW Waterskiing/Kneeboarding opportunity
- NEW Ingham Paintball target range
- NEW Black Light Mini Golf

FEATURED SPEAKER: DR. KYLE FEVER

INGHAM CAMP: JULY 27-AUG. 1

PRICE: \$459, EARLY BIRD PRICE: \$429, \$100 DEPOSIT





FAMILY CAMPS

JOIN US FOR A FAMILY VACATION YOUR WHOLE FAMILY WILL LOVE: A WEEK FULL OF FUN AND EXCITEMENT THAT WILL CREATE LASTING MEMORIES FOR YEARS TO COME.

- Worship, pray, and grow together as a family
- Delicious food, and we'll do the cooking!
- Great activities planned for all ages throughout the week
- Two Hours of Power—adults will dig deeper with the speaker while kids have Bible studies, music, games, snacks & crafts with their age groups
- Connect with our caring summer staff
- Enjoy the attractions of beautiful West Lake Okoboji!!!

A variety of housing options are available to best fit your family's needs. All accommodations are clean, air-conditioned, and have bathroom facilities within. Family Camp costs vary depending on your housing, and the number and ages of family members. Contact our registrar to discuss current availability, housing options and costs are also detailed at www.okoboji.org/familycamp.



SIGN UP FOR THESE ACTIVITIES AND MORE

**PAINTBALL
ESCAPE ROOM
ARCHERY
TUBING
PONTOON RIDE
TIE-DYE**





FAMILY CAMP SPEAKERS 2025



JUNE 15-20
REV.
LEE
LAAVEG



JUNE 22-27
REV.
SCOTT
RAINS



**JUNE 29-
JULY 4**
REV.
MIKE
HOUSHOLDER



JULY 13-18
REV.
PAUL
HENNINGS



JULY 20-25
REV.
JASON &
JULIE VAN
HOVE

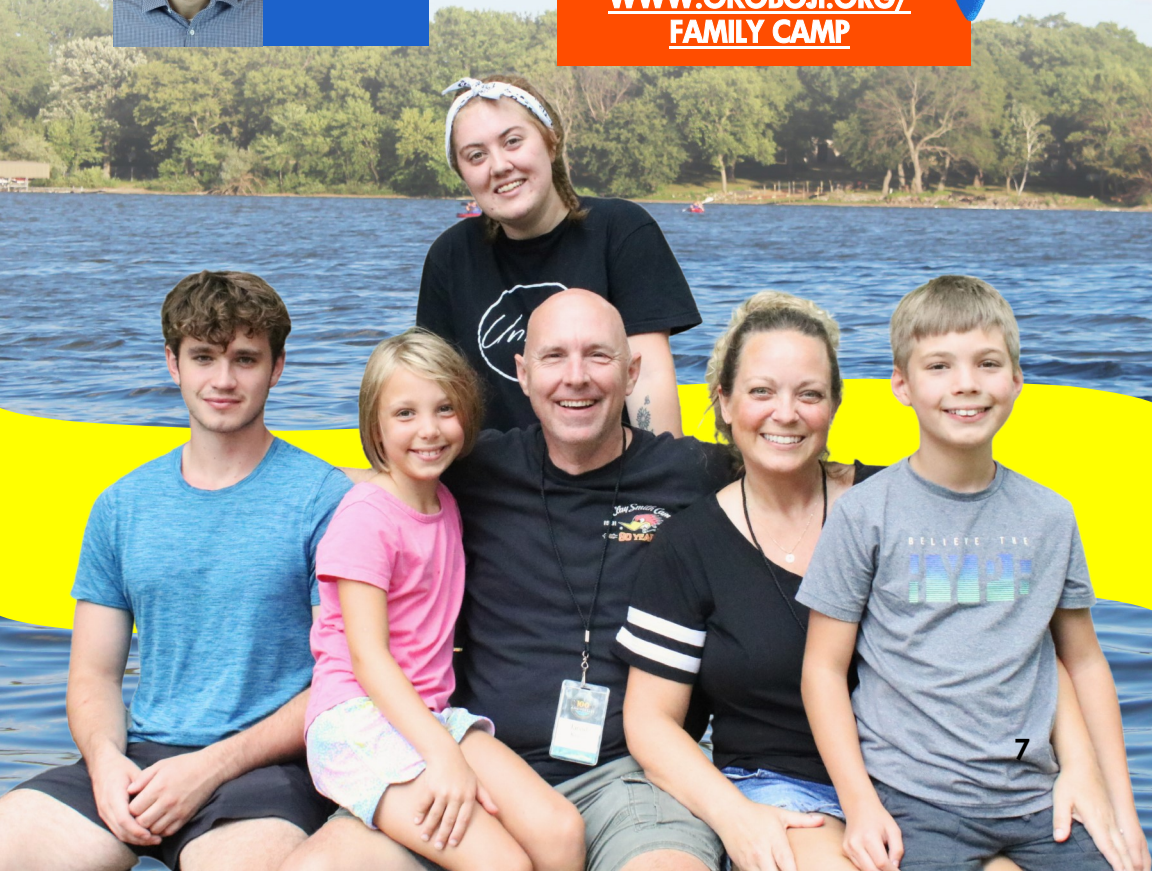


**JULY 27-
AUG 1**
REV.
MARK
BRANDT



AUG. 3-8
REV.
NATHAN
ANENSON

LEARN MORE ABOUT EACH
OF OUR SPEAKERS AND
OTHER DETAILS AT
[WWW.OKOBOJI.ORG/
FAMILY_CAMP](http://WWW.OKOBOJI.ORG/FAMILY_CAMP)





DAY CAMP (VBS TEAMS)



