

Hot Off the Press! 10/19/14

Camp S'more Recap

Camp S'more was a blast! The children from Pleasant Hill Academy and Frederick Douglas were amazing. They were all crazy at times, but overall no huge challenges. It wasn't until the campfire when I looked at the FULL MOON that I realized why they were so crazy. Yikes!

Both schools arrived at camp by 10:30 and after a tour of the camp they headed into the dining hall. The children, teachers and volunteers sat at the tables by their group name. There were the Flames, Marshmallows, Grahams and Hersheys. We sang the camp song a couple of times and then it was time for lunch. I give the opportunity for one child from each of the four groups to pray for a meal. The child who prayed for lunch was precious. He prayed from his heart asking God to bless the food, the animals, the camp, his family, his friends, the people who didn't have food, and the children who were not able to come to camp! We ate sloppy joes, grilled cheese, fruit, snacks and ice cream. After lunch it was time for the rotation of activities. Each group rotated through four activities; fishing, nature hike, kickball and a picture scavenger hunt. Each activity took



50 minutes, so after almost 4 hours of high energy the children were ready to sit down and listen to the volunteers from La Salle High School.

The young men shared what they liked about high school, where they hoped to attend college and what they would like to study. Dinner was next and the children were HUNGRY. They ate fried chicken, macaroni and cheese, fruit, butter bread and ice cream. After dinner each group was given time to practice a skit about their group name. Next were the "Minute to Win It" games with everyone cheering and laughing as the teachers competed. Mr. Dobbs from Pleasant

Hill dominated the games. After the games the groups walked down to the campfire and ate hot dogs and s'mores (of course) Mr. Brown from Frederick Douglas led a rowdy song about "You can't ride in my little red wagon". Each verse was the same as the first, a little bit louder and a little bit worse. :) Once the campfire was doused, the campers headed to their cabins and lights were out by 10:30.

Thursday morning the campers woke up at 7:00 and headed to the dining hall by 8:00. Breakfast consisted of pancakes, bacon, eggs, cereal, fruit, and of course, ice cream! The groups were then sent to practice one last time for their skits. At 9:00 our own Cedric Lowe came and performed and led the children in some fun games. The skits were performed, with the Flames winning the overall best performance. Next it was out to the field for Junior Olympics where the children played group games led once again by Cedric.

When the games were over lunch was ready and on the menu was all the fixin's for chili, chili spaghetti, cheese coneys, fruit, ice cream as well as left over fried chicken, macaroni and cheese, and pancakes. I saw one



child with a huge mound of chili, spaghetti, onions and cheese with pancakes and syrup on the side ... yum? After lunch, Mike Knueven, the art teacher from La Salle High School, along with several student helpers, delighted the children with a wonderful art project. Next it was time for the children to head back to the cabins to clean and pack. This took about an hour, and then the children headed back to the dining hall for pizza and the closing ceremony.



I am so grateful to Bob Faul, Roger Williams, Susan Koch, Jerry Dwyer, Mike Wagner, Bill Wooten, Bob Wade, Natalie McSwain, Cedric Lowe, and Walker Wilson for their sacrifice to come and volunteer for camp. You are such a blessing to me! Thank you to everyone who prayed and/or donated money and supplies. We couldn't have done it without you!!!



October 19 - October 25 calendar

19. sunday

8:00am	Morning Prayer	Prayer Room
9:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:10am	Foundation Hour	
	• Children's Classes	Barnabas Ctr
	• Jr. High	BC 204
	• High School	BC 206
	• ASF	Various
11:15am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
1:30pm	ACA Meeting	Clubroom

20. monday

6:30pm	AHG Troop Meeting	Great Hall
	Karate	Fellowship Hall
	Webelos Scouts Pack Mtg	Clubroom
7:00pm	12 Christian Beliefs	White House

21. tuesday

9:15am	Strategy For Mothers Planning	Fireside Room
9:30am	Tuesday AM Bible Study	Parlor
6:30pm	Super Choir	Fellowship Hall

22. wednesday

9:30am	Library Work Day	BC 103
5:30pm	Scouts Den Mtg.	Clubroom
7:00pm	Bi-Polar Support Group	Great Hall
	Writers' Meeting	Fireside Room
	Kindling Prayer Group	White House
	Worship Team Rehearsal	Sanctuary
	Officer Training	BC 201 & 202
7:30pm	College/Young Adult Gath.	Off Campus

23. thursday

8:30am	Prayer	Prayer Room
10:00am	Knitting Group	Atrium
6:30pm	Karate	Fellowship Hall
7:00pm	Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
	ACA Meeting	Club Room
7:30pm	Alanon	BC 201 & 202

24. friday

2:00pm	Praise Dancers	BC Lobby
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25. saturday

2:00pm	Praise Dancers	BC Lobby
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The following assistive devices are available
Please ask the ushers if you need wheelchair seating or special hearing equipment. Also, handicapped accessible bathrooms are located to the right of the platform in the hallway leading to the White House parking lot.

Children and Worship

Children ages Kindergarten through third grade are invited to a Children's Worship service each week. Start off with your families in both the 9am and 11:15am service. Then listen for the announcement dismissing the kids to their special service.

This week's helpers are:
9:00am Nate Smith
11:15am Michael & Marissa Fox

Next week's helpers are:
9:00am Ian & Joshua Scheid
11:15am Nathan & Sarah Lowe
Wells Family will greet