

When:

July 13-17, 2026

Cost:

Before 4/15: \$340

Before 5/15: \$360

5/16 and after: \$420

Register by mail or online at edinborocamp.org

Scholarships available. Call Director Dan Borchert to discuss.



“I praise you for I am
fearfully and wonderfully made.”
Psalm 139:14

Edinboro Camp and Retreat Center

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Camper Criteria:

This camp’s purpose is to provide a safe, fun, community camp environment. Although we recognize the need for respite care, that is not our purpose. In order for our program to be successful the following criteria must be met:

1. The campers must be able to **participate** in simple crafts, some physical activity, some response to music and speakers, etc.
 2. The campers must be able to **control themselves** in an appropriate manner so we can provide a safe, fun, community environment for everyone.
 3. The campers must be able to **take care of their own personal needs**, i.e. dressing, personal hygiene and showering with **minimal assistance**.
 4. **All campers must be continent.** We ask that the campers be able to **express their needs** in some manner.
 5. Campers who use a wheelchair should be able to transfer independently into and out of the wheelchair (i.e. to a bed, using a toilet, transfer to chair, etc.), as well as navigate their wheelchair independently or with minimal assistance.
 6. At camp, the ground can be uneven and in some places rocky. Please be mindful of this if the camper has difficulty with ambulation or gait (i.e. if using a walker or cane).
 7. Our counselors are here to guide the campers with the camp program. They are not trained nursing assistants but instead are individuals with training only to meet the campers' basic and simple needs.
- If you have any questions or a special circumstance, please feel free to our director, Dan Borchert at 814-882-9816 and it's best to call between 9:30am and 4:30pm Monday through Friday.



Exceptional Adults Camp July 13-17, 2026

**For Active Adults Age 18+
with Special Needs**



Exceptional Adults Camp

Welcome to our five-day camp for active adults (18+) with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

Our safe and fun environment gives adult campers an opportunity to laugh and play while experiencing the love of Jesus Christ. Campers enjoy Bible stories, movies, swimming, crafts, singing, gentle exercise, delicious meals, and much more, all while being served by a caring staff.

Our camp strives to meet their :

Physical Needs

We participate in activities that include everything from swimming and walking to painting and volleyball. We sing, dance and take advantage of the beautiful camp with gentle hikes, picnics, golf cart rides, and bonfires.



Social Needs

Everyone is a valued and key member of our camp. We focus on the value of each individual and the fact that we all have a unique purpose in life.



Spiritual Needs

We build and nurture relationships with fellow campers and staff. We also talk about what it means to begin a friendship with Jesus.



Details:

Registration is between 9:00 and 10:00 a.m. on the Monday of your camp week. Pick up is at 1:30pm on Friday of your camp week.

Campers should bring:

- Medication in original packaging and clearly labeled
- Bedding for a twin bed (no sleeping bags)
- Towel & washcloth
- Sunscreen and/or hat
- Swimsuit and swim towel
- Water shoes (optional)
- Clothes for 5 days (plan for warm and cool weather) with extra sets including extra undergarments
- Pajamas
- Jacket/sweatshirt
- Rain gear
- Dirty laundry bag
- Sturdy walking shoes (2 pairs is ideal)
- Personal hygiene items (electric razor, sanitary pads, soap, shampoo, denture cup)
- Any hobbies (crossword book, knitting, etc.)
- Any calming/comfort items
- Fan for room (if desired)