



WILDFIRE

2019 EVENT PROGRAMME





WELCOME TO MAYCAMP...

**HELLO AND A HUGE WARM WELCOME
TO MAY CAMP 2019 - WILDFIRE.**

Whether this is your first time or you've been ten times before we're so excited that you're here with us at May Camp 2019 –Wildfire! We've packed so much worship, teaching, games, workshops and sports into this weekend, we believe it's going to be the best May Camp ever!

The name Wildfire comes from the exciting message of Jesus which spread like wildfire two thousand years ago when a small group of believers couldn't keep it to themselves. We're going to be looking in our main meetings at what caused the early church to spring up so quickly. We want you to catch the same fire that those early disciples did, and fall more in love with both Jesus and the church.

This weekend, we pray that you'll use every opportunity to ask questions, talk to your youth leaders, respond when you need to respond, be loud when you need to be loud and be quiet when you need to be quiet. As full as the weekend is, above everything else we want you to have space to explore who God is and what that means for your life.

Have a fantastic weekend!

Dan and the May Camp team

GOOD TO KNOW

INFO POINT

Your group leader will register you when your group arrives on Friday. All day visitors must register on arrival over the weekend so that we can keep track of who is on site. Info Point is also the place to sign up for workshops and open mic, tell us jokes, ask questions and maybe find your lost property. If you lose your wristband you can get a replacement here too (but please look after them, a new one is £5). Info Point is manned during the day over the whole weekend.

If you have a first aid need or other query Info Point should be able to help or at least point you in the right direction.

CAFÉ

The café is run by Beccy, Rosie and Claire along with a team of wonderful volunteers. If they're not rushing around serving you snacks they'll be chatting with you and having fun. They love it when you help out by recycling your cans and putting your rubbish in the bins.

This is the place to chill out, relax with your mates and get some stuff to eat and drink. This will sometimes be used as a seminar venue and is closed during main meetings but in free time this is a great meeting place and host to some silly games and much more. Hoodies are also on sale in the café and for the first time in 2019, we can now take card payments.

OPEN MIC

Come and show off your talents during the open mic in the café venue between 3 - 4 on Saturday and Sunday. To make sure you have a slot to do your thing, sign up at Info Point well in advance.

IMAGINE
CAFÉ



St Bartz is an ideal place to bring your youth group for a weekend or week away in the heart of Sussex

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If you have never been to St Bartz we can offer a **STAGGERING** 10% discount for groups.

Information and virtual tour www.stbartz.org.uk

For more details and to take advantage of the discount email stbartz@chichester.anglican.org

BOOKSHOP

It's great to be back again, come and see us in the Cafe area

Bandies - Badges - necklaces and more
Great Music offers

If you keep your May Camp Bracelet, bring it to the shop anytime before the end of August for 20% off all Bibles and books.

Books Alive
86 Elm Drive, Hove, BN3 7JL

20% OFF ALL BOOKS

SECURITY

Anyone arriving or leaving the May Camp site must pass through the Gatehouse. This allows us to keep a record of people and vehicles that are present on site.

DAY VISITORS

Upon arrival day visitors and late arrivals should go to the Info Point in the Main Venue to register and collect their wristband. If no-one is present then a member of the site team can be contacted on 07468 698525.

FIRST AID

In the event of an accident requiring first aid, your designated group first aider is your first point of call. For more serious incidents, site first aid is provided by our Security Team – they can be contacted by radio from Info Point. For serious emergencies please call an ambulance.

BARE FEET

For your own safety footwear must always be worn when on the fields or in any of the venues.

GENERAL INFO

WATER POINT

The water point is located at the far end of the shower block on the end wall.

