

C/A CAMP

"Fun in the
Atmosphere of Faith"

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AREA GOSPEL SING AT FAMILY CAMP ON AUGUST 31-SEPT. 2

The **FIRST**, but hopefully **ANNUAL** C/A Family Camp is quickly approaching with Dean Mills and the Greg Dill family hosting the program for what we hope to be hundreds of area Christians. The big dates to mark on your calendar are August 31-Sept. 2.

We will have "drive-in" services on Friday night, Saturday morning, Saturday night, and Sunday night. Each of these services will begin at 7:30. We will also have a first on Sunday night—an all area **GOSPEL SING.** We have some groups already confirmed, including the Goins Brothers from Duhring. They are always an area favorite. This singspiration will close out the Family Camp on Sunday night.

We hope many of you are planning on coming on out in your tents and in your campers. Those of you who don't have campers—we have a few dorm spaces available on first come first serve basis. We hope others of you will COMMUTE to each of our activities, including the evening service at 7:30, as well as the workshops for ladies, buth, elders, deacons, preachers, etc. on Saturday morning. We will also have a hayride on Saturday followed by a weiner roast at 5:00 or 5:30. MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW TO ATTEND!

185 CAMPERS ATTEND FIRST TWO WEEKS OF CAMP!

The first two weeks of camp have seen a large increase in attendance over last year. Kendall Collier played host to 96 campers the first week and now Henry Glancy is deaning 91 campers. Our goal of having 500 campers is quickly becoming a reality with C/A already having 33 more campers in the first two weeks than we had in the first three last year. We only need 46 more campers all summer to break that magic number of 500 for the summer of 1984.

Our special thanks to Kendall and his staff for working Junior I week. The campers seemed to have a great time—some got homesick of course—but a few even returned for the second week for more of the same fun offered in the atmosphere of faith!

In coming weeks, camps will be held for 7th graders and on up—and our special 2 day camp for first timers in the 3rd grade. We remind all our parents to get those cards in early to save themselves \$5. YOU CAN REGISTER A CAMPER ANYTIME PARENTS—but you save \$5. if you do it two weeks in advance of any week of camp. We will let you know if we close registrations for any week of camp due to an overflow.

If you have any questions concerning any aspects of the camp program please call 589-6296 and we will do our best to answer your questions.

LADIES RETREAT JUST OVER A MONTH AWAY!

August 10-11, ladies, is the annual C/A Ladies Retreat. Three ladies from CBS will highlight the program. They are Lois Morse, Jonnie Eynon, and Kathryne Elliott. They will be speaking on the theme of "Whole-Hearted."

The festivities will begin on Friday evening with registration in the cafeteria beginning at 4:30 with supper at 6:00. The retreat will close after the noon meal on Saturday.

Shirley Taylor, chairman, wants to encourage all area ladies to attend.

VBS PROGRAM GETS GREAT REVIEWS!

The Glen Lyn and Peterstown congregations have already used and returned the slide-cassette C/A VBS programs. They have given them A-OK ratings. We already have two more churches requesting them in July and August but we have several open dates if your church would like to have C/A as their summer missionary. We can provide the cameras, the slides, and the cassettes for your church. Each program is from 4-7 minutes long for each day of your 5 day VBS program. Contact the office for bookings.

3 JOIN THOUSANDAIRE CLUB

The ranks of our Thousandaire Club givers continues to grow—now up to 197! This past month Alma Hamon, Karla Lilly and M/M Larry Dunbar became our newest members.

These, along with our other 194 members, have pledged to give 10 dollars twice a year in the months of May and November.

KEY CLUB ADDS ONE!

Steve and Teresa Wills became our 79th members of the monthly giving program at C/A—the **KEY CLUB**. They have pledged to send in \$10 for the 12 months. Their help is greatly appreciated.

GIDEON'S GETS \$240 GIFT!

It's **DOUBLE** nice when you receive a Gideon's 300 gift from the same individuals—Glenna and Michael Richmond. We appreciate their help and hope it will be an encouragement for you to support the pool too!

