



CAMP LEADER GUIDE

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WELCOME

Thank you for being part of RUSH 2022! RUSH has been life changing for so many students over the past 17 years and we believe that this year could be the best ever! We have an incredible week planned for our students and you are a huge part of that! The goal is always the same, to see students know and follow Jesus. We are praying that God would use each of you in amazing ways to impact the students you will be interacting with throughout the week.

This packet of information has everything you need to be prepared and ready for the week. Please make sure that you look over the Guidelines, Schedule, Map, Group Huddles, and the Small Group Questions. Here are a couple of important things to mention:

SCHEDULE & GUIDELINES

It is very important to know the schedule and guidelines. Schedules will be posted in the Peabody Theater & on your nametag for your convenience. We need your help to get students where they need to be, when they need to be there so that no one misses out on any part of the week. The Guidelines will need to be strictly enforced by everyone on the team so that the students have a safe and fun week. Group Leaders, if for some reason you have a student in your group that refuses to follow the rules, let a Coach or Security Team member know so they can help you.

STAY WITH YOUR GROUP

One of the most important safety measures we have in place is that small groups **MUST** be together at all times. This especially includes free time. Students are not allowed to roam the hotel property alone. You can help enforce this by sitting with your group during sessions and meals as well as having a group discussion on how to spend your free time together. Please work together so that everyone is able to have fun and enjoy the different things available at RUSH. You are allowed to enjoy the elements (*pier, shopping, restaurants, etc*) in the immediate vicinity of the hotel but you must stay together. (see map for specifics)