BBQS

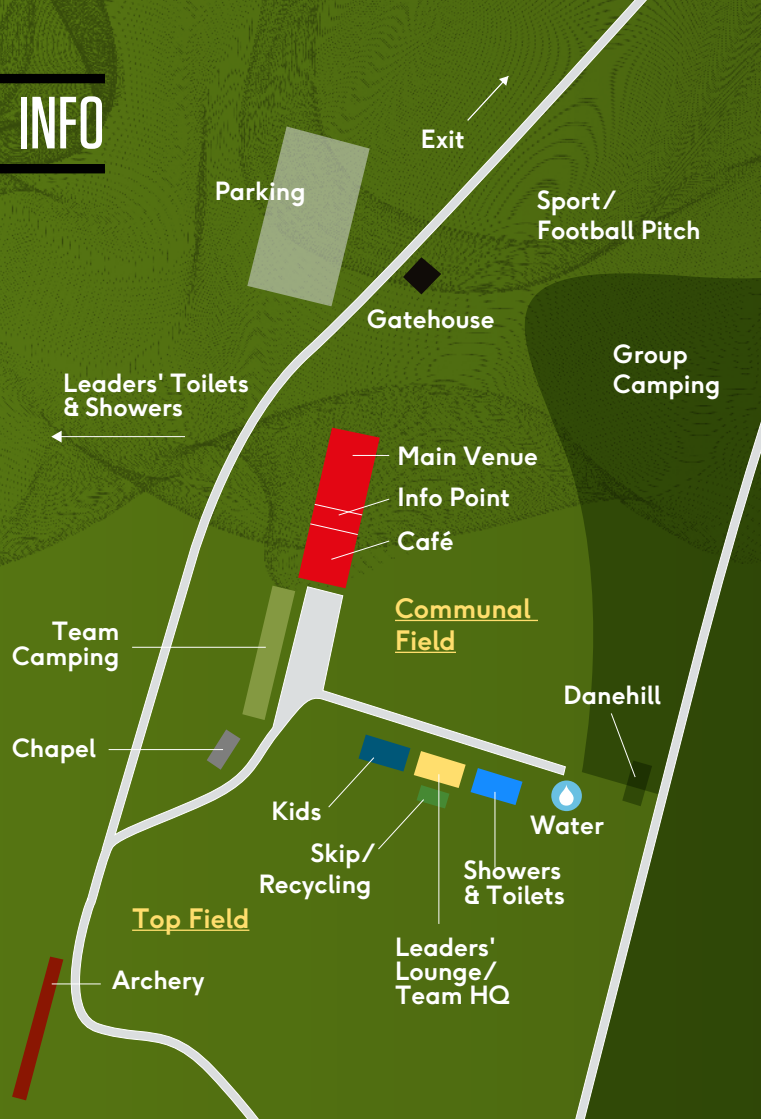
BBQs are permitted but must be set up a safe distance from any tents and walkways. They must always be manned by a leader and extinguished properly after use. Please take care not to scorch any grass.

PARKING

All vehicles need to be moved to the car park by the start of the first main session on Friday night.

RECYCLING AND WASTE

Please recycle as much as possible in the large wheely bins behind Team HQ/Leaders Lounge. All recycling should be clean and loose and you will need to separate glass from other recyclables. All non-recyclable waste should be placed in the skip.



THE TEAM



DAN & BECCY JENKINS

Dan is the Diocesan Youth Officer for Chichester Diocese, he loves good food, muddy dog walks and Beccy. He talks constantly about electric cars and hates waste. Beccy is a building surveyor but loves helping with May Camp and helping run the café venue.



JAMES & JESS CONGREVE-HORN

James and Jess have been living in Canada for the last year but are looking forward to a bear-free existence in England. Their top favourite things are: God, puns, chocolate, unicorns (Jess), coffee (James), and puppies (both).



SAM HARDING

Sam works for the Bell Tower project in Chichester. He's been leading worship for many years and also paints.



STEVE & KATE TENNANT

Steve and Kate have been helping to lead May Camp for seven years. They have three teenagers and a foster child. They also lead a church on the Whitehawk estate in Brighton.



ED & ROSIE STOKER

Ed and Rosie have been part of the May Camp team for many years. Ed works in the events team at Holy Trinity Brompton and Rosie is a doctor in her last year of training for general practice. They have a one year old son, Jamie.



JAMES STINSON

James lives in Brighton and is one the Pastors at St Peter's Church, Brighton. Growing up on the east coast of Australia, he loves all things outdoors and adventurous. He is passionate about seeing young people find their life in Jesus Christ.



BECKY HARDING

Becky works in Brighton as a Lead Coach for an organisation called spear. Becky believes that for young people to grow they need high challenge and high support. Her passion is to see young people's lives changed and transformed. Becky is also a spoken word artist.



BEN TENNANT

Ben has been coming to May Camp for the last 10 years most recently as part of the street 360 sports team. Ben loves football, boxing and sharing about his faith. He is also a part of St Peter's Church in Brighton.



JESS BEAUMONT

Jess leads the youth work at Ruwach Church in Haywards Heath. She loves fajitas, people, charity shop bargains and can't wait for her first ever May Camp this year.

SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

	Saturday 11:30am	Saturday 2pm
MAIN VENUE	Environmental impact What have we done & what can we do?	Dance Swoovy Dance with Esther Featherstone
CAFÉ	Poverty and justice Christian Aid	Open mic Sign up in the cafe
KIDS	Your future Young vocations team	Creative and craft Christina Arnold
TEAM HQ	Grill a Christian	Leaders' lounge Tea, coffee, cake, relax
DANEHILL	Youth Alpha* Loyd Harp and Ben Leighton	Walk about Meeting here and going off site
CHAPEL	Prayer space	Creative Lego workshop Ideas Alchemy
FOOTBALL PITCH	My faith and my sport Street 360	Tag rugby, Zorb football & Capture the flag
TOP FIELD / HILL		Axe throwing Scouts
ARCHERY		Archery James Hollingsworth
COMMUNAL FIELD		Graffiti workshop Sarah Gillings
		Inflatable

	Sunday 11:30am	Sunday 2pm
	Bras (Bible, Relationships and Sex) Let's talk sex, relationships and more for girls	Carpentry Josh Kennard
	Kingsmen. Let's talk sex, relationships and more for boys	Open mic Sign up in the cafe
	How do I share my faith? Jonny Lewis	Creative and craft Christina Arnold
	Looking after your mental health	Leaders' lounge Tea, coffee, cake, relax
	Ground floor* Loyd Harp and Ben Leighton	Festival makeup and glitter
	Prayer space	Prayer space
		Football tournament Street 360
		Slip-n-slide
		Archery James Hollingsworth
		Football cage & volleyball

Key: Teaching/Seminar Workshop

Sports Prayer

*See seminars overleaf



WORKSHOPS

We are providing a variety of workshops over the course of the weekend. You will need to sign-up for most of them if you'd like to take part. Sign-up sheets will be at the Info Point.



