

# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

## How many chaperones do I need?

RYM does not have a chaperone/student ratio requirement; please use your judgment, as you know your students better than we do. However, **a good rule of thumb is a 1:6 chaperone to student ratio.**

## Can chaperones bring children along?

No, no exceptions.

## Do I need a male & a female chaperone?

If you are bringing both males & females, you need a male & female chaperone.

## Are “tankini” swimsuits OK?

Modest tankini and one-piece swimsuits are OK.

## Can I request a certain room?

No.

## Can I request to room with another group?

Yes. However, we can make no guarantees since housing is tight.

## Can I make changes to my registration list? What about late fees?

Yes. You may exchange students/chaperones on your list. However, after the housing is set, you may only exchange a male student/chaperone for another male, and a female for another female. Please e-mail all changes to [kfriedman@rymonline.org](mailto:kfriedman@rymonline.org).

**Exchanging** students/chaperones will not incur a late fee. However, any additional registrations received after June 14, 2012 **will** incur a \$25 per person late fee.

## What about folks who drop out? Is my church still responsible for their spots?

Yes, once you have secured spots with \$100/person deposits, your church is responsible for those spots. You may find another person to take a dropped spot. If you are unable to find replacements for attendees who drop out before July 30, 2012, you will lose their \$100 deposits. If a student/chaperone drops out after July 30 (one week before camp), you will lose the full amount of his/her tuition.

# TIPS FOR FIRST TIMERS

## **Arrival: What to do and where to go**

Registration begins at 3:00 pm on Monday, August 6th. You may not register early. When you arrive, follow the signs to registration. Please send no more than TWO youth leaders/chaperones into the room where you will register your group. Students who have not signed up online for electives should do so upon arrival, after you have registered your group. Pools & beaches will be open from 3:00 - 5:00 pm. Dinner will be served at 5:30.

## **Small Group Time**

Each night following worship there will be a designated small group time where you will lead your own students in follow-up questions/discussion relating to the evening's sermon. Each person planning to lead a small group will want to take notes during the sermons to aid in discussion. There will also be devotional time in the morning designed for students to have personal quiet time. RYM will provide small group questions and devotional materials for the week.