

18TH ANNUAL SHARE THE DREAM

On November 21, around 170 Camp Partners gathered at Valley Shepherd to hear reports about the past year of operations at Trinity Pines. A new goal of \$125,000 for operations, financial assistance for campers, and sustainability was the challenge put before those in attendance. The evening included a report from Dr. Ron Galloway about the success of the Cuba Children's Camps this past summer which were funded largely by missionary offerings during our children and teen camps. A total of **\$3,537.62** was generated.

The evening also included casting vision for what is ahead. A complete financial report was presented by Trinity Pines Board member, Gerron Gibson, which outlined the income and expenses of operations as well as many of the capitol improvements made in the past year.

Recognition for the Founder's Club and the Schmidt Volunteer Service Award were also presented.

Note: You will find an insert in this Camp Monthly of the inductees into the Founder's Club and a little about each of them and their support of Trinity Pines. During the evening, we launched a new project to replace the chairs in the upper and lower meeting rooms in the Conference Center. The chairs were beginning to show the wear and tear of use over the years. You will learn more about the project in this Camp Monthly.

If you were unable to attend Share the Dream and would like a copy of the evening's program, please feel free to reach out to our Meridian camp office and we can mail you a program that is full of information about the past, the present and the future of Trinity Pines. Give us a call at 208-888-0988 or email office@amgidaho.com.

Rick Waitley
Executive Director

WE WELCOME VOLUNTEERS IN THE WINTER: Trinity Pines has some significant sized rental groups starting in January – May. If you are available as a volunteer to help in the kitchen or with other projects, please contact Steve Haney and he will coordinate schedules with you. Usually in the winter we have some housing available for those that volunteer. Now is the time to also contemplate joining the Second Wind Staff at Trinity Pines this summer and fall. Application information can be secured by contacting Steve and Cheryl Haney at 208-830-1005 or email hanstead@yahoo.com.

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Dec 13	Cascade Medical Center Staff Christmas Party
Jan 10-12	Stonehill Church Youth
Jan 16-18	Real Life Men's Retreat
Jan 17-18	BSU CRU Gals Retreat
Jan 18-20	Calvary Chapel Treasure Valley Youth Retreat
Jan 24-26	NYI Retreat
Jan 31-Feb 2	Summit Youth Retreat
Jan 31-Feb 1	BSU CRU Guys Retreat

"AT-A-GLANCE" TRINITY PINES CALENDAR

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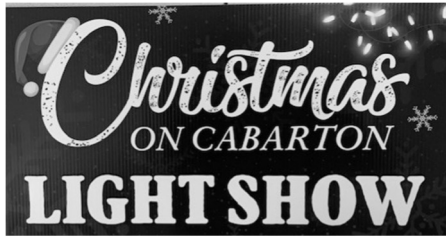
TRINITY PINES CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER

CASCADE, IDAHO

DECEMBER 2024

END OF THE YEAR CONTRIBUTIONS: The fiscal year for Trinity Pines ends on December 31. We welcome your end of the year investment in the camp. All contributions must be postmarked no later than December 31 to be included in the investment reports to Camp Partners that will be mailed in January.

CHRISTMAS ON CABARTON: Christmas on Cabarton happened one weekend in November and one weekend in December. The project grew and this year included cookies and warm drinks, along with crafts for children in the conference center. There was also a place to take photos surrounded by lit Christmas Trees. Outside additional lights were added in trees and on structures and a life-size nativity scene and stable was purchased and added to the experience. Promotion was done within churches from Riggins to Cascade. An estimated 400 people toured and participated in the event this year between the two weekends.



VIDEOS FROM SHARE THE DREAM: Visit Trinity Pines' camp website at www.tpines.org and see the three videos of folks who explain why they financially invest in Trinity Pines. Special thanks to George and Jan Zickefoose, Valley Shepherd, Elma and Zelma Doerksen, College Church and Bob and Carol Mitchell, Boise New Hope who agreed to share their story.