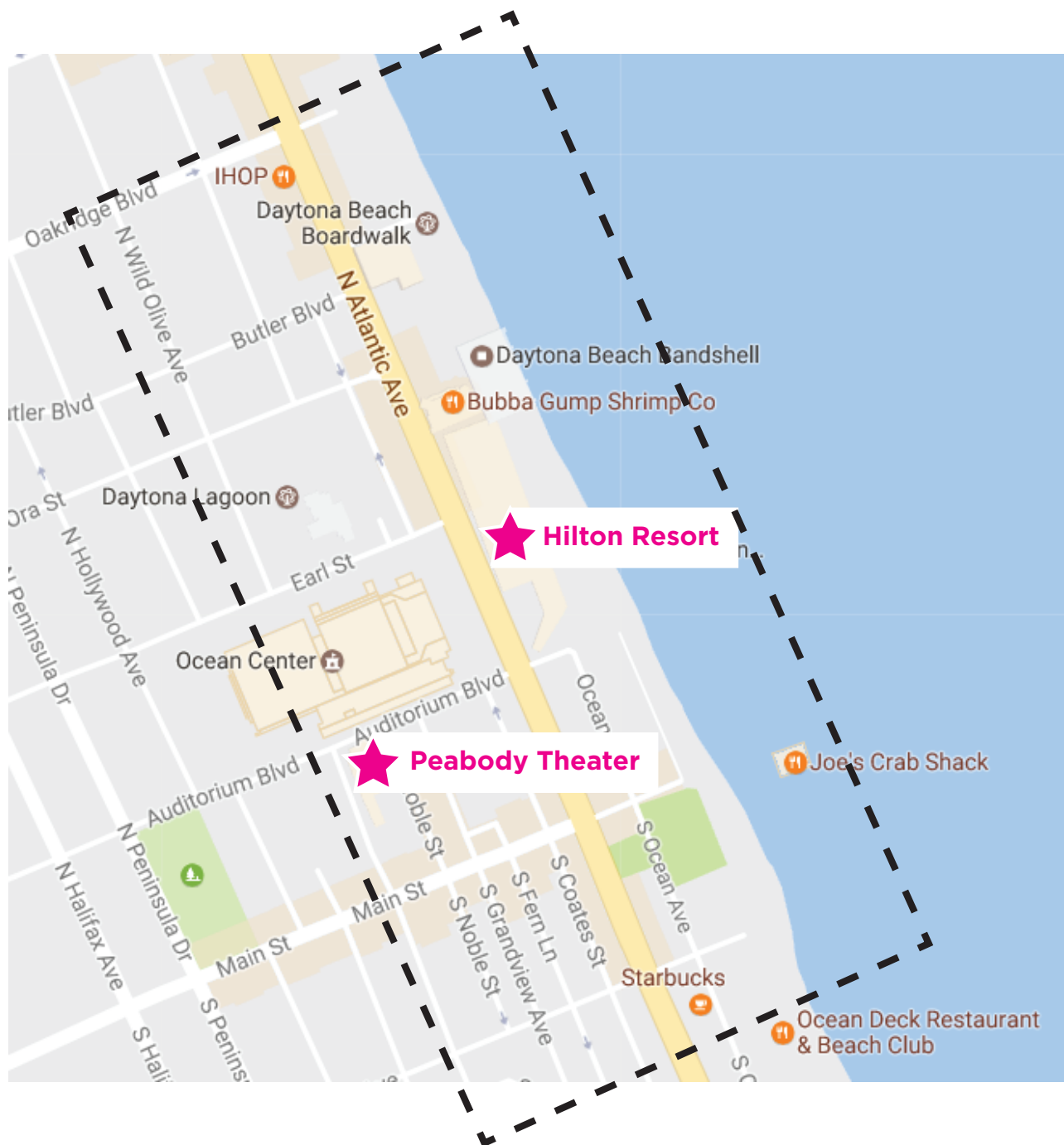
BE INTENTIONAL

Throughout the week you will have many opportunities to build relationships with students and help them discover the life that God has for them. Please make yourself fully available to students each day and be intentional with the time that you have with them. Remember, you are coming to RUSH, not for yourself, but to invest in students in order to help them know and follow Jesus.

Thanks again for being on the team!
We hope you're ready for an incredible week!

MAP

Here is a map of the Daytona Beach area. Feel free to use it to help you navigate throughout the week. Also use the dotted box as a boundary for our group to stay within to ensure no one wonders too far away from the hotel. Thanks and don't get lost out there!



GUIDELINES

These guidelines exist for the safety and well being of everyone at RUSH Camp. **Failure to follow these guidelines will result in students being sent home at their parent's expense.** By making sure that all guidelines are followed, everyone stays safe and it makes for a better time together. Thanks for helping make RUSH the best experience possible!

1. Be respectful of all other students. Fighting, gossip, hurtful comments, and abusive language will not be tolerated
2. Be respectful of all adult leaders as well as hotel staff and do what they ask
3. Never go anywhere by yourself. Make sure you are with your small group at all times
4. Please do not litter. If you drop something, pick it up
5. Please take care of the hotel rooms. Just remember...if you break it, you buy it.
6. Attendance is required at everything we do over the course of the week.
7. No PDA (Public Displays of Affection)
8. No pranks or practical jokes
9. Absolutely no drugs, alcohol, tobacco, vapor pens, e-cigarettes, laser pens, pornography, or weapons are allowed at camp.
10. No Electronics or Cell Phones may be used during sessions or small groups unless specified
11. No member of the opposite sex is allowed on your floor, hallway or room...EVER!
12. Absolutely no going out of your room after lights out time
13. While in the ocean please adhere to Lifeguard's instructions
14. No more than 10 people allowed in an elevator at a time
15. Do not yell, drop, throw, climb or hang from your balcony at any point
16. Only use the Crosswalks designated in Daytona Beach to cross back and forth safely between the hotel and the Peabody Theater, while also obeying Police instruction

