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WINTER NEWS | 2020



CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

BY JERRY VINK

As I sit here pondering camp, I am struck by the words of Colossians 4 verses 2-6. Verse 2 starts with "continue steadfastly in prayer" and verse 3 states "pray... that God may open to us a door for the word" leading to verse 5 and 6 "walk in wisdom toward outsiders... let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so you may know how you ought to answer each person." In many ways this has meaning for us as the Board as well as for the camp committees, staff and volunteers..

As Board we have again been placing a greater emphasis on prayer in all our meetings, stopping regularly to give thanks, and ask for His blessings. We continue steadfastly in prayer!

In our prayers we seek God to impart His wisdom to our

words, but also do the same for the staff and counselors as they serve each week in the summer.

We also start off each year at camp asking the Lord to open the door of the hearts of those who come to camp, some who know nothing or little about God. We end each year recounting the blessings and hearts that He opened wide!

So many people work to help make camp happen and be the success that it is, and we thank you all! Yet, we realize that this is God's hand that governs and guides all things, that allows Campfire! to be what it is. Come join us in prayer and song, as we walk in wisdom and as God open hearts. Come join us at the Spring banquet, or at Summer Camp as a cook, as a counselor, or maybe even one in of the staff members! Most of all, remember us in your prayers.

HELP US KEEP CAMP

Easy & Warm

THIS WINTER SEASON



THE COST OF RUNNING CAMPFIRE BIBLE CAMP

is, unfortunately, rising and so we ask that you consider making a donation or sign up as a monthly donor in order to help us meet our budget and prepare for another great season in 2020.

You can donate a one time gift using the Camp Store at campfirebiblecamp.ca

OR mail your cheque to: Campfire Bible Camp
35 East 15th Street Hamilton, ON L9A 4E6



TO SIGN UP AS A MONTHLY CONTRIBUTOR EMAIL: INFO@CAMPFIREBIBLECAMP.CA

CAMPFIRE - 2019

TREASURER'S REPORT

BY ANITA POORT



Registration for
Volunteers is now
available online on the
Campfire! website:
CAMPFIREBIBLECAMP.CA
or you can call
(905) 802-1005

As we start a new year, at Campfire! Bible Camp we can look back at the 2019 and see the Lord's blessings in the financial operations and support of Campfire!

At the Spring Banquet I was given the opportunity to become the new treasurer and I am thankful to the Lord for allowing me the pleasure of working with a group of dedicated volunteers who make up the board of Campfire!

Although the registration income was down by 5 %, we were blessed with a private donation for needy campers which allowed more inner city children to come to camp and learn about the word

of God in a relaxed setting.

Operation costs have risen due to the gradual aging of the camp and having to purchase or repair some of the equipment needed to keep the camp functioning. The golf tournament was an amazing success and we also have weekly rental income from a private school which will help alleviate the deficit of 2019 but we urge you to consider donating monthly through "Stoke the Fire" which will help in the day to day cost year round.

Campfire! is not just for summer camp but is an awesome facility to rent in the off season for large groups celebrating major life events or retreats in the beauty of Gods creation

We also hope and pray for continued support so that Campfire! will continue to prosper and grow in 2020 and we ask you also remember the Campfire! Bible Camp's staff and all the volunteers in your prayers as we prepare for summer camp and upcoming events.

CAMPFIRE
SPRING
BANQUET



04/04/2020

AND THE WORDS OF THE LORD ARE FLAWLESS,
LIKE SILVER PURIFIED IN A CRUCIBLE,
LIKE GOLD REFINED SEVEN TIMES.

-PSALM 12:8

JOIN US @ 5:30 PM | DINNER @ 6:30 PM | \$60 PER PERSON
FLAMBOROUGH HILLS GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB

71 HIGHWAY 52 NORTH, COPETOWN, ON L0R 1J0
RESERVE YOUR SEATS OR TABLE BY MARCH 25TH

REGISTER ONLINE AT: CAMPFIREBIBLECAMP.CA OR CALL: 905-802-1005

Heads up!

**WE HAVE A WORK
PARTY PLANNED FOR
MAY 2ND!
WILL YOU JOIN US?**

So get your work boots out
and prepare for a good time
that does a lot of good!

NOTE:

High School students can get their
volunteer hours.

Questions, comments, RSVP contact Brenda at:
PROPERTY@CAMPFIREBIBLECAMP.CA

ITS THE OFF SEASON...

Your family reunion, group retreat,
workshop, class trip, seminar, team
weekend, wedding...

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**WHEN CAN I
SIGN
UP?**

**REGISTRATION FOR 2020
SUMMER CAMP OPENS ON**

Mar. 2nd!



GOLF TOURNAMENT

SAVE THE DATE!

Mark your Calendars Golfers! Next year's
golf tournament will happen on:

FRIDAY JUNE 5TH, 2020.

Spend a day at
the golf course
and help us
*send a kid to
Camp!*

Camp weeks are scheduled as follows:

JULY 6TH - JULY 10TH **DISCOVERY 1**
JULY 13TH - JULY 17TH **DISCOVERY 2**
JULY 20TH - JULY 24TH **TEEN 1 (AGES 12-14)**
JULY 27TH - JULY 29TH **SPROUTS**
JULY 27TH - AUGUST 1ST **WILDERNESS**
AUGUST 3RD - AUGUST 7TH **DISCOVERY 3**
AUGUST 10TH - AUGUST 14TH **DISCOVERY 4**
AUGUST 17TH - AUGUST 21ST **TEEN 2 (AGES 15-18)**

UPDATES on
themes and events
for each week will
be posted on the
Campfire! website
and Facebook
page as plans are
finalized. Makes
sure you follow us!

DON'T MISS OUT, GO TO: CAMPFIREBIBLECAMP.CA

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