

Stayner! In Beautiful Clearview Township.

Stayner Camp and Christian Retreat Center Retreat Booking Package 2019

Choosing Stayner!

This could be the right place for your church or ministry retreat. Stayner is located in gorgeous South Georgian Bay country. In our backyard are the Bruce Trails, the Scenic Caves, the Blue Mountain ski hills and the white sandy beaches of Wasaga. Recreation is at its peak in the Georgian Triangle. Spend a day experiencing the fun of Georgian Bay or stay right at the camp where our amenities will allow you to plan a fun filled weekend.

What We Value

“Come away by yourselves to a secluded place and rest a little while...” Mark 6:31 (AMP) The need to withdraw from the busy schedules we all cope with, to quieten ourselves before God and rest; this is the purpose of retreats that come to Stayner. We desire that the groups who come will find refreshment as they immerse themselves in the Word of God, learning together in a community bound by faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.

What are our accommodations?

Our warm and inviting lodge is nestled in a 100-year-old pine forest. This winterized facility is perfect for group sessions, singing, games, or just for hanging out. Equipped with kitchen service, lounge furniture, a fireplace and comfortable rooms for sleeping, the lodge is the perfect place for a Winter Retreat. We can house up to 60 people in a variety of configurations. When the weather is warm and fair our outdoor cabins and campground allow you to house two hundred. A large dining hall can seat 110 people for banquet purposes or provides a dining area and a meeting area for smaller groups. An upper and lower lounge can be used for meetings with smaller numbers.

What about other activities?

Our gym can provide you with a wide range of indoor activity options: climbing wall, volleyball, basketball and floor hockey invite your group to have fun. A smaller building, the Fellowship Hall is ideal for chapel sessions, games nights or for whatever purpose your retreat is designed to fill. There is an outdoor basketball court, a field for wide games winter and summer and a horseshoe pit waiting for action. An outdoor campfire pit is stocked with wood.



Stayner Bible Conference Grounds is operated by the Board of
Evergreen Christian Ministries.
We are a partner ministry of the
Evangelical Missionary Church of Canada.





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RETREAT REQUEST 2019-2020

Stayner Bible Conference Grounds, Box 400, 240 Scott Street, Stayner, ON L0M 1S0

Return Retreat Request form to the booking office at:

E-Mail: stayner@ecmcamps.ca

ECM Camps Info: www.ecmCamps.ca Phone: 705.428.3504

or fax to: 705-517-1544

REQUESTED DATES:	1st	2nd
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1. FILL IN THE FOLLOWING. THIS WILL ALLOW US TO GIVE YOU A QUOTE.

Name of Organization	
Address	
City/Province	
Phone	
Fax	
Email	
Contact Person	
Address	
City/Province	
Postal Code	
Phone to contact us is	
Fax	
Email	
Leader Arrival Time	
Departure Time	

2. Check Group Type

- Youth
 Couples
 Families
 Singles
 Men only
 Women only
 Corporate
 Other

If other please describe:

3. What is the purpose of your retreat or event? Our primary focus and priority is to allot space to groups that are evangelical and program their retreat for refreshment in our faith. Please be sure that if this is a teaching, counselling or support group that your values and ministry line up with Stayners' values as stated on page 1 and you fill in section A below.

We do have a limited number of spaces for groups that like to quilt, do paper crafts or sew. These groups should fill in section B below. Not sure? Comment in A.

A.

B. State your purpose here if you are a crafting group, sewing retreat or in the other category.

4. FOOD SERVICE REQUIRED: Please check the number of meals and on which days. Meals are priced per person and will be given in the quote. Some menu and diet choices can affect pricing.

