



JR. HIGH RETREAT
MAY 10-11, 2024

WELCOME

TO

YOUTH

QUAKE

We run Youth Quake every year so teenagers and youth workers like yourself can grow in understanding of who God is and what it looks like to follow Him. Our prayer is that you will experience God in an incredibly real way this weekend.

We make sure this weekend is a safe but crazy fun party for you and your group. In our opinion, the party, the activities, and the shared experience are key parts of building strong relationships that God will continue work in for years to come. The concerts are wild, the option sessions are packed, but our priority is to help one another seek the Kingdom.

Every day, we witness the incredible power of God as He works in the lives of our students, and we are fortunate to have such an inspiring and vibrant atmosphere on campus.

We have a ton of fun here at Briercrest, and this is our way of inviting you into the awesome community we call home. We are honoured that you would choose to come to Youth Quake, and we trust that God will draw you more towards Himself while you are here!



Kait Brennan

Director of Youth Quake

YOUTHQUAKE GUIDELINES

Please use the following guidelines to make the most of your time on campus:

1. Everyone will remain on campus for the entire weekend, and everyone is expected to attend all main sessions.
2. Everyone is expected to be in their rooms following the last scheduled event each night. This includes following the Late Night Café.
3. Under NO circumstances are men permitted to enter the women's dorms or women to enter the men's.
4. Several activities during the weekend are outdoors; please dress appropriately for the weather and activity to avoid injury and sickness.
5. Please park all vehicles in the lots specified and leave them there for the entire weekend.
6. The use of drugs or alcohol on campus is strictly prohibited at all times. Please talk to the Info Desk staff about our designated smoking area if required.
7. Our Here4U team is around to give guidance and directions throughout the weekend so that everything can run smoothly and safely. Please respect and listen to their instruction.
8. If you are locked out or otherwise unable to get into your room, please contact your youth leader and then Campus Safety, which is on duty 24/7 at **306-801-5650**.
9. Please wear your Youth Quake wristband at all times; this is your meal ticket and admission to activities; wristbands are not replaceable if removed or lost.
10. Youth Quake staff reserve the right to enforce community standards and guidelines. They also reserve the right to search backpacks and baggage at any time for the purpose of determining whether you are in possession of any prohibited items.

FIRST AID – RM 137 STUDENT DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

IF YOU HAVE AN EMERGENCY
OR NEED MEDICAL
ATTENTION OF ANY KIND
PLEASE SEE A NURSE OR
TRAINED STAFF MEMBER IN
THE FIRST AID ROOM.

THE INFO BOOTH EDWARDS FOYER

THE INFO BOOTH IS YOUR
HUB FOR INFORMATION
THROUGHOUT THE WEEKEND.
BRING ANY QUESTIONS,
COMMENTS OR CONCERNS
YOU MAY HAVE OR IF YOU
NEED LOST & FOUND.

ISAIAH 61

¹ The Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is upon me, for the Lord has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to comfort the brokenhearted and to proclaim that captives will be released and prisoners will be freed.

² He has sent me to tell those who mourn that the time of the Lord's favor has come, and with it, the day of God's anger against their enemies.

³ To all who mourn in Israel, he will give a crown of beauty for ashes, a joyous blessing instead of mourning, festive praise instead of despair. In their righteousness, they will be like great oaks that the Lord has planted for his own glory.

⁴ They will rebuild the ancient ruins, repairing cities destroyed long ago. They will revive them, though they have been deserted for many generations.

⁵ Foreigners will be your servants. They will feed your flocks and plow your fields and tend your vineyards.

⁶You will be called priests of the Lord, ministers of our God. You will feed on the treasures of the nations and boast in their riches.

⁷Instead of shame and dishonor, you will enjoy a double share of honor. You will possess a double portion of prosperity in your land, and everlasting joy will be yours.

⁸“For I, the Lord, love justice. I hate robbery and wrongdoing. I will faithfully reward my people for their suffering and make an everlasting covenant with them.

⁹Their descendants will be recognized and honored among the nations. Everyone will realize that they are a people the Lord has blessed.”

¹⁰I am overwhelmed with joy in the Lord my God! For he has dressed me with the clothing of salvation and draped me in a robe of righteousness. I am like a bridegroom dressed for his wedding or a bride with her jewels.

¹¹The Sovereign Lord will show his justice to the nations of the world. Everyone will praise him! His righteousness will be like a garden in early spring, with plants springing up everywhere.

PLACES TO EAT

All meals will be served in the **dining hall** for the whole weekend!
If you want a snack, coffee, or other treat, stop by the following vendors!