(We remind all our readers that the pool is open from 11-1 weekdays and 5-7 in the evenings on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. We are closed Wednesday evening for church—but open in the morning. If there is enough demand we might even open the pool on Saturdays for individuals from 11-1. You must call in or let Chris know at the pool of your desire to swim on Saturday. Bookings for church groups may be called in to the office for Saturdays during camp.)

THANKS FOR MANNA GIFTS!

We have heard from almost every church now who agreed to participate in the 1984 Camp Manna program. We appreciate your help.

Our special thanks to Robert Buckland for his "Camp Cow—really a bull" C/A lasso-ed over 200 lbs. of hamburger—and it will all be eaten by the end of the second week of camp. Now all of you know where the beef is!

NEEDED GIFTS FOR CAMP STILL COMING IN!

We have a long list of names and gifts again this month of those who sent in different items to assist us in the ministry here. Below is at leas partial list. Some just came in registering to camp and dropped them off in the kitchen. I didn't get some names. (If yours was omitted just call the office so I can put it in next month.)

Pikeview Christian Church—Acme Receipts and marigold seeds Mrs. J.C. Miller—Marigold seeds

Tempie Kern—20 soup labels

Sonja Rose—Vacuum cleaner

Mrs. Graham Van Dyke— Acme Receipts

M/M Jim Hale — Acme Receipts

Joy Class, Falls Mills—All kinds of \$\$\$\$ for shower curtains for Boy's Dorms

Katy Haines and "anonymous" for sewing new curtains for us!

Heck's in Princeton—4 rolls of film

Roses in Bluewell—4 rolls of film

Church of Christ at Bramwell—40 soup labels, Acme Receipts, 6
ping pong balls, 9 packages of fancy napkins, 10 dishcloths
Church of Christ at Claypool Hill. \$10.4 rolls of tailet tiesus, 6

Church of Christ at Claypool Hill—\$10, 4 rolls of toilet tissue, 6 ping pong balls, 5 rolls of paper towels, 3 kitchen towels, and 1 dish rag.

Church of Christ at Claypool Hill Ladies-

\$2,706.90 worth of Acme Receipts

Dot Griffith -- Acme Receipts

Cedar Grove Church of Christ-112 Soup labels

Joe and Pauline Burks—3 tennis balls

Tim Taylor—Cut out barrels for us and made some toilet tissue holders for cafeteria bathrooms.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

BRAMWELL—would like to thank all who helped them purchase their church building They (and the bank) now own the building!

MONEY FOR TRAYS:

In the C/A presentations we have been asking for money for trays. The following friends have given or pledged to send us money for trays.

W.W.W. from Falls Mills Christian Church Roger and Judy Allen from Glen Lyn Lindside Christian Church Ladies—Kitchen gift

PHYLLIS AND HENRY PERDUE SEND TRAYS!

Boy—I am sure glad that the Perdues like the Flea Market. Somewhere they found us 68 Linchen trays—worth over \$300 new— and the gave them to C/A. With camp in full swing, they sure have come in handy!

THANKS PHYLLIS AND HENRY!

