

WORK WEEK APPROACHING

Dear Camp Friends,

The upcoming Intermountain District Work Week is critical to the start of the summer for Trinity Pines. One annual project is erecting the worship tent, which will happen on Friday morning, May 25. But an even bigger project this year is the completion of the seven bunkhouses that were started in the fall of 2017. These seven bunkhouses will replace the canvas tents that have been used for several seasons. We are soliciting help from every corner of our district for assistance on the bunkhouses. We need those who have some abilities with hammers, saws, can climb ladders, assist with roofing, trim, building porches, etc. We promise to have contractors onsite to help lay out the work for each bunkhouse as we head down the home stretch on these buildings. Each bunkhouse will hold 12 campers. Metal bunks that were in the tents will eventually be moved into the bunkhouses for campers. Restroom facilities will be shared with the three lodges that are in close proximity to the bunkhouse locations.

2018 Intermountain District Work Week Thursday, May 24 - Sunday, May 27 | Trinity Pines Camp | Cascade, ID

We encourage you to spread the word about the need for folks to come and help complete the bunkhouses. Work Week takes place from Thursday-Sunday, May 24-27. If you can't stay for the whole time, then join us for the days you can. We encourage you to invite others to come with you to help! Housing and food will be provided. Call the camp at 208-382-6200 to make reservations and let them know when you will be coming so we can be prepared for the volunteer crew. We look forward to your helping hand!

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SDMI Children's Pastor Retreat
Trail Wind Elementary Field Trip
May 21-24
May 24-27
May 30
June 1-3
June 7-10
June 11-13
June 13-15
June 15-17
June 18-22
June 22-24
June 24-29
June 29 - July 3
July 4-8
July 8-13

Idaho Council of Catholic Women Retreat
St. Luke's McCall Admin. Ropes Course
Intermountain District Work Week
Idaho Assemblies of God Teen Camp
Camp Hope Youth Retreat
IMD Genesis Girls' Camp
IMD Genesis Boys' Camp
Camp Erin: Children & Teen Grief Camp
IMD 9th-12th Grade Senior High Camp
Rockharbor Kids' Camp
IMD 4th-6th Grade Girls' Camp
S. Idaho Assemblies of God Kidz Camp
IMD 4th-6th Grade Boys' Camp

TRINITY PINES CALENDAR "AT-A-GLANCE"

CAMP MONTHLY

TRINITY PINES CAMP + CONFERENCE CENTER

CASCADE, IDAHO

MAY 2018

PAVE THE WAY: Thanks for the great response to Pave the Way during the District Assembly. We picked up several more names and investors for this project. The pavers were on display at Assembly and a sample can be seen in the office in Meridian. Each paver costs \$250 and will be placed in the walkway leading up to the front of the Welcome Center at Trinity Pines. Enclosed is a card that can be filled out and returned to the Meridian Camp office or you can go to www.tpines.org/pave-the-way. The inscription on the paver is the choice of the person making the investment. This offer will discontinue on July 1, 2018. Please purchase your paver soon!

SUMMER VOLUNTEERS: We are searching for RV's (trailers preferable) that can be used to house volunteers or summer college staff at Trinity Pines. If you have such a vehicle available, please contact Rick Waitley at 208-888-0988 with the details.

CAMP MEETING

Reservations are now being taken for District Camp Meeting at Trinity Pines, August 10-12, 2018! Speakers for the event will be Dr. Bob Broadbooks and Dr. Fred Fullerton. There is a great weekend planned for all ages with a theme of "Rooted in Christ." There will be lots of fun, free time, fellowship, good food, excellent music, and powerful preaching. Registration materials available at www.tpines.org/camp-meeting.

2018 SUMMER CAMPS

Prices go up within two weeks of each camp, so pre-registration is important! It also helps the check-in process and guarantees enough materials for each camper.

Dates, rates, camp themes, and online registration is ALL AVAILABLE at www.tpines.org/summer-camps!

SHARE THE DREAM: On Thursday, November 29, the 12th Annual Share the Dream will take place at 6:30pm at Valley Shepherd Nazarene Church. Learn more about the camp, be inspired, meet the people, and feel the momentum of the future for Christian camping in our district. The event will include a dessert fellowship. Information at www.tpines.org/share-the-dream.

150 CLUB: Thanks to those who have joined and contributed to the 150 CLUB that provides financial assistance to campers who are not affiliated with a Nazarene Church. This financial support is available as an outreach of the summer camping program. If you need information about the 150 CLUB, contact Cindy at 208-888-0988.

SUMMER CAMP TRANSPORTATION

We have been spreading the word about the new summer camp transportation option. Bus transportation for summer camps from the Treasure Valley to Cascade will be provided for \$30.00 per camper roundtrip. The registration for the bus will be handled through the Meridian Office. The campers, suitcases, bedding, etc. will be transported by a professional company. We see this as a great opportunity for many campers who have not had transportation to and from camp. This service is available for camps 4th grade and above. Details and online reservations: www.tpines.org/bus.

IMPROVED RESTROOMS: To accommodate increased use of toilets in the lodges due to the bunkhouses, high pressure toilets have been installed. In addition, water heater units have been replaced to ensure ample hot water for campers.

PAVING SCHEDULED: The city of Cascade has the paving project for Cabarton Road scheduled for the month of July. We have been promised access to the camp, but also realize there may be some interruptions and rerouting. Please be patient as we await the completion of this project. When finished, it will be a welcome relief from the horrible road conditions in the spring and summer.

CAMP STORE: We want to let campers, parents, and grandparents know that there are a few new t-shirt designs in Jubilation Station this summer! There will also be refreshing drinks, yummy snacks, and other fun souvenirs for those that bring a few dollars to camp. We're also thrilled to have Kenton & Nellie Harris serving as our lead volunteers in the store during June and July.

WELCOME, SUMMER STAFF!

Hiring is complete and we are excited to introduce the 2018 Summer Staff to you!

Dillon Williams (Boise) | Program Staff
Continues at ISU this fall

Micah Wagner (Cascade) | Program Staff
Senior at NNU this fall

Andi Mee (Parma) | Program Staff
Sophomore at NNU this fall

Joe Henry (Nampa) | Program Staff
Senior at NNU this fall

Meghan Laughlin (Cascade) | Program Staff
Entering college this fall

Amanda Angood (Boise) | Kitchen Staff
Assisting with home school co-op instruction

Karis Liston (Meridian) | Kitchen Staff
Senior at ISU this fall