



Camp Northfield

News From The Hilltop!

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Summer Edition

2008 Staff Reflections

It is a blessing to have a dedicated group of young people who have given of their time and summer for the Lord. Here are the thoughts and reflections of a few members of the 2008 staff.

Kristin Delavan - (Girl's Staff) - Serving God at Camp Northfield has been a wonderful experience for me. I have learned, and been challenged, to love and follow God with my whole heart.

Rob Snell - (Boy Counselor) - God has used Camp Northfield in my life as a consecrated training ground for a life of devotion to Jesus. Personal devotion time, combined with frequent Bible preaching creates an atmosphere which nurtures Christian growth and service. I have been blessed by being a part of this camp where all love each other and the Lord.

Mary Tubbs - (Girl Counselor) - My summer at Camp Northfield as a Counselor has challenged me immensely! I have learned a new dependance on God, knowing that I must look to Him for the strength that I need to get through each day. I have seen God's hand on this camp and feel privileged to take a humble part in this vital ministry.

Josh Dixson - (Boy's Staff Leader) - Camp Northfield has a special place in my heart. It is where I met Christ and grew closer to Him. During my years at camp as a staff member, counselor and now as the leader of Boy's Staff, God has used many experiences to continue the process of my spiritual growth.

As you can see through these wonderful testimonies, God is working here at camp. Please continue to pray for the staff as they minister for the Lord.

2008 Fall Events

Labor Day Weekend - Aug. 29- Sept. 1

Speaker - Pastor Tim Gillam

Cost - \$75- per person

**Send name and \$25 Reg. fee to sign up*

Labor Day Barbecue - Sept. 1

Speaker - Pastor Tim Gillam

Cost - \$12 - per person

**see registration form on back*

Mens Retreat - Sept. 26&27

Speaker - Pastor Tim Teall

Cost - \$48 - per person

Mother/Daughter Retreat - Oct. 17&18

Speaker - Mrs. Vicki Benton

Cost - \$48 adult/ \$25 child

Volunteer Work Week - Oct. 6-11

Speaker - Camp Staff and local Pastors

Cost - free (please call to sign-up)

Maintenance Update

- Camp has been given a used van which has been put to great use this spring and summer.
- The Hilltop Lodge has a new exhaust fan in the kitchen.
- The south-side of the Hilltop Lodge has a fresh coat of brown stain and green trim.
- The road in front of the Hilliker Lodge has been updated creating a clean look.
- The Volleyball court has a new net and new sand. The campers have really enjoyed these improvements!

Reflections from Camp...

Lisa: "I love camp because the counselors are so ready to help you."

Amy: "After my week at camp, I go home closer to God."

Taylor: "I like camp because it is like a huge extended family."

Jon: "I like camp because of the FOOD!"

Gramp & Gram: "The neat thing about camp is that you never know who is going to drop in!"

Registration For Labor Day Barbecue

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Church: _____

Adults: _____

Children & Ages: _____

Total cost per Person

- \$12 Adults

- \$8 Children 4-10

- Children 3 and under - Free

- Send \$6 reg. fee per person to
96 Wanamaker Rd.

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Postmark reg. by Aug. 26, 2008
to avoid a \$2 per person late fee.

If you have any questions please call
(413) 498-0256 or 2989

Arrival:

Registration begins at 10 AM. There will be coffee and home-made donuts available in the Hilltop Lodge.

Camp Northfield - *Where Memories are Made and Lives are Changed!*

The summer of 2008 has seen multiple decisions made in the lives of campers. God has answered prayer and many young hearts have been reached.

During our weeks at camp, 22 young people have come to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. Along with the many *Salvations*, there have been dozens of other life-changing decisions made such as *dedication to service* and *getting right with God*.

We are so thankful for each life that has changed for God's glory. Your continued prayer is much needed and appreciated. Please join us in lifting up, to our Heavenly Father, the young lives that are so vulnerable to the evils of this world.



Labor Day Spectacular *Camp Northfield's Annual Labor Day Barbecue*

Every year at Camp Northfield we close out the season with a time of food, fun, and fellowship on Labor Day weekend. Please join us as we celebrate another year of God's blessing on this ministry.

This year our speaker is Pastor Tim Gillam, of Cornerstone Baptist Church, in Camden, ME. We are thrilled to have Pastor Gillam at Camp Northfield; he is a great supporter of Christian Camping and we look forward to his message from the Word of God.