SCHEDULE

MONDAY - May 30

7:00am - MS Check-In @ WRC
8:00am - HS Check-In @ WRC
5:00pm - MS Arrival at Hilton @ Daytona
6:00pm - HS Arrival at Hilton @ Daytona / 5th & 6th Grade Dinner
6:15pm - 7th & 8th Grade Dinner
6:45pm - 9th & 10th Grade Dinner
7:00pm - 11th & 12th Grade Dinner / Peabody Doors Open
8:00pm - Session
10:30pm - Small Group Time
11:30pm - In Rooms
12:00am - Lights Out

TUESDAY - THURSDAY - May 31 - June 2

8:15am - MS Breakfast
8:45am - HS Breakfast / Peabody Doors Open
9:00am - 11th & 12th Grade Breakfast
9:30am - Session (Thursday - "RUSH Wars" at Bandshell)
10:45am - Small Groups & TwG (Thursday - "RUSH Wars")
11:45am - Lunch
1:00pm - Free Time
5:00pm - 5th & 6th Grade Dinner
5:30pm - 7th & 8th Grade Dinner
6:00pm - 9th & 10th Grade Dinner
6:30pm - 11th & 12th Grade Dinner / Peabody Doors Open
7:30pm - Session
9:30pm - Small Group Time
11:00pm - In Rooms (Thursday - Late Night Activity)
12:00am - Lights Out (Thursday - Lights Out at 1am)

FRIDAY - June 3

8:00am - Beach Baptisms
8:45am - MS Breakfast
9:15am - MS Depart from Peabody
9:45am - HS Breakfast
10:15am - HS Depart from Peabody
7:00pm - Arrive at WRC

MS = Middle School

HS = High School

WRC = West Ridge Church

CAMP THEME

“WAKE UP, SLEEPER, RISE FROM THE DEAD,
AND CHRIST WILL SHINE ON YOU.”
EPHESIANS 5:14

MAIN IDEA

Our hope is to see students come to know Jesus, and as a result wake up to the realities of who God is, who they really are, and what He is doing in the world.

NIGHT SESSIONS

Session 1 - Wake Up To Salvation

Communicator: Brian Bloye

Main Point: Introduce and explain our need to wake up from a life asleep due to sin and be awakened by the love & grace of Jesus

Session 2 - Wake Up To Truth

Communicator: Tito Diaz

Main Point: As Jesus wakes us up through salvation, He then speaks to us and provides us with absolute truths that can be used to understand more of who God is and who He has made us to be

Session 3 - Wake Up To The Holy Spirit

Communicator: Tim Grandstaff

Main Point: Once we come to know Jesus he sends the Holy Spirit to be both in and with us to provide the power needed to live out the truths He awakens us to.

Session 4 - Wake Up To God's Kingdom

Communicator: Paul Richardson

Main Point: With eyes opened through Jesus, His truth, and His Spirit, we can now see what God is doing in the world and our role in it

MORNING SESSIONS

Morning 1 - Shania Joseph, Hadley Heller, and Lester Chua

Sharing Personal Stories About Waking Up To Jesus

Morning 2 - Kaitlin Scott and Micah Veale

Sharing Personal Stories About Waking Up To Truth

THE TEAM

STAFF

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Leith Davis	Erin Dale
Tish Leno	Michael Johnson
Jeff Adair	Michael Lindsey
Andrew Gay	Al Nordin
Forrest Lane	Alicia Rakestraw
Dayna Force	Jamie Winkles
Jan Gruppelaar	

GUEST SERVICES TEAM

Christie Meldrim (<i>Team Lead</i>)	
Mary Ellen Beckford	Amanda Marcus
Joe Beckford	Kirsten Moxey
Molly Buwalda	Melissa Padgett
Lorie Conley	Heather Shirley
Carla Davis	Kristina Spurlock
Karla Duran	Meredith Stewart
Angie Hampton	Michelle Thompson
Renee Hatfield	Stephanie Turner
Carolyn Holcomb	

