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"The God of all Comfort"

³ Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort,
⁴ who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.
2 Corinthians 1:3-4

In Loving Memory

God uses people to do his work. He has used and is using so many good people to make Copper Basin Bible Camp what it is today. In the last newsletter, I mentioned Kent McLain and Ethan Roberts. I also want to mention my wife, Linda, who passed away on July 12th. We were married 61 years and for 59 of those years she was a preacher's wife. She was also very involved in Christian Camping as a teacher, counselor, advisor and cook. We attended NACC meetings at camps throughout the United States. Linda was more than my strong right arm she was the helpmeet that God had created for me. A board member wrote, "Linda will be missed. You did good when you found her!" And I did!

I also want to mention two other women who passed away recently; Oretha Burns and Rose Lewis. These were faithful women whose husbands Kevin Burns and David Lewis are faithful Gospel preachers. Because of their work among the churches, Copper Basin is stronger too.

To everyone who sent me a word of encouragement, I want to thank you. It means so much. Lord Willing, I will eventually send you a personal note.

-Jim Williams



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Please Join Us for Labor Day Work Weekend!

Come to camp to cool off and enjoy the Labor Day weekend. Lots of projects you can help with and see the deer and wild turkeys.

Sept 2-4 with housing and food provided for the family.



Caretakers' Corner

Things went smoothly during the summer camp season. A few notable repairs: Repair was done to one of the large water heaters which supplies the lower lodge, the walk-in fridge had an electrical issue which was repaired, a water supply line leading from The Hague to a caretaker house broke and was repaired, and an electrical issue in cabin 5 was repaired. Time and labor to repair the water heater and walk-in fridge was donated by Kevin Allen who has done many major repairs at camp at no cost.

New railings for the lodge are in the process of being purchased. We will need help for installation.

Our dump truck has been put to a lot of use to haul dirt from a nearby construction site back to camp to be used for the pond lining project. We also bought 3 loads of gravel for road repairs.

We have an upcoming work weekend scheduled for Labor Day, September 2-4. Volunteers are needed for several projects. Please come and lend a hand.

This year we routinely have special guests at camp besides the regular wildlife. Nearly every day, several large wild turkeys are spotted wandering through camp. We also had a black bear pass through camp going through trash cans.

Sad to say, our caretaker Perry Stiltz lost his brother recently due to heart issues. His brother lived with his family in Napa Valley, California. Please continue to pray for Perry and his family.

-Joe Bridges



A Cabin Full of Boys (Formal Night/Combo Week)

2023 Summer Camps

There are a lot of Summer Camps across the United States, but there are none like Copper Basin Bible Camp. That's what our Campers tell us anyways – they've tried the rest, but always want to come back to the best!! The relationships formed, the teaching provided and the supervision by caring volunteers is simply unparalleled.

Copper Basin Bible Camp was blessed with fantastic Camp sessions this Summer. We had more volunteers than ever before to help with all aspects of Camp, which was truly fantastic. Directors have done a great job over the last 3 years of building their teams, which include counselors, kitchen helpers and medical personnel. THANK YOU TO ALL OUR CAMP VOLUNTEERS! You have truly made Camp a blessing for the youth of the Lord's church.

This year we had some Campers fly to Arizona to attend Camp from as far away as Nebraska and Missouri. We had counselors fly in from as far away as Columbus, Mississippi and Montgomery, Alabama!! We saw previous Campers who love Camp and returned as volunteer counselors so they can still be a part of the fun. Camp is a special place.

Second Timothy was the subject of study this Summer which emphasized each one of us is the best evidence for Christianity to the world around us. "We are Exhibit A" was the theme. Four young people were baptized this year at Camp. Several others continue to study with Directors or Counselors following Camp with the desire to become part of the Kingdom of God. Combo Week counselors and campers continue to study together every Tuesday night via Zoom at 6:00pm for a 10 minute weekly devotional led by one of our High School campers. It's open to anybody – join us.

Each year our Summer Camp sessions seem to get better and better. Plan to attend next summer as a Camper or Volunteer. Call or text Alex Bigham if you are interested in volunteering for next Summer or want to join the Zoom devotional on Tuesdays.

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2023 Calendar

Women's Retreat (Register Soon)

Sept. 8-9

Men's Retreat (Register Soon)

Sept. 15-16

2024 Calendar

Cub Camp

June 5-7

High School

June 9-14

Middle School

June 16-21

4th-6th Grade

June 23-28

Combo Week

June 30-July 5

Deaf Week

July 7-12

Family Mission

July 20-26



If you are interested in the efforts at Copper Basin Bible Camp, have a question, or would like to make a donation, please email the Board of Directors at the following address:

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Mission Statement

To provide a place for children, adults, and congregations to camp, retreat, fellowship, evangelize, and grow in the Lord