While we love to see kids and families come to camp and grow in faith, we also have programs which extend beyond our camp and into your community. Ingham Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camps will staff your Day Camp with trained counselors who love kids and are committed to Jesus Christ. Congregations and camp staff work together to share the Good News of Jesus through worship, skits, games, crafts, and Bible-based lessons. If you find an available week that works with your church's schedule contact Kristin, our day camp coordinator, at daycamp@okoboji.org or [1-800-OKOBOJI](tel:1-800-OKOBOJI).

NEW TO CAMP IN 2025!

NEW BLACK LIGHT MINI GOLF



NEW ZORB BALLS

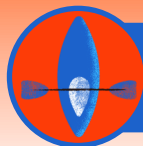
NEW INGHAM REC COURT



NEW OKOBOJI CABIN & NEW SAND VOLLEYBALL COURT

(MINI GOLF & ZORB BALLS AVAILABLE
FOR JR. HIGH/SR. HIGH/FAMILY CAMPS)





FOR YOUR INFORMATION

DEDICATION TO SAFETY

IOLBC strives to create and maintain a safe and caring environment that encourages opportunities for physical, emotional, and spiritual growth for each camper.

CANCELLATION

In case of cancellation for any reason prior to arrival at camp, all fees can be refunded, with the exception of the deposit.

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE

Check-in for overnight youth camps is from 4:00-5:00 on Sundays with a closing program on the final day (noon at Okoboji, 2:30 at Ingham). Family campers check-in from 4:00-6:00 p.m. on Sundays and conclude the week with lunch on Friday. Camp-in-a-day at Ingham goes from 9:30 am-4:30 pm. Hand-in-hand at Ingham goes from 9:30 am-2:30 pm.

CAMPERSHIPS

IOLBC also offers camperships when local help cannot be secured or is not enough. Please call or e-mail the registrar for more information. registrar@okoboji.org

QUALITY STAFF

Each year we are blessed with great counselors who love the Lord and who love sharing their faith with everyone who comes. Our counselors are carefully selected through an application and interview process. Senior Counselors will also go through two weeks of staff training before summer camps begin.

ADULT SPONSORS

Pastors and Youth Directors are invited to come with their youth at NO COST. Other adult sponsors are invited to come at a cost of \$100 for the whole week.