RECEPTION DISHES: We have recently learned of a church that would like to donate several sets of crystal plates and cups used for receptions for showers and weddings. If you are looking for those type of dishes in your church please, give our Meridian office a call at 208-888-0988. There is roughly 50-75 sets of the dishes available.

DON'T LOOK OR WAIT WITH EXPECTATION: There will be no Camp Monthly in January of next year. This has been a tradition for several years. We will be back in your inbox and mailbox the beginning of February.

CONFERENCE ROOM CHAIR PROJECT: At Share the Dream we launched the replacement of 150 conference room chairs. The chairs could be purchased at a cost of \$80/each. The project was launched on Thursday, November 21. I am pleased to report that as of Friday, December 6, almost all of the funds have been raised to purchase the 150 chairs – you are awesome and so supportive. Thanks to everyone who helped with this project.

SCHMIDT VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD: Congratulations to Bob and Sandy Boyd, Nampa First Church who were recognized for their service and dedication to Trinity Pines as a volunteer. The award is annually presented by Marvin Schmidt on behalf of Marvin and his late wife Linda. Bob and Sandy are tireless volunteers at Trinity Pines. Bob has been involved in many building projects and then often joins Sandy in the kitchen in food preparation and cleanup. Bob's parents were caretakers at Victory Cove for many years. Harold and Dorothy Boyd.

CCCA CONVENTION: Trinity Pines belongs to the Christian Camp and Conference Association who is holding their annual meeting in Seattle, WA. Administrator John and Office Manager Lois Theien are attending. They tied the conference to an opportunity to visit children and grandchildren in the Seattle area.

SUMMER INTERNS: If you have a graduating senior from high school in your home or a college student looking for work in the summer of 2025, we are happy to visit with them about an internship at Trinity Pines. Intern Coordinator, Tyler Luschen is available to visit with anyone interested in the program and provide more details as to compensation, responsibilities and opportunities. Contact Tyler by calling 208-382-6200 or by email at tyler@tpines.org. You can also find more information at tpines.org/apply.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS: I hope that many of you will take the opportunity to send Christmas greetings to the staff at Trinity Pines. Many of you they see only once a year at various camps and retreats but it would be nice for them to know that you recognize their contribution to the success of the camp operations. You can send a card to 349 Cabarton Road, Cascade, ID 83611.

SHARE THE DREAM PLEDGE CARD: Perhaps you had a conflict and could not join us in person for the Share the Dream event. We welcome your participation in the coming year toward our goal of \$125,000. Enclosed in this Camp Monthly is a pledge card for you to show your support. Please complete the card and return it to our office. There are several options of how payments can be made in the coming 12 months. The pledge year starts January 1, 2025. Any funds received between now and the end of the year will be placed against our 2024 goal.

PAYING FOR CAMPERS EARLY: The system we use for registration of summer campers will allow you to make periodic payments for campers to attend camp. If you are interested and want to learn more about how this works contact Office Manager/Registrar Lois at 208-282-6200 in Cascade. We have had inquiries from grandparents asking if they can pay in advance as a Christmas gift for family members. The answer is yes. Here are the costs for summer camps in 2025:

- Genesis: \$105 Early Bird / \$130 Regular
- 4th-6th Grade: \$240 Early Bird / \$275 Regular
- Junior High: \$270 Early Bird / \$305 Regular
- Senior High: \$270 Early Bird / \$305 Regular

EARLY BIRD DEADLINE CHANGED FOR 2025: The Early Bird registration deadline for summer 2025 camps will be moved to May 15. Please note this date for savings on your camper registrations.

Thanks to everyone receiving this final Camp Monthly for 2024. Your prayers, financial support, attendance at events, support of summer camps and retreats, and words of wisdom are greatly appreciated. May you have a blessed and special Christmas with family and friends. May Christ be present in your church services and holiday gatherings and may 2025 be a wonderful year for everyone.