

Canoe Cove Christian Camp Inc.

NEWSLETTER

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“Cold Snap” a BIG Success



Cold Snap Group

Well “Cold Snap” lived up to its name with a drop in temperatures for the weekend which helped us with our outdoor activities. The extra cold weather saved us from being up to our ankles in mud. We had 42 kids registered and from all the responses we’ve heard, everyone had a great time.

We would like to thank Mari Lynn & Chris Darrach for all their hard work. They put together an amazing program.

Thanks, also goes out to all the counselors, MCC students again, the worship team from Montague “Juice Box”, the kitchen cooks and volunteers, who as always do a great job and make sure no one goes hungry and to David Marshall for his inspiring messages through the weekend.

A Note from our Program Directors, Kerry & Brenton

We are excited to be returning as Program Directors at Canoe Cove for summer 2010. A new development this year is that Samara and Jim Midgett of Halifax are coming on the program team as Assistant Directors. Jim is a youth minister at Halifax Christian Church, and Samara is Canoe Cove staff alum. With their energy and talent, 2010 looks to be a fantastic year of growth and exploration.

Our theme this year is “Go for Gold!” out of *Phil 3:13b-14*, “Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.”

Summer is just around the corner, so be sure to mark your calendar for your week of camp. And volunteers, please get your application in. A great program needs the support of dozens of volunteers.

We look forward to seeing you this summer!

Upcoming events for May: This year's Spring Women's Retreat is booked for May 8, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and is hosted by the New Glasgow Christian Church. The theme is “Bloom Where you are Planted”. See you all there!!!

A Message from the Chair of the Camp Board, Wayne Peters

Wow! This spring is just racing by! The camp has been busy with several weekend events, including “Deep Freeze” and GEMS in February, a Worship Group training session and “Cold Snap” in March, and the Living Waters group and ACYL in April. These events simply could not have happened without the small but outstanding group of volunteers who worked behind the scenes. “THANK YOU!” for your dedication. I believe God has a special blessing for people who step up to become ‘Enablers’, so that others can be free to teach and encourage young and old alike. *“Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.”* – Romans 12:4

It seems that, every time a new volunteer comes out to help at an event, they find they have enjoyed the experience. So, don’t let just a few people have all the fun! Contact Alan or Mary Mills, Brenda Boyle or myself to learn more about how you can join a fantastic team and have fun, too.

Elevator Update: The elevator is expected to be here in the next week or so. Work will hopefully start in the next couple of weeks in the basement and after the Ladies Retreat we will start the upstairs work and then Harding Medical will come in and install the components of the elevator.

Summer Camp Dates:

(Grade entering in September)

- 1 July 4th –7th (Sun - Wed) Grades 2 & 3
- 2 July 11th – 16th (Sun - Fri) Grades 4 & 5
- 3 July 18th – 23rd (Sun - Fri) Grades 6&7
- 4 Aug 8th – 13th (Sun – Fri) Grades 8 & 9
- 5 Aug 22nd – 29th (Sun - Sun) Grades 10, 11 & 12.
- 6 Aug 2nd – 6th (Mon - Fri) 55 Plus
- 7 Aug 6th – 8th (Fri - Sun) Family Camp
- 8 July 16th – 18th (Fri - Sun) MCF 2010

Registration forms can be downloaded at www.canoecovechristiancamp.org

Volunteers Needed: Are you able to help out in kitchen, laundry, cleaning the washrooms, (before, during, and following events and camps), putting garbage out, sweeping floors or mopping floors, general maintenance around the Camp, etc or baby sitting while someone else works at the above things?

Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; Matt 9:37



The position of Kitchen Manager is still open and if anyone knows of someone who might be interested please contact Mary Mills @ 902-675-2697 or Brenda Boyle @ 902-629-1862.

If you know anyone who would love to receive this newsletter please send us their name and e-mail address so we can add it to our directory at cccc@bellaliant.com



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