LICENSED COUNSELOR

Mary Wade, (770) 653-2237

COACHES & GROUP LEADERS

*See Leader Huddles Pages

LEADER HUDDLES

HEAD COACHES

Steve Veale & Christy Veale

MIDDLE SCHOOL HUDDLES

5TH - 6TH GRADE GIRLS

COACH: Julie Rape

Haley Peek	Emma McCall
Destiny Holcomb	Paloma Vazquez
Tracy McGowen	Miranda Knight
Kelley Davidson	Missy Ford
Kaitlin Scott	Ashlyn Padgett
Amanda Shaw	Anna Bollin
Becca Shell	

7TH GRADE GIRLS

COACH: Stephanie Newton

Cara Strickland	Sonya Dotson
Carly Hambrick	Bree Straight
Laurah Paulino	Brooklyn Sanders
Christina Ethridge	Juliann Jones
Aidan Cathey	

8TH GRADE GIRLS

COACH: Jessica Standridge

Shania Joseph	Madison Taylor
Allison Romans	Jeri Kelley
Sarah Secrist	Brittany Deville
Sabrina Taylor	Tracy Morgan
Julia Martin	Kayla Laukka
Kathryn Mobley	Monika Eisenheim

5TH GRADE GUYS

COACH: Brent Moxey

Chris Shaw
Evan Rigdon
Christopher Fisher

7TH GRADE GUYS

COACH: Blake Odgers

Ryan Germany
Hunter Paris
Abraham Tallini
Gavin Nichols

6TH GRADE GUYS

COACH: Sawyer Strickland

Derek Tratchell
Bill Force
Jessie Still
Craig McClelland

8TH GRADE GUYS

COACH: Tyler Newsome

Luke Lambertson
JP Morgan
Lesther Chua
CJ McClelland
EJ Jackline

HIGH SCHOOL HUDDLES

9TH GRADE GIRLS

COACH: Jenni Martin

Hailey Ethridge
Kristen Braswell
Esther Freeman
Amanda Garner
Haley Engel

Nisa Peek
Rachel Altman
Joanice Aarrasquillo
Stephanie Moore
Kimberly Philp

10TH GRADE GIRLS

COACH: Lisa Downer

Christy Crawford
Carly Lamp
Candice White
Kayla McDonald
Nicki Rowland
Amber Upton

Mckenzie Mccall
kristy Mitchell
Savannah Gragg
Celia Swim
Brittney Franklin

11TH GRADE GIRLS

COACH: Nicole Lamp

Candace Edwards
Tracy Jones
Gina McClelland

Katie Andrews
Emma Fazekas
Kim Suffridge

12TH GRADE GIRLS

COACH: Shellie Shirah

Alicia Hayworth
Mandy Ruddell
Ashley Alves

Lauren Camp
Stephanie Menchaca
Mikaela Lanzo

9TH GRADE GUYS

COACH: Chase Gentes

Andy Miller
Chris Womack
Kyle Standridge

Rob Hunton
Jeremy Jones
Brian Spencer

10TH GRADE GUYS

COACH: Jay Cathey

Guy Sharlow
Will Richardson

Steve Newton
Billy Holcomb

11TH-12TH GRADE GUYS

COACH: Ken Buwalda

Josh Baxter
Josh Hunton
Matt Jones
Kevin Bloye

Micah Veale
Mason Fazekas
Cody Pate

GROUP QUESTIONS

MONDAY NIGHT

Scripture: Ephesians 5:14; Romans 13:11-14; Romans 10:9

1. Why did you choose to come to RUSH this week? What do you hope to get out of it? What were your thoughts about the First Session?
2. Brian talked about being asleep and what that looks like. In ways do you think you are asleep in your life?
3. Tonight we learned to truly wake up in life, the key is salvation in Jesus. Have you accepted the gift of salvation by trusting in Jesus? If so, tell us when and how that happened.
4. Why is Jesus the only way to wake up and experience real life?
5. Whether you've known Jesus for a long time or met Him recently, how can you keep the good news of who He is as the focus for your life and allow it to continue to change you from the inside out?

