



LUTHER PARK BYTES: An e-newsletter with news that MUST get out.

GRANDkids FAMILY CAMP: Experiencing LPBC one family at a time

We currently have 53 family campers enjoying each aspect of Luther Park this (half) week. Some families have been coming for many years, others are first time family campers, and others have brought some new additions to their family.

Family camp is a great way to experience Luther Park, and Luther Park is a great way to experience family. We still have room in our full week family camp session, August 3-8.

MISSION ACCOMPLISHED: All thanks to you!

We have a volunteer nurse who has agreed to come the entire week of July 6-11! Thank you to everyone who helped pass the word on to your congregations. This nurse volunteered only after hearing her Pastor announce Luther Park's need at church! We now have volunteers for the entire summer. We would like to thank each of you for responding to the call.

VOLUNTEERS: Rising to the occasion

Dave and Doug helped lead a group of volunteers at Luther Woods last week. The volunteers (and Dave and Doug) worked hard at taking down the old, leaking pavilion and replacing it with a top notch new one! The work is not quite complete since they are waiting on some parts, but in the meantime it is still functional and will be completed soon. I have even seen the handy work and it looks really nice. Thanks to all who volunteered!

KWIK TRIP CARDS: High Gas Prices to Benefit Luther Park...

We have exceeded our immediate need! We have more than 5 people who are donating their Kwik Trip rewards to Luther Park. Those are just the supporters we currently know of; there may be more of you out there. Thank you for supporting the ministry of Luther Park Bible Camp AND using Kwik Trip gas.

Just incase you missed it last week I have included the "how to" on donating your rewards: If you already have a Kwik Trip card you can call 888-736-5945, give them your card number, the name on the card and tell them you would like the rewards from your Kwik Trip card to be benefited to Luther Park Bible Camp, Chetek, WI. Two minutes, tops.

If you do not have a card already it is easy to sign up. Simply can go to any Kwik Trip gas station and ask the cashier. When you apply for the card you will need to tell them you want the

rewards to be donated to Luther Park Bible Camp, Chetek, WI (they won't ask if you want donated or where you want it donated).

We are still trying to reach our goal of 50 Kwik Trip gas cards.

ANNUAL AUCTION: August 10, 2008

Once again Sherm's office is becoming crowded with items donated for the annual auction. Even still, there is room for more; we are still able to see the carpet! We are collecting donated antiques, collectables, and quilts. If you have items that are able to be donated please call the Luther Park office (715-859-2215) and ask for Sherm or Diana, it can even be arranged to have the item(s) picked up.

REGISTRATION: Update

Current Registrations (July 1): **978**

We have registered 20 campers since last week; this is a higher number than we have seen in the last few weeks. With those 20 campers we have had a few more programs fill and some more that are now nearly full. Both sections of Trading Spaces and Trailblazer's Day Camp on July 23rd are **full**. Trailblazer's Overnight on July 24-25 and Trailblazer's Bridge on July 27-29 are rather close to being full.

If you are still unsure of a program you are interested in registering for please check the website (see below), call, or email - it never hurts to ask.

Check the status of your program online at www.lutherpark.org. Click the tab on the left hand side that says "Registration Updates."

EARTH KEEPERS

We are still hoping to register more for this program. We hope you have displayed the flyers around your congregation.

Earth Keepers will be held August 3-8, 2008; the cost of the trip will be just \$250 per camper, including the \$100 deposit.

For more program information contact Chris Olson at: cgolson@wisc.edu or cgolson@hotmail.com. In order to register contact Becca at: becca@lutherpark.org or 715-859-2215

Final Bits and Bytes:

Catch up with the Luther Park Bytes online, www.lutherpark.org.

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