

# Hillside Sr Hi Youth Summer Mission Camp at **SNOWBIRD WILDERNESS OUTFITTERS!**

**---Very Important Info for Campers!--**

**All money and filled-out forms are due in the  
youth office by Thursday, May 6<sup>th</sup>!**

Total Cost is \$399, less any money that you have already paid-  
Unless you have spoken to Steve about scholarship needs.  
Checks made out to Hillside UMC.

**\* PLEASE PRINT OFF THE NECESSARY FORMS  
FROM OUR WEBSITE: [www.hillsideumc.org](http://www.hillsideumc.org)**

**Click on “Hillsiders” -Then on “Teens” -Then on “TNT” -Then on “Forms”**

**Or you can get them from outside my office directly off the elevator.**

Our records show that you still owe: \$\_\_\_\_\_

If you think this is inaccurate, please call us and let us know! ☺

**Forms that need to be turned in by May 6<sup>th</sup>:  
Get these forms off of our website or from outside Steve’s office**

- Hillside Permission/Waiver Form
- Snowbird Waiver release **-NOTARIZED**
- Snowbird Medical Release Form  
-With a copy of the front & back of your insurance Card
- Nantahala River Form (everyone)

**Steve Brooks’ cell phone #:  
770-841-0855**

**Dawn Brooks’ cell 770-841-0289**  
If you need to call during camp,  
please leave a message. We will  
check it daily when we are able and  
can get good reception.

**Snowbird Wilderness Outfitters**  
P.O. Box 2270  
Andrews, NC 28901  
828-321-2210  
**Please only call this for  
emergency needs.**  
[www.swoutfitters.com](http://www.swoutfitters.com)

# Snowbird Summer Mission Camp

Hillside Sr High-June 21-26, 2010

Be aware of us worshipping together at Hillside's 11am service on Sunday, June 20<sup>th</sup>  
☺ The day before we leave!

**Dear Hillside Youth and Parents,**

I am so excited that you are going to Snowbird this year! This is the largest group we have ever taken to Snowbird – and hopefully we will get to know one another much better!! The other leaders and I are really looking forward to spending this week of service, extreme fun, and worship with you. We are also looking forward to how God is going to speak to all of us! Thank you for your heart to serve others during this mission week! Please lift our group up each day in prayer before the trip -that we will all hear the message God has for each of us!

## **General Schedule for the Week**

Before lunch and after dinner we will be spending time together with others in the camp for praise and worship. The camp's staff have their own exciting praise team, drama team and speaker. We will be encouraged and challenged each morning and evening from the Word of God in an interesting, exciting, fun, and meaningful way! We will also have times for our Hillside group to meet together and share with one another and pray.

We also want everyone to participate in the different Break-out sessions! These breakouts offer a wealth of information on the truths of Scripture!

After lunch each day, your mission team will head off to your work project and come back before dinner. Generally, each work project will be glorifying God through helping a family in need with house repairs, as well as sharing the love of Jesus with them!

**We will all be going whitewater rafting on the Nantahala River** one day together. This is a pretty calm river, but we get to play a lot together as a group, jumping into the river off of a stacked-up raft runway and other fun things!

I would like for us all to worship together Sunday morning, June 20<sup>th</sup>, at Hillside's 11:00 contemporary service! This is the day before we leave and it will be a fantastic way to start off our whole week!!

I hope that you can make it! We will all sit together.

Try to be in the Celebration Hall (Location of TNT) by 10:50am. Dress casually.

## **Departure Day: Monday June 21<sup>st</sup>**

- We will be loading our gear on the buses at **12:15pm** at the Church, then going over the "need to knows" and praying, and leaving by 1:00 pm. **Either eat lunch before we leave, or bring it with you – we won't be stopping for lunch on the way up.**

## **Return Day: Saturday, June 26<sup>th</sup> by 3:00 pm.**

(Make sure you have some money left for lunch on the way home!!!)

Please call me with any further questions.  
Steve Brooks Hillside UMC  
770-924-4777 ext. 116

Looking Forward with You,  
Steve Brooks  
Sr. High Youth Minister

# Hillside at Snowbird

## THE “WHAT TO BRING” LIST

1. Money for: night-time snacks, meal on the way home, camp shirts and hats, camp video \$15, and for non-missions campers: optional extra whitewater rafting trip \$30. Also, if you are playing paintball you have a choice to buy extra paintballs, upgrade your gun, and/or rent armor for \$5 each. (be aware that you will need to keep your money very close to you to be preventive against possible theft. I know this sounds terrible at a Christian camp, but praise the Lord that these types of students are there and hear about Jesus!)
2. SLEEPING BAG or BED CLOTHES AND PILLOW –sleeping on wooden bunk beds with a mattress.
3. SANDALS with secure straps for rafting and showers and walking in creek. Crocs w/straps will work, but are not the best – as their strap can break easily.
4. EXTRA TENNIS SHOES -because shoes tend to get wet often due to rain or creek walking.
5. MUCH ADRENALINE
6. PLENTY OF CLOTHES FOR GETTING DIRTY –If you are playing paintball, it is a good idea to have pants and a long sleeve shirt to guard against poison ivy and paint balls. It can also be a little chili at night.
7. RAIN PONCHO, SWEATSHIRT
8. BIBLE, NOTEPAD and PEN – Please take to each session time!
9. BATHING SUIT for rafting & any water recs –Girls need a one piece suit.
10. FLASHLIGHT
11. BUGSPRAY, Sunscreen.
12. TOILETRIES AND TOWEL - don't forget your towel! –someone always does!
13. TRASH BAGS AND LAUNDRY BAGS FOR WET AND DIRTY CLOTHES
14. WATERBOTTLE with your name on it clearly to have plenty of water during the day & night
15. Skateboard or inline skates if you want – bring your helmet and pads too.
16. Your paintball gun if you have one and you want it instead of Snowbird's. (not missions)
17. Western-type clothing for “Rodeo Night”!
18. MISSIONS: Hammer and work gloves with your name clearly on them all. You also must wear Closed Toe Shoes at work site – NO sandals or flip-flops at work site!

**Be Aware:** Please be aware of how you dress during the week at Snowbird. The goal is to guard one another's eyes by dressing modestly so that everyone can focus on the great fun and the time with God.

**Guys,** be aware that shirts are to be worn at all times, except when rafting.

**Gals,** please don't wear spaghetti strap shirts and cheer “soffee” type shorts. Also, don't wear tight fitting and low cut tops. ☺ Thank you all so much!!!!

**Also:** Snowbird is in the Mountains and it is kinda cool in the mornings and evenings and warm in the afternoons. It also pretty consistently rains in the afternoon for a short time.

### THE “WHAT NOT TO BRING” LIST:

1. No Cheer “soffee” shorts or short-shorts.
2. NO ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT –games, headphones, Ipods, MP3's, computers, etc... They will be taken up if you have them and returned at the end of the week.
3. NO TWO-PIECE BATHING SUITS
4. NO MAGAZINES
5. NO CELL PHONES can be used.
6. NO LIGHTERS
7. NO KNIVES, GUNS, or AMMUNITION
8. NO ALCOHOL, TOBACCO PRODUCTS, OR ILLEGAL DRUGS