HOW TO REGISTER

1. Go to www.okoboji.org/register and register online...OR...
 2. Fill out the registration form (forms are found online at www.okoboji.org/register, by phone, or by email) and mail the form in along with your deposit.
- **QUESTIONS:** Call 1-800-OKOBOJI or email registrar@okoboji.org
 - BOTH Ingham & Okoboji registrations & deposits should be sent to:
Ingham Okoboji, Attn: Registrar, 1203 Inwan St, Milford, IA 51351
- REGISTER BY MARCH 1ST FOR THE EARLY BIRD YOUTH CAMP**
PRICE LISTED IN THE BROCHURE!

OKOBOJI LUTHERAN BIBLE CAMP

1203 Inwan St.
Milford, IA 51351

712-337-3306

Send all registrations to this address

INGHAM LAKE BIBLE CAMP

2258 450th Ave.
Wallingford, IA 51365

712-867-4170



UPCOMING RETREATS

CRAFTING RETREATS

Bring all your craft projects and come to camp for a weekend of inspiration, fellowship, and accomplishment!

OKOBOJI CAMP: JANUARY 24-26, MAY 2-4



MARRIAGE RETREAT

Come gather to enjoy times of worship, fellowship, an elegant evening, and sessions that will enhance your marriage relationship!

SPEAKERS: PASTOR BEN & STEPHANIE MASON
OKOBOJI CAMP: FEBRUARY 14-16

SPRING RECHARGES

Recharges are weekend youth retreats PACKED with games, fellowship, and growing in faith!

Spring Theme: "Alpha and Omega" -Rev. 22:13

OKOBOJI CAMP: APRIL 11-13, 6TH-9TH GRADE
APRIL 11-13, 9TH-12TH GRADE
APRIL 25-27, 6TH-9TH GRADE



SPRING ELDERVERSIY

Elderversity camp is a camp for those age 55 and older. At camp you will have the opportunity to participate in many different camp activities such as singing, campfires, devotions and teaching times, pontoon ride, and much more!

SPEAKER: PASTOR JIM STEEN
OKOBOJI CAMP: JUNE 2-3

CHECK OUT DETAILS ABOUT THESE RETREATS AND MORE AT
WWW.OKOBOJI.ORG



SUMMER SCHEDULE

OKOBOJI

Eldersversity June 2-3
 Jr. High (6-9th) June 8-13
 Family Camp #1 June 15-20
 Family Camp #2 June 22-27
 Family Camp #3 .. June 29-July 4
 Jr. High (6-9th) July 6-11
 Family Camp #4..... July 13-18
 Family Camp #5 July 20-25
 Family Camp #6 .. July 27-Aug. 1
 Family Camp #7 August 3-8

SUMMER EVENTS

Ice Cream SocialJune 1
 Scandinavian Feast Aug. 1
 Glenn Henriksen Concert Aug. 1
 5K Fun RunAug. 2
 Quilt AuctionAug. 2
 Golf ClassicAug. 16
 Hog RoastAug. 24
 Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Brunch 10:30-11:45 a.m.
 Memorial-Labor Day

INGHAM

Trailblazers (4-6th) June 15-20
 Pathfinders (2-5th) June 15-17
 Camp-in-a-day (K-2nd) June 18
 Camp-in-a-day (K-2nd) June 19
 Trailblazers (4-6th) July 6-11
 Pathfinders (2-5th) July 6-8
 Camp-in-a-day (K-2nd) July 9
 Camp-in-a-day (K-2nd) July 10
 Hand-in-Hand (Ages 4-6) July 11
 Trailblazers (4-6th) July 13-18
 Pathfinders (2-5th) July 13-15
 Camp-in-a-day (K-2nd) July 16
 Camp-in-a-day (K-2nd) July 17
 Hand-in-Hand (Ages 4-6) July 18
 Jr. High (6-9th) July 20-25
 Sr. High (9-12th) July 27-Aug. 1

APPLY FOR STAFF

Have you ever wanted an opportunity to have an impact in the Kingdom of God? Join us for a summer set apart from all others to serve the Lord! Staff applications are now open for summer 2025! Apply



yourself or encourage someone you know to apply! Apply at www.okoboji.org/apply or refer a staff member with the QR code.

WWW.OKOBOJI.ORG/APPLY



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