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CAMPS & MISSIONS 2025 EBOOKLET

SUNI CAMPS & MISSIONS

Are you excited for the summer ahead? At Scripture Union Northern Ireland we love camps and missions, and we really can't wait for all that will happen in Summer 2025!

Each year, around 7000 children and young people come along to our camps and missions; each having unforgettable experiences and making memories that will last a life time.

This year, we have lots in store with some new camps and missions on the horizon - meaning more opportunities to have the best summer ever!

Our hope is that for each of those who engage with us this summer, whether that be through one of our adventure camps or at a seaside mission (or anything in between!) you will have the most amazing experience but, ultimately, that you would know of God's goodness, experience His love and grow in fearless faith!



SUNI CAMPS

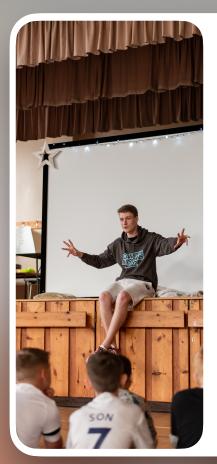
There are over 18 camps to choose from. Which one have you got your eye on?

Each of our camps offer an amazing opportunity to get away with friends or family and all with something different to offer. From camping in the dunes to bouldering in the Mournes, from creative games and crafts to sports and team games, there is something for everyone to get stuck into.

There will be lots of opportunities through camp to hear from God's Word, to spend time in small groups and to sing songs of praise to Him. How amazing it is to do this with friends old and new. It's sure to be a time you won't forget!

But hurry, places are limited and they book up fast! Bookings open from 8pm, 30 January.

BASE CAMP



BASE CAMP 2025

Are you aged 16–18 years old and interested in serving on an SU camp or mission? Then Base Camp is the perfect start for you!

Base Camp is a residential weekend in June to equip and inspire our growing leaders in SUNI. With engaging workshops, worship, small groups, devotionals and lots of fun and games, it's a weekend that's not to be missed!

At Base Camp we want to inspire and equip you to serve with SUNI this summer and beyond!

Location: Delamont Outdoor Learning Centre, Downpatrick Age: 16 – 18 (volunteers) Date: 20th – 22nd June 2025 More information available online



"If it wasn't for Base Camp, I wouldn't have the knowledge to lead small groups, memory verses and so much more! I had such a great weekend at Base Camp and it was such a useful thing during my time on an SU team - especially having leaders about I already knew, which eased my nerves."

- 2024 Base Camper (age 16)



NORTH COAST PRIMARY CAMP

Join us at North Coast Primary Camp this Summer as we embark on 'The Great Jungle Journey!' At NCPC we will be exploring the biblical answers to some big questions as we set off together on an epic adventure from Genesis to Revelation and learn to connect the Bible to everyday life. If you enjoy archery, bushcraft, surfing, craft and games then prepare to swing into a week full of fun as we head out on a Great Jungle Journey together.

Location: Irish Society's Primary School, Coleraine Date: 1 – 6 July 2025 Price: £165 Age: P5 – 7



FERMANAGH PRIMARY CAMP

What do you want to do this summer? How does swimming, camp fire and s'mores, sports, baking, craft, team challenges, and a movie night sound? Alongside our super-secret day away, and general madness in Fermanagh? What about time learning about Jesus and asking big questions about what He means to our lives? We think that all sounds pretty epic... and we'd love for you to join us. Come along for an unforgettable time at Fermanagh Primary Camp!

Location: Cleenish Centre, Enniskillen Date: 28 July – 2 August 2025 Price: £150 Age: P5 – 7



PORTRUSH PRIMARY CAMP

Portrush Primary Camp is going to be an amazing week focused on exploring the Bible and learning more about God. Alongside that, we will be cramming in all sorts of amazing activities, enjoying water sports, team games, beach time and so much more. At Portrush Primary Camp you'll meet new friends, catch up with old ones and have the most amazing week. We can't wait to have you along! See you then!

Location: Carnalridge Primary School, Portrush Date: 10 – 17 August 2025 Price: £175 Age: P5 – 7

POST-PRIMARY CAMPS



NORTH COAST JUNIOR CAMP

Camp is guaranteed to be one of the best weeks of your summer! Each day is fun-filled with a host of activities - from surfing, coasteering and archery, to games, 10-pin bowling, shopping and our epic theme night! There's also time to relax and chill as well as our end of camp beach fire pit. Above all, we are excited to help you discover, grow deeper with and experience God and His amazing love for us through our teaching, worship and chats together. Come join an unforgettable week!

