

## Camp Store Position

Jubilation Station - our camp store - is a major highlight in the life of any camper. The money in their pocket can burn a hole clear through before the doors of the camp store are opened.

We are looking for a couple to move to Trinity Pines for the months of June - August to handle management of the camp store. Management will include stocking supplies, reporting inventory needs to the Meridian office, handling the cash each day, maintaining the cleanliness of the camp store, displaying inventory, and serving the needs of campers and guests. This position does require that you are able to stand, move about, and lift items under 50 pounds. There may be a small stipend given at the end of the summer camping season.

Jubilation Station is a popular hang out location for all camps and is usually open in the afternoons and sometimes in the evenings. The management couple will have some assistance from college staff and from other volunteers at the camp, if necessary.

If you are interested in this position, please contact Rick Waitley. Experience in retail is always a good skill as well as serving people and, of course, "loving campers." RV housing must be provided by the applicants. Meals at the camp are provided. You do not have to reside on the Intermountain District to be involved with this ministry.

Rick Waitley  
Camp Executive Director

### To Contact the District Camp Office:

Association Management Group  
55 SW 5th Ave., Suite 100  
Meridian, ID 83642  
208-888-0988 208-888-4586 (fax)  
rick@amgidaho.com

Trinity Pines Camp & Conference Center  
PO Box 1269, Cascade, ID 83611  
Physical address: 349 Cabarton Road  
208-382-6200

### TRINITY PINES CALENDAR

Apr 7-8 Vida Nueva Board Retreat  
Apr 7-8 Alpha Omicron Pi Retreat  
Apr 18-21 Pinehurst Quilt Club  
Apr 21-23 Canyon Hill Ladies Retreat  
Apr 21-23 Grace Bible Ladies Retreat  
Apr 30-May 4 Stephanie Lobdell  
May 30-Jun 1 Shadow Hills Elementary  
Field Trip

*For reservations, call 208-888-0988  
Ask for Kyra*

**DISTRICT MEN'S RETREAT:** Thanks to those who attended the 2017 District Men's Retreat. A total of 154 were in attendance. While the snow was still evident and the ground a little soggy, the spirit in the services and the fellowship shared were uplifting and inspirational. Thanks to Brian Bowman, Pastor of Harney County, for directing this ministry to men. A total of 28 churches were represented.

**DISTRICT ASSEMBLY (May 10-12):** We look forward to seeing you there. Please remember the number "ONE" when you stop by our booth. You will want to be in the Assembly when the Trinity Pines report is given so you can learn more about why "ONE" is so important.

Cascade, Idaho

# Camp Monthly

Trinity Pines Camp & Conference Center

April 2017

## Change Pace + Change Place = Change Perspective

This past weekend, I decided to make a trip to Portland and took with me a book on tape – Circle Maker by Pastor Mark Batterson, Pastor of the National Community Church in the metro Washington, DC area. I have heard Mark teach in the past when visiting the DC area and knew he was an outstanding communicator. In the book when he discussed the title of this article, it caught my attention. Lights came on and my mind was reminded of what Trinity Pines was all about. Many times I have had folks share with me the following:

### Change of Pace:

I went to Trinity Pines – I just needed a break from my routine  
My life felt like I was in a rut and I needed to get away from the day-to-day  
I find Trinity Pines to be such a Holy Ground place – something special

### Change of Place:

I like the feeling of leaving comforts at home and living at Trinity Pines for a week  
Funny how when you give up the familiar, it is a fresh outlook  
I didn't miss my phone, TV, or computer – in fact it was nice to disconnect  
While not remote – at least TP is a get away from my normal surroundings in life

### Change of Perspective:

I always feel so close to God when I am at the camp  
There is something about being surrounded by Christians  
I read the same verses in the Bible at home but they have new meaning at camp  
I clearly heard God speak to me at camp  
I came off that mountain with a whole new outlook on life

I think Pastor Mark hit on something pretty important to our district camp. Yes, I think other camps accomplish the same thing but for us our investment, our legacy, our future are based in Cascade at Trinity Pines. I hope we are always able to influence and change lives. People (men and women, children and teens, Christian and non-Christian) come to Trinity Pines and experience a change of pace in a change of place which results in a change of perspective. To God be the Glory!

