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Crossfire Camp 2019  
Campers Information

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# Welcome & Introduction

Hello!

Thank you for booking for Crossfire 2019, we are really looking forward to meeting you. Here we have put together everything we think you will need to know in order to prepare for Crossfire so please have a read through this document.

We'll be camping at the fantastic Stathern Lodge, near Melton Mowbray (see below for how to get there). In order to attend Crossfire you'll need to complete a medical and consent form. **Please note the paperwork must be completed in advance of Crossfire or you will be unable to attend.**

We have included a copy of the programme and we will provide you with a final copy when you arrive. All our delicious hot meals are provided by Nicky and her team (we only have to wash up!) - don't forget to bring your own plate, bowl, cutlery and tea towels.

A tuck shop will be available throughout the weekend so you may like to bring a small amount of cash with you. Please bring change rather than notes.

We recommend you do not bring any valuables (such as expensive electronic equipment etc) with you, if you choose to bring them you are responsible for their safekeeping.

Please now read on for further information and get in touch with any questions you may have.

Yours in Christ

Mark Steel  
Crossfire Committee Chair

Katherine Green  
Participants Co-ordinator

# Practical Information

## Where is Crossfire camp 2019?

Crossfire camp is held at Stathern Lodge:

Stathern Lodge  
Back Plungar Lane  
Stathern  
Melton Mowbray  
Leicestershire  
LE14 4EX

You can get directions via Google Maps and as you reach Stathern you'll find Crossfire signs to direct you. If using a sat nav, you may find that the directions take you as far as the cafe just over the bridge, you will need to keep going to the end of the road. If you get lost please call us.

## What to bring?

The weather in May can vary considerably with hot sunshine during the day and very cold temperatures at night. While it's best to keep your camping kit to a minimum please also be prepared for a range of weather conditions.

- Tent (unless you have arranged to hire one from us in advance)
- Sleeping bag and pillow
- Camping mat/lilo
- Warm blankets
- Plate, bowl, cutlery, cup, tea towels
- Toiletries and towels
- Torch and spare batteries
- Bible, notebook, pens
- Strong shoes/wellies
- Warm clothes and coat for evenings
- Warm night clothes
- Suncream
- Any medication you need to take with accompanying Crossfire Request to Administer Medication form.

# Programme

## Friday

7.00pm	Arrivals
9:30pm	Welcome, information and site tours Prayer space available
10:00pm	Ice Breakers
10:30pm	Hot drinks
10:45pm	Welcome
11.45pm	Quiet on site

## Saturday

8:30am	Breakfast
9.30am	Session, Worship, Tribe Time
11:15am	Cuppa
11:30am	Tribe Challenge
12:30pm	Free time
1:00pm	Lunch
2:15pm	Session 2, Worship, Tribe Time
4:00pm	Cuppa
4:30pm	Breakout sessions / free time
6:00pm	Dinner
7:15pm	Worship & Celebration
8:30pm	Evening walk
9:30pm	Campfire and hot drinks
11:45pm	Quiet on site

## Sunday

8.30am	Breakfast
9:30am	Session , Worship and Tribe Time
11:15am	Cuppa
11:30am	Film Challenge
12:30pm	Free time
1:00pm	Lunch
2:15pm	Session 4, Worship & Tribe time
3:10pm	Free time and cuppa
3:45pm	Tribe time (Roadshow prep)
5:00pm	Free time
6:00pm	Dinner
7:15pm	Worship & Celebration
8:30pm	Hot drinks
9:00pm	Roadshow
11:45pm	Quiet on site

## Monday

8:30am	Breakfast
9:30am	Session 5 & Tribe time
10:15am	Cuppa & Free time
11:00am	Worship & Celebration
12:30pm	Lunch
2:00pm	Goodbye until 2020!

*Please note that the program is subject to change.*

# Arrivals and Departures

## **Arrivals**

The program at Crossfire starts at 9:30pm on Friday night and you're welcome to arrive any time from 7:00pm in order to setup and get settled in. We recommend arriving in good time to get your tent setup whilst it's still light. There will be people on hand to help you setup and we recommend if you're bringing your own tent you have a trial run before Crossfire.

If you're arriving by train the nearest station is Bottesford. Please contact us by 21st May to arrange a lift from the station to camp.

Please note there is no evening meal on Friday night, we provide all meals from Saturday breakfast to Monday lunch.

If you anticipate (either in advance or due to delays) arriving after 9:00pm on Friday night please contact us. Should you be delayed in transit please keep us up to date with your expected arrival time. Contact Katherine Green 07902 844881.

## **Departures**

Camp finishes after lunch on Monday. Allowing time for clearing up, collections are from 2:00pm.

If you require a lift from camp to Bottesford train station please let us know.

# Permission, Medical and Medication Paperwork

In order to attend Crossfire 2019 we require all attendees to complete a permission and medical form.

Additionally, if the attendee is currently taking any medication we require a request to administer medication form.

## **Permission and medical form**

<https://forms.gle/tqzW8SPjMNHb2hXk6>

## **Request to administer medication form**

<https://forms.gle/RpGNuMdT6cTWNrVb8>

If you require paper versions of the forms please let us know and we will arrange copies for you.

# FAQ's

Here we have put together some answers to common questions.

## **Do the young people need to bring their own tents?**

If they have a tent to bring, then yes. If not you can, in advance, hire a space in a tent from £5. All campers will also have to bring their own sleeping bag and roll-matt. If this is a problem, please get in touch.

## **Is food included?**

Yes! All food from Saturday breakfast until Monday lunch is provided by our own amazing catering team.

## **Does an Adult need to come too?**

No, we make sure there are enough adult leaders to make the weekend safe and enjoyable. Each camper will be in a smaller group for the weekend, called a 'tribe', so it's easy to get to know others who come along. Each tribe is looked after by 2 adult leaders who are there for them all weekend.

## **What do I need to bring?**

A full kit list is included in this document. When packing remember that the weather in May can be incredibly variable (normally with warm days and cold nights) therefore we recommend packing plenty of layers and blankets.

## **Camp Rules**

1. No smoking on site.
2. No boys allowed in girls' tents, and vice versa.
3. No-one to leave the site without permission from Mark.
4. Respect each others need for sleep – no noise after lights out
5. Please dispose of litter in the bins; don't leave litter anywhere.
6. Please turn up for every part of the programme.
7. Please respect the fact that Crossfire is a drug and alcohol free area.
8. Have a good time, enjoy yourself, and remain open to God!

# Contact us

If at any point you have any questions or concerns please contact us using the details below.

Please ensure your parent/carer has copies of these numbers in case of any emergencies during camp.

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