Location: Carnalridge Primary School, Portrush Date: 27 July – 1 August 2025 Price: £185 Age: Year 8 – 10



NORTH COAST SENIOR CAMP

Join us for an epic week this summer! We have a little bit of everything at NC Senior – surfing, rock climbing, canoeing, archery, coasteering, chilling, beach games, team challenges, arts & crafts, baking, BBQ, getting coffee in Coleraine, and a (surprise) theme night! Expect big adventures, and equally big times thinking about the challenges of life today – and how we have a great God who helps us in them. Great food, great fun, great friends. See you there!

Location: Carnalridge Primary School, Portrush Date: 3 – 9 August 2025 Price: £230 Age: Year 11 – 14



MULLINGAR CAMP

Have a blast with us as we grow in our faith together at Mullingar Camp! Our camp is designed to equip you with the tools to face everyday challenges with confidence and faith. Engaging evening meetings, practical seminars, and small group Bible studies will help deepen your understanding of God's Word. Our action-packed schedule is filled with exciting activities to suit all interests - there's never a dull moment. Take part in crafts, canoeing, and even a traditional Ceilidh! Wrap up your days with campfire worship under the stars and create memories that will last a lifetime. Whether you're looking for adventure, fellowship, or spiritual growth, you'll find it all at Mullingar Camp.

Location: Drewstown House, Drewstown Date: 29 June – 5 July 2025 Price: £250 Age: Year 9 – 14

ADVENTURE CAMPS



MOURNE ADVENTURE CAMPS

Join us for an unforgettable experience at one of our Adventure Camps, where every challenge is an opportunity to grow in faith, confidence, and community. Whether you're conquering a rock climb, exploring the trails, or gathering around the campfire, our activities are designed to stretch your abilities and deepen your relationship with God. Through team-building adventures and moments of quiet reflection, you'll discover the beauty of God's creation while strengthening your faith and building lasting friendships.

Here, adventure is more than a thrill—it's a way to experience God's love, power, and purpose in the great outdoors. Come grow, explore, and let His guiding hand lead you every step of the way. Are you ready to take the leap? Book your place and let your adventure begin!

MAC 1

Location: Castlewellan Castle, Castlewellan Date: 20 – 26 July 2025 Price: £395 Age: Year 8 – 12

MAC 2 (NEW IN SUMMER 2025!)

Location: Kilbroney Centre, Rostrevor Date: 9 – 13 July 2025 Price: £260 Age: Year 12 – 14

MAC 3 (Outdoor Camping)

Location: Greenhill YMCA, Newcastle Date: 1 – 6 July 2025 Price: £285 Age: P7 – Year 12

CANVAS CAMPS



CARRICKFINN BOYS' CAMPS 1 & 2

Are you ready for your best summer yet?! What's better than camping under the stars, dips in the sea at 7.30 in the morning, adventures together in Donegal, and learning about God in the wild outdoors? We hope to offer the following activities: sports, football, volleyball, cricket, tag rugby, beach games, sand sledging, water activities and mountain climbing.

CAMP 1

Location: Carrickfinn, Co. Donegal Date: 30 June – 7 July 2025 Price: £145 Age: P7 – Year 12

CAMP 2

Location: Carrickfinn, Co. Donegal Date: 11 – 18 July 2025 Price: £145 Age: P7 – Year 12



NEWCASTLE BOYS' CAMP

Calling all boys ready for adventure, friendship, and growth! This is the place to be for fun-filled days packed with exciting activities and challenges that will help you discover new strengths, build lasting skills, and make unforgettable memories. From high-energy sports and thrilling adventures to team-building games and spiritual growth, every day is an opportunity to grow in confidence, courage, and Godly character.

Location: Tipperary Wood, Newcastle Date: 5 – 10 July 2025 Price: TBC Age: P7 – Year 12

OTHER CAMPS



BOYS' SPORTS CAMP

(Formerly Boys' Football Camp)

If you're a fan of sports with a huge appetite for fun, then Boys' Sports Camp is where you've got to be this summer! A great chance to meet loads of guys and leaders with a similar love of sport, get involved in sports sessions, and leave with a clearer knowledge of who Jesus is and what that means for each of us today. See you there!

Location: Exodus Centre, Coleraine Date: 22 – 26 July 2025 Price: £185 Age: P7 – Year 9



CAUSEWAY GIRLS' CAMPS

Come and join us at Causeway Girls' Camps! With things like arts and crafts, team games, time for chilling out with friends, movie nights, trips to Portrush and the beach, shopping and coffee, there's something for everyone to try. At Causeway Girls' Camps you will build friendships, explore your passions, discover creativity and walk closer with Jesus, making memories that will last a lifetime.

