Spring 2018

## HIGH HILL CHRISTIAN



# Camp News

#### KIDS AT THE HEART. CHRIST IN THE CENTER. FUN FOR ALL.

Check out what's going on around High Hill

## **NEW WEBSITE**

Our web-building program went through some big updates this month, which means that our website got a major facelift.

CHECK IT OUT AT WWW.HIGHHILLCAMP.ORG

## **OPEN HOUSE**

You're invited to spend a day at camp on June 2nd!

Beginning at 2 P.M., the camp will be open for games, swimming, and sightseeing.

There will be a silent auction from 3-5:30 P.M., dinner will be served at 5 P.M. (FREE!), and we will conclude with worship at 6 P.M. Bring your friends and family and come enjoy an afternoon at High Hill!

## **CHURCH VISITS**

Our staff has been busy visiting various churches this spring.

Check out where we've been, and where we'll be soon.

We would love to schedule your church for a fall visit!

April 8th // Middletown CC & Grace City (Sullivan)

April 11th // Community CC (Linn)

April 15th // Gateway CC

April 22nd // Harvester CC & New Galilee CC (Winfield)

April 29th //Forum CC (Columbia)

May 6th // FCC Union

## **CAMP RENTALS**

Many people think that after summer, the camp takes a break. While that's sometimes true, for the most part we are busy. Please pray with us that God continues to use High Hill for His work year round.

JUST SINCE JANUARY, WE'VE HAD 498 PEOPLE USE OUR FACILITES!

#### **NEW THIS YEAR...**

We are excited to bring you a faster check-in on Registration Day! This year when you arrive to check-in for camp, you will be given a check-in sheet that will contain your camper's information - including the amount you've prepaid and the current balance due. For campers who have PAID IN FULL at least 24 hours prior to check in, there will be an express check-in line! This means less wait time for you and your camper, and a much easier check-in process.

In order to be eligible for our express check-in, ALL OF THE FOLLOWING must apply:

- Camper Registration Fees Paid in Full
  - No Changes or Additions to Canteen or Missions
    - Have a Free T-shirt <u>OR</u>
       Paid for Shirt in Advance

We understand that sometimes it's difficult to pay for camp all at once, so this year we will be sending monthly emails letting you know the

### **SUMMER 2018**

Campers will attend the session that coordinates with the grade he or she will be entering the fall of 2018.

Session	Grade	Dates	Early	After 4/30	DEANS
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Family Camp	ANY	Jun 2-3	Varies	Varies	Kurt Charlton
Kick Start 1	KG-2	Jun 22-23	\$35	\$45	Megan Clay
Kick Start 2	KG-2	Jul 13-14	\$35	\$45	Lori H./Rachel B.
Camp 23-1	2-3	Jun 10-12	\$100	\$120	Kristin Merz
Camp 23-2	2-3	Jun 14-16	\$100	\$120	Kim Dorpenyo
Camp 45-1	4-5	Jun 17-21	\$150	\$170	Dani Weaver
Camp 45-2	4-5	Jul 8-12	\$150	\$170	Adam Estes
Jr High 1	6-8	Jun 24-29	\$200	\$220	Jeremy Keeler
Jr High 2	6-8	Jul 22-27	\$200	\$220	Ben H./Steve W.
High School	9-12	Jun 3-8	\$200	\$220	Jeremiah Howze
WILDERNESS CAMPS					
Adventure	5-7	Jun 4-7	\$150	\$170	Dave Atzenweiler
Extreme	7-10	5/29-6/2	\$150	\$170	Dave Atzenweiler
Kid vs. Wild	4-6	Jun 10-13	\$150	\$170	Dave Atzenweiler
Jr High Wild	7-8	Jul 8-11	\$150	\$170	Joe Friend
Sr High Wild	9-12	Jun 17-20	\$150	\$170	Perry Gabbard

#### **Important Dates**

Early Bird Deadline: April 30th

Free Tee Deadline: May 19th

Questions? Email us at camp@highhillcamp.org













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156 ladies from all over the area came to High Hill in March for our annual Women's Weekend. Our speaker, Beth DeFazio did a fabulous job of challenging us to be more like Mary AND Martha. Becca Washington and the ladies from Gateway CC led us to the throne in very meaningful worship. It was a truly great weekend of fun and friendship!

Make plans to attend next year's retreat: "Garden Variety: Cultivating the Spiritual Garden of Your Daily Life" March 8-9.



We've had a few groups come out to camp to help with projects. If you'd like to schedule a time to bring a small group or a youth group to camp, just let us know! We can almost always find something for you to do!

Special thanks to St. Louis Christian College students and the students of Grace Lutheran from Menomonee Falls, WI for volunteering your time!





#### **CAMP WORKDAY**

#### COME JOIN US // MAY 12TH // 9 A.M—AFTERNOON

We have a lot of projects going on around the camp right now and would love to have some hands on site for our upcoming work day.

We will be doing all sorts of work from hauling wood to wiping down bunks. There will be jobs for all ages and skill levels. PLUS—we will provide lunch for all workers!

#### HOW YOU CAN HELP

**PRAY**. Jesus told us that we have not because we ask not. Boldly ask God to provide for High Hill in all the following areas. Help where you can, pray all you can, tell who you can, and together we can make it happen.

GIVE. Money is nice because it helps us buy the things we need to keep this camp up-to-date and safe for our campers and retreats. We would love for you to become a faithful financial supporter of High Hill. You can actually set up an auto-gift on our website to make it easy!

**SERVE**. There are a lot of things to do, and we could really use YOUR help. Contact the camp if your group would like to schedule a service day.

**COME**. Give us a call and schedule a time to come out and take a tour of the camp. We would love to show you around and let you know what's happening.

**SHARE**. Let others know about High Hill - tell your friends, your neighbors, your coworkers.

**FOLLOW**. We have a Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram account. Like or follow us to keep up to date with all our latest news.

#### STAFF CHANGES

We are pleased to announce that in November, we were able to hire Joe and Brenna Friend as

our newest staff members. Joe and Brenna came to us from New Mexico Christian Children's Home where they had been serving as house parents to abused



and neglected children for the past six years. Prior to that, they were in located youth ministry, preaching ministry, and also worked at Shiloh Christian Children's Home. They have four children: Keegan (22); Micah (20); Leigah (18); and Ethan (18).

Joe is on staff as our maintenance manager, assisting Brian who became our new facilities manager in September of last year. Brenna is our retreat cook, housekeeping manager, and she will also be assisting Nick in the kitchen this summer.

We are very pleased with the team that is on staff here at High Hill, and we can't wait for you to get to know everyone who is working here—serving with a huge heart for this ministry.



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#### **UPDATES & IMPROVEMENTS**







Last year, the back deck was repaired. This spring, we added the finishing touches—stairs with landing areas. The cement pad outside the back door was also redone and expanded to meet up with the stairs.













A lot of time and work has gone into Nebel Hall this winter/spring. With a subsidy from our electric company and through a generous donation, we were able to change all of the lighting in the building to LED. Time was also spent in the kitchen—putting in new washable walls, redoing some plumbing and electrical work, and replacing the lights.







Downstairs was also given a lighting upgrade and fresh coats of paint throughout. Finally, thanks to the ladies at Women's Weekend, we were able to purchase new stoves, which will be installed very soon, for the kitchen.







The Canteen was totally demolished this past fall, and we've spent the month of April rebuilding it. It will now have heat/air, water, a new fridge, a soda fountain, an ice machine, and MORE! We can't wait for you to see it!