



Cedarbrook Camp

Southern California

AUTUMN 2015 | CAMP NEWS

Summer 2015 THEME "SHINE"



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ANNUAL TEA FUNDRAISER
 FEBRUARY 6, 2-4PM
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MOTHER DAUGHTER
 APRIL 29 - MAY 1

WOMEN'S WEEKEND
 APRIL 29 - MAY 1

LETTER FROM OUR DIRECTOR Timberwolf



SHINE! The summer of 2015 will stand out in many of our minds as a monument to what God can accomplish. Little did we

or Mile High Pines, our partners in ministry, realize that our time would be limited to a one-week session and a weekend event. We then encountered a series of road blocks: No fires + no lake = no fun! That was one of the equations that ran through my analytical brain.

What God did during our time was nothing short of incredible! Think back on how He took our loaves and fish of available ministry time and multiplied it for His glory. Our SHINE theme was brightened by our struggles and many of us were pushed to be the best we could be.

"In all the years since 1987, this was the best week of camp that I have ever experienced"

The amount of fun the kids (and adults) had and the amount of creative programming that took place could rival any camping experience I have had since I joined the team in 1987. The spiritual fruit that God allowed in salvation decisions and

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SUMMER CAMP
 JUNE 26 - JULY 3



Just a few of the fun things campers get to experience at Camp.

From top to bottom: S'mores and Sleepout, Archery, Water Safety, and Crafts

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growth is absolutely priceless... and we got to be part of it!

I have been offered the opportunity to serve again this year as the camp's director. With God's help, I will do my best to serve our ministry team as we seek to assist kids and adults in being followers of Jesus.

Our theme for this coming year will be **"CONNECTED."** 🌿

GOD HAD IT ALL PLANNED!

Are we having camp? Where are we having camp? How many weeks can we run? These were all questions that we were surprised to have to answer!

Just a few weeks before camp was supposed to start, we found out that it was necessary to move back to Mile High Pines. We were grateful that at least one week and the weekend were available

to us, and believed that God was still in control!

Then the Lake Fire in the San Bernardino mountains caused Mile High Pines to be evacuated for almost two weeks and we did not even know if we could actually have camp until three days before it began. God was gracious and guided us in all the planning. As one of our veteran staff members said, "It was the best week that I've ever had." And we agree! Even though we were not able to have open campfires, camp ran smoothly, the schedule was flexible and we were a great family working together.

One counselor shared, "One of my boys was late to his activity but he had a good excuse - I was leading him to the Lord!" That is why we have camp! That is what your prayers and financial giving do! Because of donors and prayer partners, God is running Cedarbrook Camp and bringing campers to Himself. We are so thankful that God had it all planned out and we just needed to follow. 🌿

**Summer Camp Dates:
June 26 – July 3**





HOW CAN WE HELP YOU DO YOUR JOB BETTER?

As a parent, what is your job? To raise well-rounded, God-honoring, independent adults. How is Cedarbrook able to help you?

Cedarbrook Camp shares Christ with your children. It lets them experience activities in a unique camp setting. It enables them to live in a small "family" for a week and helps them learn how to get along with different personalities.

It gets them out in nature and helps them realize that they can have an amazing amount of fun even though there are no electronics around. In CILT, Cedarbrook trains your camper in skills to help them be a good leader, in camp or out of camp. 🙌

WHAT? NO CAMPFIRES ALLOWED?

With the recent wildfire, we were not allowed to have open fires at camp. For our cookouts we had Walking Tacos, and they were great! Cook the meat in the kitchen, add shredded cheese, lettuce chopped tomatoes, salsa or dressing – all in a chip bag. Crunchy and yummy!



Our campfire the last night was beautiful as we used candles. The Director lit the Division Directors' candles, they lit their counselors' and the counselors lit their campers' candles. It was an amazing visual aid of how we can light our world when we join together with others. Timberwolf reminded the campers and staff of all they had learned about shining for God. 🙌



ANNUAL TEA

Come and enjoy a Winter Wonderland afternoon Tea.

No cost to attend – so come and plan to buy raffle tickets and bid at the silent auction.

All proceeds will go to help run Cedarbrook Camp.

WHEN:
February 6, 2016, 2-4 pm

WHERE:
EV Free Fullerton
2801 Brea Blvd, Fullerton

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