Causeway Junior Camp

(Formerly Causeway Girls' Camp) Location: Exodus Centre, Coleraine Date: 6 – 12 July 2025 Price: £205 Age: Year 8 – 11

Causeway Senior Camp

(NEW in summer 2025!) Location: The Big House, Limavady Date: 21 – 25 July 2025 Price: £160 Age: Year 11 – 13



FAMILY CAMP (NEW IN SUMMER 2025!)

Time spent with family is time spent well! Join us at the Castle for three nights away from the busyness of the everyday, to enjoy down time with other families, connect over food and receive from God's Word. There'll be opportunities to sign up for activities and to head off to the Mournes at your leisure. Whether you stay in the castle or come camping, we'll be gathering each day to equip and encourage you and your family to live faithfully in today's world.

Location: Castlewellan Castle, Castlwellan Date: 31 July – 3 August 2025 More information available online



P7 CAMP

It's a big summer ahead! With an equally big move in September. Why not join us for an epic time doing beach games, water sports, arts and crafts and more, whilst also thinking through how God is with us in those big moments of our lives. There is so much to get stuck into! Make new friends with P7 leavers from all across NI, all together on the edge of Strangford Lough for four days of absolute madness! We can't wait to see you there.

Location: Delamont Outdoor Learning Centre, Downpatrick Date: 23 – 27 July 2025 Price: £160 Age: P7 leavers ONLY



CASTLEWELLAN CAMP

Come and join us for an action-packed week of activities, games and getting to explore the Bible together. If the chance to enjoy sports, crafts, quizzes, water games and all that the forest has to offer doesn't entice you, then maybe the unique opportunity to spend a week living in a castle will. Make sure you book early so you don't miss out; spaces are limited!

Location: Castlewellan Camp, Castlewellan Date: 10 – 16 August 2025 Price: £230 Age: P7 – Year 12



FATHER WEEKENDS (NEW IN SPRING 2025!)



All you love about SU Camps, BUT YOUR DAD GETS TO STAY TOO! From stories around the campfire to mountaintop views; from paddleboarding to singing your heart out. Our new Father-Daughter and Father-Son weekends will create memories that last a lifetime. Come along to a weekend full of outdoor activities, Bible teaching, glamping and quality time. We are excited to be working with Legacy on this new SUNI weekend camp.

Location: East Coast Adventures, Rostrevor Child Age: 9 – 12yrs More information available online

Father & Son Weekend Date: 14 – 16 March 2025

Father & Daughter Weekend Date: 25 – 27 April 2025



SHINE CAMP (NEW IN SUMMER 2025!)



Shine is a 2-day summer camp delivered in partnership with The Big House Ireland for young people with moderate to severe learning difficulties. This camp is designed for young people who are independent with their personal care and are up for a fun time away, making new friends and exploring God's love. If this sounds like something you would love to be a part of, you are also welcome to bring a support person with you. Register your interest for Shine Camp 2025!

Location: The Big House, Limavady Date: 16 – 17 August 2025 More information available online

*Please check our website for further details and most up to date information for our camps.



SUNI MISSIONS

Whether it's in a church hall or on the beach (or something in between!), our missions provide amazing spaces for children and young people to come together and learn more about God. From exciting crafts to group activities and faith-filled adventures, every session is designed to help children and young people learn about God's Word in a way that's fun and meaningful all the while fostering new friendships that will last a lifetime.

Our missions are spread right across Northern Ireland, come in all shapes and sizes and are packed full of fun. Have a look at the dates and find out more on our website!