TUESDAY MORNING (Group Questions & Time w/ God)

Lesther, Shania, and Hadley's Stories

Scripture: Ephesians 2:1-10, Ephesians 5:14

1. What parts of Lesther, Shania, and Hadley's stories stuck out to you or resonated with you?
2. In all three of Lesther, Shania's, and Hadley's story, we heard how they all responded to the Gospel. What is the Gospel?
3. Read Ephesians 2:1-10. In Ephesians 2 Paul says "Because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions - it is by grace you have been saved." This verse says that before we met Jesus we were dead in our sins unable to make it God, but Jesus makes us alive when we experience his love. What was your life like before Jesus, how did you get saved by Jesus, and how has your life been different since you've followed Jesus?
4. This morning we saw how God used Lesther, Shania, and Hadley's story for God's glory. How can we use our own story for God's glory? Who in your life needs to hear about the life changing message of Jesus and how he has changed your life?

TUESDAY NIGHT

Scripture: Ephesians 5:14; 2 Timothy 3:16; Proverbs 30:5; 1 Peter 1:22-23

1. How did tonight's session challenge you?
2. Not all things that are presented as truth in our life are true. Do you agree? Why or why not? Can you think of any examples of something that you were told is true but turned out to not be?
3. There are some things in life that are true sometimes and others that are only true for some people. But there are also things that are true no matter what. What are some examples of these things?
4. How can you know what these absolute truths are and why are they important? Why is it important to know the Bible is one of God's primary sources of truth for us?
5. Why can we trust the Bible as a source of truth for our life?
6. How can you use the Bible as the measurement to determine if something is true or not? What are some things we can do differently going forward to help us know God's truth?

WEDNESDAY MORNING (Group Questions & Time w/ God)

Micah Veale and Kaitlin Scott's Stories

Scripture: John 15:10-12, 2 Timothy 3:16

1. What parts of Micah and Kaitlin's story stuck out to you or resonated with you this morning?
2. In Kaitlin's story, she talked about how she struggled with believing lies that were in direct contrast to what God's word says. Those lies were believing that God wanted nothing to do with her and that God had left her. Have you ever felt like God wanted nothing to do with you? Or that he was angry at you? How can we combat the lies that Satan throws at us?
3. In Micah's story he talked about he searched the world for fulfillment, but it left him feeling empty, lost, and broken. What does it look like to find our full fulfillment, joy, and identity in Jesus? Read John 15:10-12
4. Read 2 Timothy 3:16 "All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness." God's word has all the truth that we need. How can we not only read God's word, but put the truth of God's word into practice in our daily walks with Jesus?

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Scripture: Ephesians 5:14; John 16:5-15; Acts 1:8; Galatians 5:16-26

1. What was your biggest takeaway from tonight's session
2. What are some differences between living in your own power and living by the Spirit's power?
3. In what ways is it possible to be awakened to Salvation and to Truth but still live as if you're not awakened to the Holy Spirit? What does Galatians 5:16-26 have to say about this?
4. Jesus told the disciples that it was better for them to have the Holy Spirit in them than to have Jesus beside them. The same is true for you and me. How does that truth impact you? How can you experience the Holy Spirit's presence and power in your life every day?

THURSDAY NIGHT

Scripture: Ephesians 5:14; Isaiah 37:16-20; Daniel 2:44; Matthew 5:3,19; Matthew 6:33; Mark 10:14-15; 1 Corinthians 4:20

1. How did God speak to you or challenge you during tonight's message?
2. What does it mean to be part of God's Kingdom? What are the biggest advantages to that? What struggles do you have with that?
3. Read Matthew 5:3. What do you think Jesus meant by being "poor in spirit"? Why is that necessary to be an active contributor to the Kingdom of God?
4. What does it look like for us to focus on expanding God's Kingdom in us and around us? Can we expand our kingdom and God's Kingdom at the same time? Why or why not?