CROSSROADS CAFÉ

Friday 8:00am – 10:00pm
Saturday 8:00am – 6:00pm

BCA FUNDRAISER

THE DEN

Friday 10:00pm – 2:00am
Saturday 8:15pm – 2:00am

THE GYM

Friday 2:30pm – 5:00pm
Saturday 1:15pm – 4:45pm

BRAIN FREEZE FOOD TRUCK

Saturday 1:00pm – 5:00pm

KONA ICE FOOD TRUCK

MAIN PARKING LOT

Friday 2:30pm – 5:00pm
Saturday 1:15pm – 4:45pm

HOURGLASS COFFEE

EDWARDS FOYER

Friday: 1PM – 4:30PM; 6PM – 8PM
Saturday: 8:00am-9:00am;
10:30am-12:00pm; 1:00pm – 4:00pm

THE BEACON

7:00am – 11:00pm

ACADEMIC BUILDING MAP

LOWER FLOOR

S111 – Youth Worker Lounge

S113 – Spa Room

S115 – Quiet Room

S117 – Prayer Room

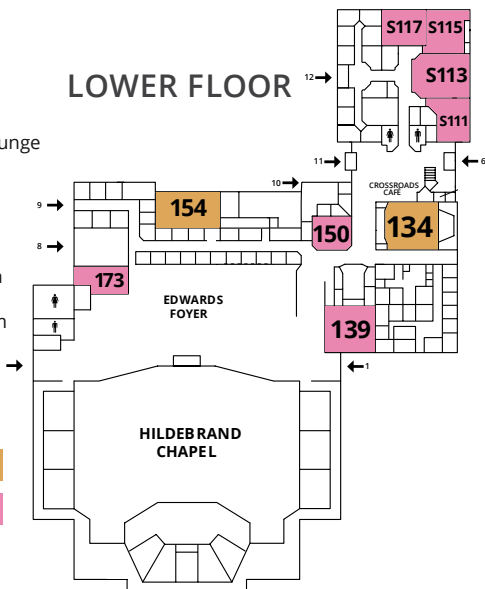
134 – Workshop Room

139 – Youth Cake

150 – Video Game Room

154 – Workshop Room

173 – Arts & Crafts Room



Workshop Room

Activity Room

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

YQ Key Activities

Extreme Keep Away	Gym
Gaga Ball	Gym
9 Square	Gym
Inflatables	Gym
Spa Room	RM S113
Quiet Room	RM S115
Prayer Room	RM S117
Art Room	RM 173
Video Game Room	RM 150
Disc Golf	See Info Booth
Pedal Karts	Main Parking Lot
Lawn Games	Front Lawn
Archery	Field
Connect4/Basketball	Edwards
Foosball	Edwards
Ping Pong	Edwards
Merch Booth	Edwards
Briercrest Central	Edwards

FRIDAY

1:00-5:00pm Registration

Registration & Moving into Dorms	Edwards
Key Activities	Various
Bazooka ball	Gym

4:45-6:00pm

Supper	Dining Hall
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6:15-6:45pm Kickoff

7:00-8:00pm

Party Session	Various
The Amazing Quake	Various

8:15-9:30pm Main Session

Main Session 1	Hildebrand
9:15pm - Youth Group Time	Various

9:30pm-12:00am

Late Night Café	The Den
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10:00-11:00pm

<i>Coleman Williams</i>	<i>The Chapel</i>
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11:00pm-12:00am

Campfire Singalong	Courtyard
Karaoke	The Den

12:30am Goodnight!

SATURDAY

7:30-9:00am

Breakfast	Dining Hall
7:45: Youth Leader Session	Rm 175

8:00-8:45am Option Session 2

Wake-up with Kyra!	Edwards Foyer
Open Gym	The Gym
Bazooka ball	Gym

9:00-10:15am Main Session

Main Session 2	Hildebrand
10:15 - Youth Group Time	Various

10:30-11:30am Option Session 3

Workshop: YQ Interns	Rm 134
Workshop: Briercrest Worship	Rm 154
Briercrest Performing Arts Preview	The Landing
RU Dance Show	Hildebrand
Youth Cake	Edwards Foyer

11:30am-12:00pm

Key Activities	Various
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12:00-1:15pm

Lunch	Dining Hall/Arena
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1:00-2:30pm Option Session 4

Gym Blast (Blue Bands)	The Gym
Workshop: Ellen Duffield	Rm 134
Workshop: Karym Coleman	Rm 154
Youth Cake	Rm 139
Horses	Front Lawn
Key Activities	Various
Bazooka ball	Rm 175

2:45-4:15pm Option Session 5

Gym Blast (Green Bands)	The Gym
Workshop: Ellen Duffield	Rm 154
Workshop: Karym Coleman	Rm 134
Youth Cake	Rm 139
Horses	Front Lawn
Bazooka ball	Rm 175
Key Activities	Various

4:15-4:45pm

Snack & Pack	Dining Room & Dorms
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5:00-6:15pm Main Session

Main Session 3	Hildebrand
6:15pm - Youth Group Time	Various

6:30-7:30pm

Supper	Dining Hall
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See You Next Year at YQ25!

