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I have been in the hospital for 6 days and am home now doing well, but very tired. Hospital time doesn't give you time to rest, but it does give you time to think. I have been thinking about the many wonderful Christian people I have known in many states over many years. So many of them have been involved in Christian camping, such as those who are reading this newsletter. You are Christian people whose lives are being enriched by your association with Copper Basin Bible Camp. Thank you for making Camp what it is today. I'm looking forward to Summer Camps.

Jim Williams



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## Caretakers' Corner

It has been a busy couple of months at camp. The Sojourners were here for a month. Because of poor weather and lack of the usual number of workers the painting of the cabins, lodge, and other buildings were not completed. However, they were able to complete 4 of the 6 upper cabins and did a fantastic job. It was a joy spending time with them. We are planning to have them return next year to hopefully complete the job.

Now, we are busy preparing for the camp season. We hired a new service to inspect and do maintenance on the zip line and rope courses. Five team members have completed a certification class to enable more to be qualified to oversee the zip line and other activities.

We have a new Ranger that was donated to the camp by Syble Mann, a member of the Mt. Vernon congregation. Rangers are needed to get around the rough terrain here at camp. Thank you so much Syble for your generous donation! Additionally, an estate near the camp sold and donated many furnishings to the camp.

We are planning to have a parking lot sale at the Mt. Vernon church in a couple of weeks. We also have several items left over from the lot sales held in the valley. All proceeds will go to the camp.

Kevin Hurrell and his family have moved out of the upper caretaker house and they are no longer part of the caretaker team. Kevin bought a house near the Prescott airport where they are now living. They are definitely missed. We are still searching for new caretakers to replace the Hurrell family. Please inform the board if you know of anyone and please put the word out.

Please keep the camp and its caretakers in your prayers.







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## The Monkey Bridge

Camp has an exciting new activity for summer camp this year. A rope bridge that spans the lower lake has been installed and is called The Monkey Bridge. A monkey bridge has one rope you must balance on with your feet to cross with the help of some hand ropes to steady yourself. Do you have the courage to cross it?



## Gaga Pit Eagle Scout Project

Coming soon to Camp is another new activity being installed by Shane Stewart as an Eagle Scout project. It's a Gaga Pit. This game has taken schools and camps by storm.



## Low Ropes Course Training Day

Low Ropes Course training June 3rd. Summer Camp directors, counselors and anybody wanting to use the Camp's ropes courses for team building activities are invited to Camp on June 3rd for a Ropes Course team building activities training. This will be an all-day event and designed to enable you to lead team building activities at Summer Camp sessions or for your congregational retreat. Contact Chris Macy by email to register.

[Chris@macybox.com](mailto:Chris@macybox.com)

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## 2024 Calendar

### **Cub Camp**

June 5-7

### **High School**

June 9-14

### **Middle School**

June 16-21

### **4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade**

June 23-28

### **Combo Week**

June 30-July 5

### **Deaf Week**

July 7-12

### **Family Mission**

July 20-26

### **Women's Retreat**

TBD

### **Men's Retreat**

TBD



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**