Prices all will have HST added to them	# of	State which days for the meal choices. EG. M, T, W, Th, F, Sa, Su
Daily Breakfasts, 8:30 AM		
Daily Lunches 12:30 PM		
Daily Suppers, 5:30 PM		
BBQ Meal: Hamburgers/hotdogs and sides		
Roast Beef Dinner, 12:30 PM or 5:30 PM		
Turkey Dinner with the trimmings, 5:30 PM		
Brunch (10:30AM: a delightful mix of breakfast and lunch, enjoy the sweet & savory)		
Evening Snacks per person		
WE ARE DOING OUR OWN FOOD SERVICE: Note you must have 1 person certified in safe food handling. Rental fees for kitchen & dining hall apply. Price also includes 1 SBCG staff.		<input type="checkbox"/> Check here and a rental quote will be sent:

Dietary restrictions such as gluten free must be given to us prior to the retreat. Retreat leaders should get diet information from your guests and submit to the camp prior to arrival. Gluten free menus will be charged \$15 + HST more per guest. No special diet requests at the last minute. We are a nut aware facility. All guests with allergies shall speak to the kitchen when they arrive.

5. SLEEPING ACCOMMODATION

During your stay at SBCG the warm weather months of May through September offer an affordable option for families and youth groups. Cabins reduce the accommodation part of the fee per night. Guests that do not stay at the camp, but eat meals only will be charged a \$25 per day facility use fee plus the cost of their meals.

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Lodge Rooms: all year	Double occupancy guests share the overnight cost. Those desiring a private room pay the full rate.	
Cabins (June – Sept) – do not have washrooms.		
Cottage 21, 22 (June - Sept)Housekeeping Units		
RV & Campsites, May to Oct		

6. MEETING ROOMS: WHILE AT THE CAMP THE DINING HALL IS AVAILABLE FOR MEETINGS IF GROUPS ARE FEWER THAN 35 ATTENDEES. GROUPS 36 AND UP MUST USE THE FELLOWSHIP HALL. IN THE WINTER MONTHS THE DINING HALL CAN ALSO BE USED AS A MEEETING SPOT AT THE FIREPLACE END. THE LOUNGE AREA IS AVAILABLE FOR ALL GROUPS THROUGHOUT THE DAY FOR INFORMAL VISITING AND/OR MEETINGS. THE RETREAT ORGANIZER SHOULD CALCULATE BUILDING USE INTO EACH RETREATERS FEE.

BUILDING USAGE		CHECK BUILDINGS DESIRED
FELLOWSHIP HALL	\$50 Per day May - October	
	\$75 Per day November - April	
SUMMER TABLERNACLE	\$50 Per day June - August	
GYMNASIUM	\$100 Per day November - April	
	\$50 Per day May - October	
FACILITY USE FEE	\$25 per day for those who do not stay overnight	

7. CAMP USAGE

Please read the following code of conduct, campground rules and statement of faith. You will be required to sign these should you determine that SBCG is your choice of retreat facility.

Stayner Camp exists for the purpose of religious instruction based on Biblical Scriptures. By entering into a rental agreement with Stayner Camp and the corporation of Evergreen Christian Ministries, you and/or your group affirms that it will use the Stayner facilities and services for the furtherance of Biblical teaching and that your teaching will not contradict our statement of faith and lifestyle standards:

Evergreen Christian Ministries Section 911
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PERSONAL LIFESTYLE AND MORALITY STANDARDS

The Statement of Faith of the Corporation is as follows:

- THE HOLY SCRIPTURES as originally given by God, divinely inspired, infallible, entirely trustworthy; and the only supreme authority in all matters of faith and conduct.
- ONE GOD, eternally existent in three Persons, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
- OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, God manifest in the flesh, His virgin birth, His sinless human life, His divine miracles, His bodily resurrection, His ascension, His mediatorial work, and His personal return in power and glory.
- THE SALVATION of the lost and sinful people through the shed blood of the Lord Jesus Christ by faith apart from works, and regeneration by the Holy Spirit.
- THE HOLY SPIRIT by whose indwelling the believer is enabled to live a holy life to witness and work for the Lord Jesus Christ.
- THE UNITY in the Spirit of all true believers, the Body of Christ. The local church as the tangible expression of the Body of Christ.
- THE RESURRECTION of both the saved and the lost; they that are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.

THESE ARTICLES are the non-negotiable Essentials of the Christian faith. The statement is Orthodox and Evangelical. *Orthodox* means in agreement with the historic teaching of the Christian faith as expressed in the historic creeds. *Evangelical* means an emphasis on the biblical gospel about salvation by faith in Christ and new life (regeneration) by the transforming work of the Holy Spirit. This new life is essential to the Christian walk.

