Otter Creek Christian Camp Visitor/Late Arrival/Early Departure Policy



We have learned, over the years, that the following hard & fast rules regarding Late Arrivals & Early Departures - as well as Visitors to Hy-Lake - are critical to the safe operation and overall well being of Otter Creek Christian Camp.

Visitor Policy: **As a general rule, visitors are NOT permitted at Otter Creek Christian Camp.** Exceptions: 1. OC Shepherds/Ministers & their spouses & 2. Guests of those being baptized at Camp.¹

Late Arrival Policy: Students must arrive at OCCC by breakfast on Monday morning. (We dismiss from Breakfast at 7:15, CDT.)

Early Departure Policy: Should the need arise and with approval from the Executive Director, students may be picked up early from Hy-Lake by a parent/guardian...however, once that student leaves camp, he/she may not return.

Note: ALL visitors, late arrivals & early departures should be communicated/coordinated in advance with the OCCC Staff. This is more important than ever due to the improved security features at Hy-Lake. Please email merritt@ottercreek.org.

These simple policies have been in place for many years and have helped OCCC thrive in its mission to connect students to mature disciples of Christ and propel those students forward in their journey of faith in the Living God.

In very rare cases, exceptions have been made (e.g. funeral, etc.). However, we simply cannot make exceptions for the regular stuff: cheer, bball, soccer, family vacation, etc. *All exceptions must be approved in advance by the Executive Director (David Rubio)*.

¹ For security purposes, we need advanced notice of all visitors to camp: please email <u>merritt@ottercreek.org</u>