CHRISTIAN ACRES FINANCIAL REPORT MAY 1984

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	/M James Harless	10.00	4160	Roy J. Hale	Salary	275.95
M	/M James Williams	10.00	4161	Russell Mathena	Salary	169.55
	ozoo Christian Church Youth Group	10.00 10.00	4162	Russell Mathena	Salary	169.55
	/M Donald Lee Thomas rs. Elsie Jones	10.00	4163 4164	Russell Mathena Russell Mathena	Salary Salary	169.55 169.55
	rs. Hattie Tabor	10.00	4165	Commercial Bank	Thousandaire & Gideons	532.00
M	/M Carl Walkup	10.00	4166	Bethany Quartet	Men's Clinic	200.00
	/M Dwight Zutaut	20.00 20.00	4167	Charles Doughty	Men's Clinic	180.00
	ola Farmer Bary K. Harris	20.00 22.00	4168	Charles Doughty	Men's Clinic	120.00
	/M Robert McManaway	10.00	4169 4170	Cancelled Emily Hale	Food Men's Clinic	18.71
M	/M Harry Carter	10.00	4172	Ken Overdorf	Men's Clinic	125.00
	/M William Levitt	10.00 20.00	4173	Mapleview Ch. of Christ	Adv. Men's Clinic	100.00
	ara E. Anderson mbassadors For Christ	20.00	4171	Cancelled Flav-O-Rich	Men's Clinic Food	26.31
	Peterstown Christian Church	10.00	4174 4175	Thompson's Brothers	Men's Clinic Food	131.10
M	/M Joe Burks	20.00	4176	Pet Dairies	Men's Clinic Food	12.75
	/M Paul Blevins	10.00 10.00	4177	Betsy Ross Bakeries	Men's Clinic Food	12.36
M	ozoo CMS /M Gary W. Richmond	10.00	4178 4179	Eller's Produce Brierfield Farms	Men's Clinic Food Men's Clinic Food	10.81 14.76
	/M Marvin Meadows	20.00	4180	City Provision	Men's Clinic Food	355.31
	/M Haroid Ball	10.00	4181	84 Lumber Co.	Pavillion Supplies	2,300.00
			4182	Mike Shoda	Pavillion Grade Work	150.00
R.	plance from Bathroom Account	645.63	4183 4184	Daily Telegraph Adv. Commercial Bank	Men's Clinic April Taxes	37.00 500.40
	ansfer from Christ Birthday Offering December 1983	2,162.85	4185	Commercial Bank	May Taxes	500,40
M	/M Fred Caldwell—Key Club	10.00	4186	Commercial Bank	Thousandaire & Gideons	140.00
D	. & Mrs. Wayne Brackenrich—Key Club	25.00 10.00	4187	Commercial Bank	Note Payment	522.39
M.	/M Harley Dunford—Key Club ıby E. Carter—Key Club	10.00	4188 4189	W.VA. Tax Dept. AEP Co.	License	15.00 29.50
	/M Floyd Ferguson—Key Club	10.00	4190	Addressograph	Office Supplies	80.19
M	/M C.K. Buffalow—Key Club	50.00	4191	Farmers Bluewell Shell	Gas	77.00
W	/M Harry Yates—Key Club	20.00	4192	Paper Supply	Supplies	175.25
M	/M Clarence Bowman—Key Club iby Carter—Key Club	26.00 10.00	4193 4194	Bailey Lumber Co, General Telephone		177.20 98.39
M	/M Curtis Shrader—Key Club	5.00	4195	Bluefield Supply		2.68
M	/M Robert Shrader—Key Club	5.00	4196	Smith & Stone Ins.	Bond ins.	50.00
	evor Butterworth—Key Club	5.00	4197	Commercial Bank	Checks	26.04
Be	rnice Via—Key Club /M Stanley Berry—Key Club	5.00 5.00	4198 4199	Woodlawn Greenhouse Electrical Supplies		26.00 119. 99
	elma Thomas—Key Club	10.00	4200	Russell Mathena	Mileage	67.35
M	/M Danny Meadows—Key Club	5.00	4201	Russell Mathena	Petty Cash Truck	48.95
W	/M Danny Meadows Key Club	5.00 5.00	4203	Roy J. Hale		20.00 23.30
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·M	/M G.R. Martin-Key Club	25.00	4206	Roy J. Hale	Salary	275.95
M	/M Lawrence Phipps-Key Club	20.00	4207	Roy J. Hale	Salary	275.95
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Be	rnice Via—Key Club	5.00			Total Expenses	9,799.59
M	rs. W.L. Keesee—Key Club rassy Spur Church of Christ—Gideon's	10.00 5.00	Net Income			
G	ena Cox—Gideon's	5.00	Net Income Less Expenses			9,944.98 9,799.59
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M.	/M Cary ChristianGideon's	20.00	Total Income		967,787.43	
	evor Butterworth—Thousandaire rnice Via—Thousandaire	10.00 10.00	Total Expense		967,642.04	
	rnice Via—Thousandaire rs. W.L. Keesee—Thousandaire	10.00	Balance on Swimming Pool Easter Offering 1984:		11,296.23	
M.	/M H.E. Leedy, Jr.—Thousandaire	20.00	M/M N.J. Jes:	see, Jr.		20.00
M.	/M Doug Noel—Thousandaire	10.00	M/M James V	Vilhite		30.00
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Jo	n Michael Jones—Thousandaire	10.00	M/M Gene Bo	iley		10.00
M	M Jonce Leedy—Hale Flowers	20.00	M/M Hollis Ch	hristian		50.00
	udfork Church of Christ udfork Church of Christ	60.00 250.50	Linda Lester Mrs. J.G. Med	adowe		5.00
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	ne Grove Church of Christ	400.00 50.00	M/M Ernest R. M/M Rufus A.			10.00 \$10.00
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M	M Gary Thompson—Landscaping	100.00	The balance w	hich was turned over to Christi	on Acres includes the Saturday A	Morning Offering In
Me	morial Church of Christ	10.00	addition to this	, there was approximately \$149	.00 of food left for the use of cam	p.

