

# Youth Easter Camp (YEC16)

## Info Sheet

### What's it all about?

This year our church is journeying through a number of sermon series on what it means to be a disciple and what it means to be the church. The theme of YEC16 is: **Follow**.

As we celebrate Easter, we'll be looking at what Jesus' invitation to follow means for us as teenagers living in 2016. Many people think the message of Christianity is "Change and you can join us," but Jesus says "Join us and you will change!"

### Getting there & back

Parents should now have been contacted to make sure travel arrangements are in place. Some people will be carpooling, others will take the train and will be picked up from Brighton train station by youth leaders.

#### Arrival & registration on Sat 26th March:

**Between 11:00 - 12:00**

#### End of camp & pick-up on Mon 28th March:

**Between 15:00 - 16:00**

### Please bring with you...

- a packed lunch for arrival as our first meal will be in the evening.
- your own towel and washing products (bedding is provided).
- non-marking trainers for activities in the sports hall.
- clothes, obviously.
- sweet treats and goodies to share with others through fuzzi mail.
- a small amount of pocket money if you wish to buy instant noodles... they'll be on sale as we know they are your favourite camp snack of all time!!!
- most importantly, your Bible (...yes the actual printed book type, if you have one!)

### What to expect...

There will be interactive games, worship, teaching, and time to meet with each other and with God. Mealtimes will also be fun, not just because you love food... we have a special surprise this year!

If you've got some studying to do, then there will be free time if that's how you wish to use it!

Fuzzi mail is back again! For those who do not know what it is, everyone at the camp will be assigned a fuzzi buddy and it will be your job to send them encouraging messages and even some treats to make them feel warm and fuzzy! So please come prepared.

### Final notes for parents

Please print and sign the parental consent form for your child to bring, unless you've already sent it to us. [www.ccil.org.uk/parental-consent-form-yec16](http://www.ccil.org.uk/parental-consent-form-yec16). We also ask that any outstanding cheques are given in.

As part of our celebration of Easter we will take Holy Communion. As a church we believe that this is a *symbolic* act for followers of Jesus to identify with him after believing and choosing to follow him.

Our prayer is that our youths will make that choice. Please speak to us if you have any issues or would like to know more.