SEMINARS

Seminars will take place on Saturday and Sunday at 11:30am. Seminars are listed in the grid for each day.

*Ground floor is a short informal seminar for those wondering "what on earth May Camp is all about?" exploring faith or just starting on this journey.

CHILDREN'S SESSIONS



During the main sessions on Saturday and Sunday morning between 09:45 - 11:00am, there will be a session for leaders-kids age 4 to 9 (younger children should remain with parents).

Sessions will take place in the Kids Venue. Children should be dropped off and collected by an adult, ideally a parent.



SPORTS

The Football Tournament is on Sunday afternoon from 2pm to 5pm. Teams need to have registered by Saturday lunchtime (12:30pm) at Info Point. Other fast and furious games will also be hosted throughout the weekend on the field.

REVISION ZONE



Dare we mention revision?! If you've got GCSEs or A-Levels coming up then we have some space free from distraction that you can retreat to. The Billingshurst Marquee is going to be set up as a revision zone during the day on Saturday and Sunday. Look out for signs on site.



LEADERS' LOUNGE

This year the Centrecourse Bar will be open during the day for all leaders to come and take some time out with complimentary refreshments provided. We hope this will be a great space for networking and relaxation.

FRIDAY 24TH

6:00pm Arrival, welcome and hog roast on the field

8:30pm Welcome & worship – Main venue

9:45pm Café open for business

10.40pm Late night worship - Chapel

SATURDAY 25TH

8:00am Early morning Eucharist - Chapel

8:20am Leaders' briefing – Team HQ

9:45am Morning worship & teaching -
Main venue

11:00am Group time - Discussion and reflection

11:30am Seminars - Various venues

12:30pm Lunch & group time

2:00pm Workshops, café, inflatables

5:00pm Evening meal & group time

6:30pm Evening worship & teaching -
Main venue

8:30pm Evening entertainments -
Various venues

10:40pm Late night worship – Chapel

SUNDAY 26TH

- 8:00am** Early morning Eucharist - Chapel
- 8:20am** Leaders' briefing – Team HQ
- 9:45am** Morning worship & teaching - Main venue
- 11:00am** Group time-discussion and reflection
- 11:30am** Seminars – Various venues
- 12:30pm** Lunch & group time
- 2:00pm** Workshops, café, football tournament
- 4:00pm** Leaders' meeting – Leaders' lounge
- 5:00pm** Evening meal & group time
- 6:30pm** Evening worship & teaching - Main venue
- 8:30pm** Once upon a time disco – Café
- 10:40pm** Late night worship – Chapel

MONDAY 27TH

- 8:00am** Early morning Eucharist - Chapel
- 8:20am** Leaders' briefing – Team HQ
- 9:45am** Morning worship & teaching - Main venue
- 11:30am** Pack up and time to go home

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CLIMATE CHANGE APPEAL

This is the biggest challenge we face. But together we can restore God's Earth

Caid.org.uk/climate



DEAR CAMPERS...

Many things spread like wildfire. My hope and prayer is that the good news of this year's Wildfire May Camp will be one of them!

Something else that spreads like wildfire is, of course, fire itself. We saw the really terrifying aspect of that in the fire that did such destruction at Notre Dame in Paris. And we have also seen that global warming can create wildfires that do terrible destruction to the earth and our natural habitat.

These powerful images connect us to the deeper mystery about the impact of the fire of God's love. This mystery is the capacity of divine love to purify and to perfect.

The good news of Jesus Christ, spread like flames in the wind and breath of the Holy Spirit, has the capacity to consume hatred, greed, fear and all our human limitations.

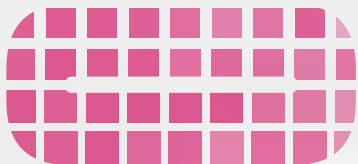
More importantly, it creates the crucible from which the pure gold of God's love and glory is uniquely shaped in each of us. I pray that May Camp 2019 will be a laboratory for the fire of that love to be seen at work in each of you.



+Martin

The logo for 'MINI MAY CAMP' is rendered in a bold, red, bubbly font. The letters are thick and rounded, with a slight shadow effect. The word 'MINI' is in a simple, blocky font, while 'MAY CAMP' is more decorative and integrated into a cloud-like shape. The background of the logo is a vibrant, multi-colored abstract pattern of overlapping, wavy lines in shades of green, yellow, orange, and red, resembling a stylized flame or a colorful smoke plume.

November 29th 2019
St Andrew's Burgess Hill



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22nd-25th May