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Children Come – Hearts Change – God Smiles

Updates of Ongoing Construction

Tom Davis, board member, shares this:

This past year has been eventful for Corin Read along the construction front. In the midst of shutdowns and reduced capacity, we have almost completed our fourth cabin.



This is due to the dedication of volunteers who have put in many hours of labor to continue to enhance the facilities at the camp.

Simultaneous to finishing

work on the cabin, work has been going on to build an additional six RV sites. These sites are located at the front of the camp, away from the cabins, just south of the main gate. The six sites are in a tree shaded area and will offer a great environment for group camping or for staff use during camp. Currently, we have water and electricity with 50 and 30 amp electrical connections and freeze-proof water faucets located at each site. We will have a dump station in the very near future and eventually, sewer connections run to each RV site. The next step is to get grading and leveling done on the sites and bring in SB2 gravel for paving the sites.

Our hope is to have these ready for use sometime this fall. We believe these will be beneficial to future construction, maintenance, and

Calendar

CRCC Board Mtg. –
September 14

September 17-19 - NS
Hispanic Retreat

October 8-10 -
Northside Youth
Group Fall Retreat

October 15-17 – ULM
College Ministry retreat

November 24-25 –
Blakeney Family
Reunion

December 29-January 2 –
Richardson Family
Retreat

January 14-16 – MFCC
Teen Retreat

February 19-21 – De Queen
Retreat

NOTE: Renters must follow current Arkansas Department of Health and CDC guidelines for day or overnight group camping.

Please pray often for the ministry of Corin Read Christian Camp!



enhancements to the camp as they will provide spaces for volunteers to come and spend several days or even a week or more camping and working at the camp. We have a lot of volunteers who enjoy spending time working at the camp and, also, enjoy evenings of fun and fellowship around a campfire. Hopefully, these RV sites will be an asset that will be used to enhance the camp and promote fellowship. All to bring glory to God! Tom

Who will lead the Corin Read board in 2022 and beyond.? I have served as president since January of 2015, well beyond the 3-year maximum term envisioned in our By-laws. I look forward to passing the baton at the end of this year. Please be in prayer for God to raise up the ideal person to take on this role.

BTW, there are several small projects I would like to see completed in the next 4 months, more or less in the following order of priority:

- Paint the ceilings and any other drywall in the two newest cabin buildings
- Complete trim work around interior windows or doors in both of these duplex cabin buildings
- Complete the bathroom at the pool (which involves some expense due to a septic system needed)
- Complete the decorative stone work on the caretaker house.

If you can help with skills, time or money to expedite any of these, please let me know. Thanks, Billy

A Beautiful Anecdote:

We're grateful to everyone who shares regularly, monthly, quarterly or occasionally, generously giving to help with the development of Corin Read. The passing of Diana Richard recently reminded me of the sacrifice many of you are making to insure Corin Read Christian Camp will continue strong. Although she had little of this world's wealth, Diana shared generously and consistently what she could in support of the camp and the ministries of the Northside church. Her sacrificial giving will continue to resonate as a great example of love for God and for children campers.

Two additional notes of thanks to Chad McNew for sharing his electrician skills in the new cabin building and RV sites, and to Pat Traylor's husband, Skip, who is working in a challenging, high space installing dry wall (see first two pics).

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Priorities

1. Completion of the 4th duplex cabin
2. Pool Bathroom
3. Nurse/Staff cabin
4. Amphitheater
5. Lake
6. 5th duplex cabin
7. Zip line
8. 6th duplex cabin

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