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AT FAMILY CAMP
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2ND ANNUAL FAMILY CAMP THIS WEEKEND

FAMILY CAMP JUST HOURS AWAY!

The 2ND ANNUAL C/A FAMILY CAMP is staring us right in the face. This weekend is the great event of the fall for each Christian family. The dates are August 30, 31, and September 1st. On this page is a complete schedule of events with main sessions, workshops, crafts for those under 12, special workshops for men, women and teens.

We have folks scheduled to come in from central Florida, from the Roanoke area--and of course our own immediate area. By the looks of things, the number of camping units and those using dorms will more than double last years total of 7 families camping out. Our biggest crowd though will be those COMMUTING in for each of the main sessions and the workshops. We invite you all to the Saturday afternoon hayride and weiner roast too! Set this time aside for the Lord and make every effort to be here!

Below is a list of the workshops and their leaders. As you can see, we have something for everyone!

Dean Price--Motivating Men to Victory
Barbara Price--Stand Fast in Christ's Suffering
Ima Jean Brooks--Home Sweet Home
Ken Overdorf--How to Get Along with People
Burt Brook--(for teens only) Teen Pressures, Problems and Possibilities!

Our Program this year is centered around the family with **Keith Keeran**, professor at KCC, doing the preaching and leading, **Dan and DeAnne Owens** from Willowton will be heading up the music department. **Gene Wriston** from the Mapleview congregation, will be leading the under 12 group with crafts in the C/A cafeteria.

There is no charge for those commuting in and only the insurance fee of \$.75 will be charged to those camping out with us.

This promises to be a great weekend--only if you plan to come--and the whole weekend will be capped off with the area gospel sing on Sunday evening. We will have a special Sunday youth session at 6:15 with David and Debbie Thomas, followed by the All Area Gospel Sing, beginning at 7:30. The Crusaders from Kley, David and Debbie Thomas, Dan and DeAnne Owens, Tom and Fran Long, and Rick and Joanna Mathena will each sing approximately 15 minutes. SEE YOU ALL THERE!

C/A FAMILY CAMP SCHEDULE

FRIDAY NIGHT:

Registration 4 - 7
Opening Main Session 7:30 - 9:00
Afterglow (Campfire)

SATURDAY:

Family Devotions 9:00 - 9:15
Workshops: 9:25 - 10:05
Coffee break in Cafeteria
Workshops Repeated 10:25 - 11:05
MORNING MAIN SESSION: 11:15 - 12:30
Lunch at your campers
Afternoon Recreation 1:30 - 4:00
(Swimming, softball, volleyball, horseshoes, etc.)
Hayride 4:00
Supper (All families' hot dog cookout) 5 - 6
Pre-Concert Session 6:30 - 7:15
EVENING MAIN SESSION: 7:30 - 9:00

SUNDAY:

Scatter to area churches and to area restaurants for Sunday lunch
Afternoon recreation 2 - 5
Special Youth Emphasis Pre-Session (David and Debbie Thomas)
CLOSING MAIN SESSION - All area Gospel Sing 7:30 - 9:00

HAM SUPPER IS SEPTEMBER 7TH!

Have you called your total in yet? If not, please do so immediately! We need an accurate account so we can purchase the proper amount of food without wasting yours and the Lord's money!

The big date is September 7th for the ANNUAL C/A HAM SUPPER. The time is 5:30 for the special singing and the meal begins at 6:00 sharp! Bring your very best hungry appetite--and enjoy the fellowship of other Christians!

27 MORE JOIN BUCK-A-MONTH CLUB!

Our official total now for Buck-A-Month members is 280! We have many more but they have not yet sent in their list--though they are sending the money each month! PLEASE SEND YOUR LIST OF NAMES IN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!

ATHENS MEMBERS:

Jim and Dorothy French
Willis and Betty Graham
Dolores and Robert Bowling
Randy and Janice Bailey
Mark Phillips
Kathy Phillips
David and Linda Thompson
Chris Thompson
Tony and Jonnie Pettrey
Cami Via
Lisa French
Jeffrey and Carla Osborne
Bernice Alvis
Eddie and Jean Via
Doug Hardman

FALLS MILLS:

Pearle Sarver
Virginia Mabe

INDIVIDUAL:

M/M Tracy Christian

LERONA:

David Via

GIFTS FOR AUGUST:

M/M Tracy Christian--soup labels
From 213 Spruce St., Bluefield--142 soup labels
Karen Mathena--soup labels

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

ATHENS--Revival Sept. 29 - Oct. 4 with Johnny Elmore

C/A--Pool now closed C/A Ham Supper--Sept. 7th!

FALLS MILLS--Revival with Mike Breidenbaugh, Sept. 22-27, 7:00

GRUNDY CAMP--National Prayer Clinic--Oct. 8-10

LERONA--Revival Sept. 8-13 with Henry Glancy at 7:00

LINDSIDE--Revival Oct. 27-Nov. 1 with Johnny Elmore at 7:30

MONTCALM--Revival with Lewis Hall--Oct. 13-18

PETERSTOWN--Revival with Dean Mills--Sept. 9-Oct. 4, 7:00

MAPLE VIEW--Revival with David Thomas, Evangelist, Sept. 22-27, 7:00

HAZELWOODS JOINS THOUSANDAIRE CLUB!

In spite of the fact that we haven't been on the road this summer, new Thousandaire Club members continue to join. Our thanks to M/M Gary Hazelwood for becoming our 224th member!