PHOTO GIVEAWAYS

Enter to win one of 4 prize bundles by sharing your favourite YQ photos! Scan the QR code below and pick which category you're entering for – easy as that!

CATEGORY 1: BEST PARTNER PHOTO

Take photos with our partners or at their activities. The full list of partners can be found on the next page.

Prize: Partner Bundle

CATEGORY 2: BEST YOUTH GROUP PHOTO

Take a photo as a group at one of our photo booths, at an option session, or anywhere on campus!

Prize: Kona Ice for your whole group

CATEGORY 3: BEST BRIERCREST PHOTO

Take photos of or around the Briercrest campus and be entered to win!

Prize: Briercrest Bundle

CATEGORY 4: BEST OVERALL YOUTH QUAKE PHOTO

Take photos of option sessions, concerts, or just hanging out with your friends! This is the photo that overall is the best YQ photo.

Prize: YQ cups for your whole group

SCAN TO ENTER



PARTNERS

We are so thankful for our partners who have helped make YQ possible! Stop by their booth to say "Hi" and grab a snack!



HOURGLASS
COFFEE



TELL US ABOUT
YOUR YQ24 EXPERIENCE!

[YOUTHQUAKE.CA/SURVEY](https://youthquake.ca/survey)



WORKSHOPS

OPTION SESSION 3

YQ Interns – God Doesn't Have Grandkids

Growing up in a Christian home can be challenging, and at some point, you must decide what you believe and what you will stand for. You get to embark on a quest of making your faith more than what your parents have raised you to believe. The four YQ interns understand your struggle; each of us were raised in Christian families! Join us to discover that you're not alone in your experience, and gain practical tools to begin your journey of apprenticing under Jesus.

Briercrest Worship – Why Worship

What is worship? Why do we do it? Join Briercrest Worship as we work through these two questions followed by a time of unplugged musical worship.

OPTION SESSION 4&5

Option Session 4: Green Bands

Option Session 5: Blue Bands

Ellen Duffield– Brave Girls

Studies show that a woman's confidence peaks at age 9, significantly impacting her ability to step into all God is calling her to be and do. Age 9!?! This highly interactive workshop, led by the founder of BRAVE Girls (bravegirls.ca), weaves scriptures, stories and activities that help us to find our BRAVE way. Be sure to bring a notebook with you for the scrapbooking exercise.

Karym Coleman – Brave Boys

Becoming a Brave Boy can be a challenging journey. This highly interactive workshop offers scriptural stories as well as powerful models, tools and fun activities around identity, courage and wise decision making to help young men grow into the fullness of who God created them to be. Be sure to bring a notebook with you for one of the hands-on activities.

YOUTH WORKER RESOURCES

OPTION SESSION 2 - YOUTH WORKER SEMINAR

Rob Chartrand – Building a Resilient Life

A discussion on ministry leaders' high turnover by focusing on cultivating resilient faith through life-structuring habits that deepen one's relationship with Christ for a more fulfilling ministry. We will also explore methods to pass these faith-forming practices onto the youth, ensuring longevity and impact in ministry work.

YOUTH WORKER LOUNGE

The youth worker lounge is open to all youth workers at the following times. Stop by for a snack, to network with other youth workers, or to

Friday:

1:00PM—5:00PM

6:00PM—10:00PM

Saturday:

8:00AM—12:00PM

1:00PM—5:00PM



Ministry Partnership Award



VISIT WWW.BRIERCRESTSEMINARY.CA/MINISTRY-AWARD TO APPLY.

Only pay

1/3

of tuition costs.

The Ministry Partnership Award is a partnership agreement between students, their churches (or organization), and Briercrest that allows you to access ministry training for one-third of the cost.

It is open to Master of Divinity and Master of Christian Ministries students. Each partner pays one-third of the tuition costs to make ministry training even more affordable.

Looking for a change?
Consider Briercrest High School

- Grade 9-12
- Live in a Dorm
- Find Christian Friends
- Get to know Christian Teachers
- Learn with Biblical truth in all classes



Sign up to get
more info:



BRIERCREST
CHRISTIAN ACADEMY



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| 1. GYMNASIUM | 9. ISABEL WHITTAKER | 16. BRYGMANN HALL |
| 2. CHAPEL | 10. HILLSON HALL | 17. SUNDBO PLACE |
| 3. ACADEMIC BUILDING | 11. BERGREN PLACE | 18. TECH CENTRE |
| 4. THE BEACON | 12. GUEST HOUSE | 19. THE LANDING |
| 5. THE PILGRIM INN | 13. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | 20. GLEN MANOR |
| 6. BARKMAN ARENA | 14. BRICK PATH | 21. ELIASON MANOR |
| 7. CAFETERIA | 15. LEWIS APARTMENTS | 22. MAINTENANCE SHED |
| 8. SINCLAIR WHITTAKER | | |