MISSIONS LIST

IMPACT MILLBURN

Date: 2 – 6 June 2025 Age Range: Age 4 – Year 13

PORTBALINTRAE CSSM

Date: 1 – 11 July 2025 **Age Range:** Ages 4 – 18

PORTSTEWART CSSM

Date: 6 – 18 July 2025 Age Range: Ages 4 - 18

PORTRUSH CSSM

Date: 7 – 18 July 2025 Age Range: Age 3 – 18

CASTLEROCK CSSM

Date: 7 – 18 July 2025 Age Range: P1 – Year 14

BALLYHOLME CSSM

Date: 7 – 18 July 2025 **Age Range:** P1 – Year 13

BALLYWALTER CSSM

Date: 7 – 11 July 2025 Age Range: Ages 4 - 18

CRANFIELD CSSM

Date: 7 – 18 July 2025 **Age Range:** Ages 4 – 16

PORTAVOGIE & CLOUGHEY CSSM

Date: 13 – 18 July 2025 **Age Range:** Ages 4 – 18

LOUGHBRICKLAND CONNECT

Date: 28 July – 1 August 2025 **Age Range:** P1 – P7

BALLYDUFF SHINE

Date: TBC Age Range: TBC

NEWTOWNBREDA CSSM

Date: 28 July – 1 August 2025 **Age Range:** Ages 4 - 17

MILLISLE CSSM

Date: 27 July – 1 August 2025 Age Range: P1 – Year 14

ENGAGE ANTRIM

Date: 28 July – 1 August 2025 Age Range: P1 – Year 14

BALLYCASTLE CSSM

Date: 28 July – 1 August 2025 **Age Range:** Ages 4 – 17

BALLYSALLY IMPACT

Date: 28 July – 1 August 2025 Age Range: P1 – Year 14

ROE VALLEY CSSM

Date: 3 – 10 August 2025 Age Range: P1 – Year 8+

LISNASKEA CONNECT

Date: 4 – 8 August 2025 **Age Range:** P1 – Year 12

BALLYCROCHAN CSSM

Date: TBC Age Range: TBC

CROSSROADS FINAGHY

Date: 11 – 15 August 2025 **Age Range:** Ages 4 – 17

WATERSIDE CONNECT

Date: TBC Age Range: TBC

SU@NEW HORIZON

Each year, Scripture Union Northern Ireland provides activities for those in P1 - P7 and those with additional needs during the morning programme of New Horizon. **More information available** <u>HERE</u>.

Date: 4th – 8th August 2025

FAQS

SU CAMPS FAQS

What happens after I book?

You will receive an email confirmation as receipt of your booking and payment of the deposit. Within 2 weeks, you will receive an email from the Camp Leader/Secretary who will guide you on the process to pay remaining balances. They will also ask you for further information about your camper.

Is there a fee for SU camps?

All SU Camps have a fee attached. SU Camps are not run for profit, and all those who attend, including volunteers, share expenses. We try to charge as little as possible for each camp, however, we never want finance to be a barrier. Therefore, a Sponsorship Fund is available. For more information and to request sponsorship, please contact us confidentially <u>here</u>.

SU MISSIONS FAQS

How do I book?

You don't need to book or pay to attend any SU Mission. Online registration will be available from a few weeks before the start of each mission. We hope to welcome every child who wants to attend a session at an SU Mission. However, the safety of all children, young people and volunteers is paramount and we adhere to strict adult to child ratios. Should we not be able to safely accommodate every child and young person, places will be filled on a first come first serve basis at the beginning of each session.

How do I find specific details for a mission?

For information on a specific mission (eg. session timings, section locations etc.) please visit our website and follow the link for the mission you wish to know more about. Mission teams will share individual information on their social media ahead of time, as well as any important updates throughout the week of mission (eg. Indoor locations for sections during wet weather).

OTHER FAQS

Who will be looking after my child?

All camps and missions are staffed by volunteers who are approved by SUNI. Teams of volunteers work under the supervision of voluntary Team Leaders who are carefully selected for their leadership abilities and experience, and appointed to their role by the Council of SUNI. Volunteers are trained according to SUNI's procedures for Safeguarding children and young people; covering Health and Safety, Child Protection, and for nominated volunteers, a qualification in First Aid. GDPR Procedures are shared with all volunteers.

How do I make contact with a team leader?

Each camp and mission has it's own email account for corresponding with parents/ guardians. Please check your emails regularly, including your junk mail folder and add suni.co.uk to your 'safe sender' list.

What about insurance?

All SUNI Camps & Missions are covered by a Public Liability (3rd Party) Insurance Policy. Please note that some activities listed may change due to insurance restrictions unknown at the time of this publication. In addition to the insurance cover that we provide, we advise everyone to take out cover against personal accident, cancellation and illness.

What if I have a complaint?

We really hope your experience of SU Camps & Missions is a great one! However, if there is a problem we would like to know as soon as possible so we can do our best to put it right. Please contact the Team Leader in the first instance. If the problem is not dealt with to your satisfaction, please <u>click here</u> to contact SU C&M staff.

How do I raise a concern about safeguarding?

Please check out the Safeguarding page on our website to contact the Designated Safeguarding Officer (DSO) for Camps & Missions.

SPONSORSHIP

We want every child and young person to have the opportunity to participate in one of our camps, so please don't let finance be a barrier.

We have a Sponsorship Fund available which may enable the child or young person you care for to enjoy all our Camps have to offer!

In Summer 2024 we had the joy of sponsoring 17 children and young people to attend Camp.

"Thank you so much for sponsoring (my son) to attend camp. He has really enjoyed it. He said it was the best camp he has ever been on!" – a Camper Parent

To **donate** to camp sponsorship, <u>click here</u>. To **request** camp sponsorship, <u>click here</u>.



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