



July 1, 2017

Dear Pastor and/or Men's Group Leaders,

Our **18th Annual SNBA Men's Retreat** on August 11-12, 2017 at East Texas Baptist Encampment is rapidly approaching. Our theme will be **Relay: The Men We Need for the Race**. Much of the information can be found on the websites of www.snbarea.org and www.etbe.org.

Enclosed you will find a copy of the *schedule, poster, signup sheet and Church Total Sheet*. You can make copies of these as needed. Sign up the men of your church on the "Church Totals Sheet". The group coordinator needs to report the names and types of accommodations and room-mate information from their church to the Encampment (Not the SNBA Office). **You can either send a copy of your "Church Total Sheet" to ETBE (178 Pvt. Rd 7005, Newton TX 75966), register on-line with ETBE (www.etbe.org), or call ahead (409.379.2737) with the information prior to the deadline of July 21, 2017. This early bird special price will go up after this date!** If **NOT** registered by this date, an additional \$10 will be charged.

Remember the Lakeview Lodge fills up quickly. However, with the renovations and completion of all the new dorms, the dorm is now an excellent place to stay if you have a group desiring to be housed together. ***(Important note: A dorm room requires you to bring your own linens and a pillow)***

There will be a time of worship and preaching on Friday night and two sessions on Saturday. This year we are excited to hear from Pastors: *Jason Glenn, Ben Taylor and Brian Givens*. Our entertainment will be Christian comedic skit team "*Hurt and Manley*" (Chris Hurt & Dylan Manley), men I've known for over 10 years that are sure to make you laugh and make you think. Ernie Overstreet will again lead us in music/worship.

I look forward to seeing you. May God bless you as you enlist your men!!

Keep bragging on Jesus,

Jimmie Neel
Director of Missions