What could be said about Nehemiah and his rebuilders of the walls of Jerusalem can now be said about our area men—THEY HAD A MIND TO WORK! In just over a week, the forms for the concrete were set, the concrete was poured, the pillars went up, the trusses were placed, and the sheathing and shingles were nailed on. On several days, we had over 15 men present from all over the area to help us do our work. The only day we could have used a little more help was on the Second Saturday of June 9th—otherwise the Lord provided the exact number needed.

Our special thanks to **Tom Brown** who headed up the pavillion project. Our hats off to **Richard Lambert** who donated all our pillars from his lumber mill—and to **all the area men** who spent many hours putting it all together.

The cost thus far on the pavillion had been approximately \$4500. We still want to put electric and water to the facility as soon as possible—and when we get some more money! Our 30 Pieces of Silver offering and Jesus Birthday offering—and 4 groups who promised to give \$100 toward the pavillion collected the \$4500 toward the pavillion as it stands now. It will take several hundred more for completion.

MARK COHEA NEW MAPLEVIEW YOUTH MINISTER!

We are happy to have Mark Cohea in our area. He was hired as the new youth director at Mapleview.

We covet your prayers for Mark as he recuperates from a serious accident. He broke his neck and must wear a "halo" type brace for an extended period of time.

30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING!

Our 30 Pieces of Silver offering (office total) is \$2165.62. You will note the treasurer's report is what was counted up to May 20th—and does not include those who sent in the offering after the date. We are eternally grateful for the many congregations and individuals who supported C/A with this "Love Offering" this year. While our total was down this year over last, the Lord provided just enough to finish the pavillion to the point it is now. We got \$2165.62 from the 30 Pieces of Silver, we received \$2163.85 from the Jesus Birthday to give us a grand total of We have three groups who have already sent in their \$100 pledges for the pavillion or soon will to give us a grand total of \$4,639.47 to spend on the pavillion—so the Lord has provided just what we needed.

MONEY SENT IN FOR PICNIC TABLES!

The following friends of C/A have accepted the challenge to put the rest of the picnic tables under the completed pavillion for us:

Glen Lyn Church of Christ Christianaires
S.S. Class—1 table
Pikeview Christian Church—1 table
Tom Brown's S.S. Class, Bozoo—\$108.00
Bluefield Ladies Bible Study—\$32.00
M/M Rick Mathena—\$37.00
Bozoo Young Married Couples Class—1 table
M/M Gary Brown—promise of a table

This means we now have money for 5 more tables—leaving us 2 tables (at least) short of our desired goal. We would like to challenge a church or church group—or an individual to raise the money for at least two more tables. They cost approx. \$75. each.

PLEASE PRAY DAILY FOR ALL CAMP WORKERS!

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