DEAN'S EVALUATION MEETING WITH BOARD

Our annual camp evaluation meeting with the deans will be Thursday, September 5th, at 7:30 in the C/A Cafeteria with the Executive Board of C/A. At this time, we will share together your reports and the ways we can work together for even a greater camp next year. Please make every effort to attend, Deans!

ALL NEW C/A SLIDE PROGRAM TO DEBUT

We have all new slides for the 1985-86 road show for the C/A Summer Campers in Action! The "Friends are Forever" program will highlight the many activities of camp, closing out with the theme song! Get your appointment early!

WORKDAYS SLATED FOR SATURDAYS IN SEPT.!

Calling all men! Calling all men! We have slated the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Saturdays of September as work days here at C/A to install new walks and install one or two small pavillions (outdoor teaching centers and picnic spots). We will begin work at 8:00 each Saturday and work into late afternoon. Bring your own lunch, hammers, etc. C/A will provide all the drinks. We put off working in the spring--and now we need your help to improve the campus! If you can't work all day, at least come for part of the day!

LADIES RETREAT STATISTICS:

We got some good news and bad news about the recent Ladies Retreat! The good news is it was a great retreat with 159 in attendance--the bad news is we beat you ladies for the first time in 15 years. Sweet revenge (even if it only lasts one year! Ha). Below is the attendance breakdown for the 27 churches present.

Mapleview	15	Mountainview	2
Williams Chapel	7	Duhring	2
Farmdale	6	Mudfork	7
Lerona	4	Midway	17
Bozoo	5	Hollybrook	9
Ingleside	2	Peterstown	11
Grandview	11	Hillcrest	1
Crow Christian	1	Ronceverte	2
Glen Lyn	14	Cedar Grove	1
Willowton	7	Johnson Bible Coll.	1
Falls Mills	24	Jefferson Church	1
Goodwyn's Chapel	4	Northfork Baptist	1
Rt. 20	2	Marantha Baptist	1
		St. Theresa Cath.	1

VBS REPORT

Duhring Church of Christ sent \$36.50 and Ingleside Community sent us \$50 to add to the list of those who chose C/A as their VBS missionary for the summer of 1985! Thanks!

NEWHALL CH. OF CHRIST NEW C/A SUPPORTER!

Our special thanks to Curtis Shrader for starting this new congregation and then encouraging them to begin supporting C/A as their first missionary. They voted to begin sending \$10 monthly to the C/A ministry.

WAYNE BLACK NEW MINISTER AT BRAMWELL!

Wayne Black has accepted the call to work as minister with the Church of Christ at Bramwell. We wish both Bramwell and the Wayne Black family the best of "soul winning" together!

CAMP SETS ALL NEW RECORDS WITH 1985 SEASON!!!

In many ways, the 1985 camp season was the best! These stats below can in no way show you the kind of summer we all shared together at C/A. Many old records were broken! 519 campers attended, the largest ever, breaking the old record of 501 set last year. We had \$2,641.49 given to missions, compared with just over \$800 five years ago. But best of all, we had 160 decisions for the Lord--47 of these by baptism. Ten (life recruits) are seriously contemplating entering some form of specialized service. We had only two injuries that required a trip to the hospital, one of which was on our own insurance--and that one even after camp was over--thus an almost accident free season! Next month we will carry the churches represented.

NAME OF WEEK	ATTENDED	FEMALE	MALE	F/T STAFF	P/T STAFF	C/A STAFF	SWAT	TOTAL
Jr. I	85	53	93	12	2	5	5	110
Jr. II	105	64	41	17	5	5	6	138
Jr. High I	54	21	33	14	0	5	5	78
First Chance	72	38	34	11	4	5	5	97
Jr. High II	66	43	23	11	3	5	5	90
Senior I	102	47	55	16	5	5	5	133
Senior II	34	23	11	12	0	5	3	54
GRAND TOTALS	519	289	230	93	19	35	34	700

NAME OF WEEK	MISSIONS GIVEN TO	AMOUNT GIVEN	BAPTISMS	RED.	LIFE RECR.
Jr. I	Mountain Mission School	307.26	-	-	-
Jr. II	Joe O'Neal	320.06	25	28	-
Jr. High I	Joe O'Neal	302.03	5	10	-
First Chance	C/A Shelters	116.28	-	-	-
Jr. High II	Oper/Evangelize	369.72	8	33	-
Senior I	Watchman Keith & Bethany Groves	515.60 (1025.60 total) 50.00	6 (6 af.ca)	25	-
	KCC Team I	100.00			
	Expenses (Tom Long)	360.00			
Senior II	KCC Team 2 Tony Maple	150.00 50.00	3	7	10
GRAND TOTALS		2641.49	47	103	10

NAME OF WEEK	OUTSTANDING CAMPERS
Jr. I	Stephen Morris/Jami Mathena
Jr. II	Julie Powell/Gerald Phillips
Jr. High I	Laurie Anderson/Shane Compton
Jr. High II	Doug Vestel/Shandra Perdue
Senior I	Andra Jones/Billy Pate
Senior II	Randy Reynolds/Sandra Lester

RUNNERS-UP
Billy Hardway/Sherry Long
Michelle Canterbury/Michael White
Christine Brackenrich/David Overdorf
Kerry Stauffer/Melony Thomas
Cheri Pugh/Daren McMorris

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