Rick Waitley  
Camp Executive Director

## Sewing Machine Needed

We would like to have a sewing machine for the laundry room to be used for repairs and sewing projects. If you have an electric sewing machine that might meet this need, please let us know.

## Summer Camp Info

**April 17** is the deadline for Early Bird registration for summer camp. You only need to make the initial deposit (\$50) to take advantage of this early bird savings. Registration is available online ([www.tpines.org](http://www.tpines.org)) or contact your local church for a brochure. Additional information is available on the website.

Here are a few facts about summer camps:

- ▶ Genesis Camp: 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Graders must be accompanied by an adult.
- ▶ Trinity Pines age groups are determined by the grade the camper will be entering this fall.
- ▶ Trinity Pines is open to any denomination for summer camping programs.
- ▶ All workers (volunteer or paid) over the age of 15 have had a background check.
- ▶ Christian education is a vital part of the programs, activities, and events.
- ▶ Transportation to and from camp is the responsibility of the camper. Check with local churches to see if they may be providing transportation.

## Dry Cabins

We have received the building permit from the city of Cascade to start construction on the 12-bunk dry cabins. They are designed for summer use and will be built with the purpose of replacing the tents that have been used for several years. We have had individuals, companies, and churches step forward and offer to build some of the cabins. If you would like information about how you can be involved, please contact Rick Waitley at [rick@amgidaho.com](mailto:rick@amgidaho.com) or 208-888-0988.

## On-site Summer Volunteers

We are accepting applications for adult volunteers. Here is a bit of information:

- Must have RV, camper, or suitable housing
- Work 4-6 hours a day, 5 days a week
- Use your talents & abilities
- Enjoy fellowship and new friendships

To learn more and secure an application, contact Bob and Marilyn Swartzentruber at [mjs1140@gmail.com](mailto:mjs1140@gmail.com) or (208) 989-9534.

## College Staff

Interviews for summer college staff will take place on Tuesday evening, April 11, at the Meridian camp office. If you desire an interview, please contact Kyra Gibson at [kyra@amgidaho.com](mailto:kyra@amgidaho.com) or 208-888-0988. Applications for summer college staff employment are available online at [www.tpines.org](http://www.tpines.org). You must have graduated from high school to be considered for one of the nine positions.

# WORK WEEK

MAY 25-28, 2017  
TRINITY PINES CAMP  
CASCADE, ID

Thanks to volunteer labor, thousands of dollars have been saved at Work Week through the years. In addition, participants from our Intermountain District have enjoyed great times of fellowship. Our dedicated staff works long hours throughout the year to maintain a quality facility. Those who assist during Work Week each year allow the staff to accomplish extra projects in order to get a head start on the busy summer camping season.

Come to Work Week expecting to have dirt on your hands, sore muscles at night, and a few splinters and blisters. However, you will find a feeling of accomplishment, plenty of good humor, and a personal satisfaction in doing something to make Trinity Pines a beautiful and rewarding place.

### **WHAT TO BRING:**

Hand/power tools	Garden tools	Light jacket/sweatshirt
Pair of work gloves	Sunscreen	Hat
Strong back	Good appetite	Willing attitude
Bedding/towel/personal items		

### **POTENTIAL PROJECTS:**

Painting/Staining, Grounds Beautification, Removing/Placing all tables and chairs from winter storage, Cleaning of tables, chairs, windows, etc., Trail Grooming/Ropes Course prep, Wood Cutting, RV Park prep, Vehicle Maintenance/Service, Set-up Worship/Wall Tents, Potential Construction (prep and assistance)

### **REGISTRATION:**

Registration form and additional information are available on the website at [www.tpines.org](http://www.tpines.org) or contact Cindy at 208-888-0988 or [cindy@amgidaho.com](mailto:cindy@amgidaho.com) for a brochure.

For specific questions in regards to Work Week, contact:  
Ron Manley or Kristen Miller • 208-382-6200 or [trinitypinesoffice@frontier.com](mailto:trinitypinesoffice@frontier.com)

**SEE YOU ALL AT WORK WEEK!**