The Statement of Christian Conduct of the Corporation is as follows:

- The Christian's conduct is modeled on the example of Jesus.
- Out of gratitude to God for His Covenant love, empowered by the Spirit of Holiness, informed and shaped by the instruction of the Word of God, the Christian walks in the steps of Jesus, obedient to the teaching of Jesus.
- The Scriptures teach that the divine pattern for marriage is the union of one man and one woman in a lifelong covenant relationship in mutual submission to Christ where care and respect for each other are practiced.
- The Scriptures teach that the believer is to be unfettered by anything that attains an addictive, compulsive or idolatrous dominance or control in one's life and conduct.
- The Scriptures teach that the believer is to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in one's dealing and faithful in one's engagements.

Signed: _____ **Dated:** _____

8. RETREAT BOOKING DETAILS

A Minimum group size of 20 'full paying' retreat guests is required, unless otherwise authorized by Stayner Camp and Retreat Center.

- i. To confirm your retreat booking, we require a \$200 deposit. Your weekend is not reserved until the deposit is received. Your deposit can be refunded up to 6 months prior to your retreat. The deposit cannot be transferred to another year should you have to cancel. A delay in getting your deposit to us could result in you not securing your requested dates!
- ii. A copy of a [certificate of liability insurance](#) is required before you arrive for your retreat. If you are not a church group or community organization with insurance, we can direct you to a provider through our insurer.
- iii. We request that you submit to the office: i.) Room assignments, ii.) Retreat schedule
- iv. YOUR ACCOUNT MUST BE PAID, IN FULL, before you leave the grounds unless other arrangements have been made.

9. SCHEDULING YOUR PROGRAM

1. Meal time are: **8:30 AM, 12:30 PM and 5:30 PM**; unless other arrangements have been made with SBCG. We require that you be on time for meals. **A \$50 late charge for groups arriving 20 minutes or more for their meal will be added to your invoice.**

10. General Rules & Regulations

- i. The town of Stayner has an 11 PM noise restriction bylaw. All outdoor activities at the camp must be kept to low noise and no amplified noise after 11. **Quiet** campfires are quite acceptable.
- ii. Alcoholic beverages, weapons, non-prescription drugs and cannabis are not permitted in any of the SBCG buildings nor on the property.
- iii. Stayner is a smoke-free environment. This includes evapes.
- iv. Pets are NOT allowed in any of the buildings. There will be a \$50.00 fine charged for anyone who abuses this policy. There is pet boarding available nearby. Please inquire. Guests staying in their own trailers or tents are invited to bring their pet. We have a pet policy that can be given to you.
- v. Youth Retreats must bring adequate supervision. We recommend 1 leader to every 6 youth. Late night checks are the responsibility of the retreat leader to monitor the activity of their retreaters.
- vi. DAY OF DEPARTURE: Guests must vacate Lodge rooms before noon on the day of departure unless other arrangements have been made. In some situations, you will be asked by the SBCG staff to vacate your accommodation rooms by 9:30 am; this normally happens when another group is arriving the day you depart (advance notice will be given to you).

11. DAMAGES

Any damage(s) to SBCG's property will be the responsibility of the retreat group and will be billed to you.

An additional fee of \$25.00/per room will be charged for any/and all rooms left with excessive garbage and left in 'total disarray'. Note: rooms are to be reasonably 'left' as you received them. If furniture has been moved, please return it.

If a guest leaves some article behind they are responsible to reimburse us at Stayner for shipping it back to them.

All accommodation keys and 'Master keys' must be returned to the Main office prior to departure. A charge of \$5.00/per key lost will be billed to you.

FINAL NOTES

Once we receive this form a quote will be put together. At that time we will work toward agreeing on the date and the price. Once we have agreed, your retreat days will be reserved for you. An invoice for a deposit will be issued.

**Thank you for letting us serve you!
For all questions pertaining to your retreat please contact
stayner@ecmCamps.ca**