CIRCLE SQUARE RANCH BIG CLEAR LAKE
FAMILY STAY CAMP RENTAL AGREEMENT

Welcome to the Ranch!

At InterVarsity Circle Square Ranch Big Clear Lake (aka. *The Ranch*) we have a mission to see children and youth transformed into fully committed followers of Jesus. We do this by offering summer camps for ages 4-17. Since 1978 the Ranch has impacted the lives of 1000s of young people who have met Jesus, been mentored and grown in all sorts of skills as they shared new experiences with friends at summer camp. By choosing to vacation at the Ranch, you are partnering in our mission of investing in the next generation.

As a "Family Stay Camp Guest" we hope that you will also enjoy making memories at Big Clear Lake.

Expectations and Campground Rules will help make sure that the Ranch is a safe, enjoyable place for all guests and staff.

General Expectations

Summer campers come first. If summer campers are using a space or facility such as the barn, waterfront or sports field, it is not available for use by other guests.

Campground Rules

1. **Parents/Guardians** are responsible for the care of their children at all times, even during camp programming (unless childcare is specified). Children 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult at the barn or waterfront.
2. **Alcohol** and **marijuana** are **not** allowed on property. **Smoking** is only permitted in a designated area (please speak to the Camp Host). No one under the influence of drugs or alcohol is permitted on property.
3. Use of the **barn, waterfront and other camp facilities** are limited to designated times.
4. On campsites or in rental rooms **quiet hours** are from 10pm - 8am. Please be considerate of young families nearby after 8pm. If playing music, play softly so not to disturb others nearby or use headphones.
5. **Shirts and shorts** (or dress/cover-up) are required for all men, women and children when in public areas including at the beach except while in the water.
6. Keep it PG - swearing or discussing sexual or other things that may not be appropriate for children is not okay.

7. **Take care of our site**. Do not litter, destroy or damage property or wildlife. If you wish to make changes on or around your campsite including removal of brush, please ask for permission.
8. Do not bring **firewood** from off-property (to prevent spread of invasive species). Firewood can be purchased from local vendors such as C4. Campfires must be in designated pits. In case of a regional fire ban, all fires will be prohibited.
9. When **fishing**, be cognisant of swimmers nearby. All fish must be thrown back unless the fisher has a fishing license AND intends to consume the fish that day for their household.
10. Family vacation guests are not permitted in the **"Western Town" building** unless they are reporting directly to the Ranch office.
11. **Pets** are permitted at campsites. They must be on a leash at ALL times. ALWAYS pick up after pets.
12. The large **deep-water inflatables** can ONLY be used with the permission of a lifeguard during designated times, with a lifejacket.
13. Please **cooperate** willingly with Circle Square Ranch staff. Our seasonal staff are great young people who work at the Ranch as a ministry so please be kind.

It is expected that all guests will contribute to the safety, fun and spiritual well-being of the Ranch by following these Campground Rules. Circle Square Ranch reserves the right to require guests to leave in case of their non-compliance, at Ranch staff discretion, without refund.

Signature

Date