CAMP TALOALI

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CAMP gives kids a world of good.

This has been a busy Fall and hope that all of you are now preparing for the holidays ahead. This newsletter will up-date some important information about Camp Taloali and Camp 2010.

CAMP TALOALI IS NOW AN **ACCREDITED** CAMP. Last summer during the camp session completion of the process occurred with the visit from two American Camping Association staff (ACA). Once their report was sent to the National office, we were scored to see if we met the standards. A key focus for the ACA is that the Camp is meeting safety standards in all the programs offered and activities of the Camp.

CAMP DATES 2010 ARE: JUNE 27-JULY 3rd
JULY 4-JULY 10th
JULY 11-JULY 17th

- COST $50. NON REFUNDABLE REGISTRATION FEE FOR ONE WEEK OF CAMP.
- MUST REGISTER PRIOR TO MARCH 15TH AS FEES WILL BE GOING UP AS OF THAT DATE.
- TWO WEEKS OF CAMP IS $50 REGISTRATION PLUS $350 FOR THE SECOND WEEK.
- THREE WEEKS OF CAMP IS $50 REGISTRATION PLUS $600 FOR THE ADDITION TWO WEEKS.

It is critical that you get your applications in with the registration fee as soon as possible. After March 15th one week of camp will be $350. It has been because of the generosity of Lions that one week of camp has cost only the registration fee. Unfortunately last year our donations did not meet the cost of camp. If you have a service group that would be willing to donate funds for either the summer program or for the general fund to help with the up keep, please suggest the camp. Donations can be sent to the camp. Camp is a non-profit and all donations are tax deductible. With the shortage that we had last program year the overall funds for the camp are almost non-existent and there is a great need to be recruiting funds for camp. One way parents, professionals and friends of the camp can help is to take out a family membership for $50 a year. This allows you to camp two weekends a year at camp free during the membership weekends. This also gives the camp some money to maintain the camp.

FOR ALL YOU CAMPERS THAT WOULD LIKE TO HELP DEVELOP THE MENU FOR CAMP SEND YOUR RECOMMENDED MEAL. REMEMBER IT MUST MEET NUTRITION REQUIREMENTS. MAYBE YOUR PARENTS WILL HELP YOU. EITHER SEND TO CAMP OR EMAIL THE CAMP. ALSO REMEMBER WE HAVE TO BE COST EFFECTIVE WITH WHAT WE HAVE. Prizes will be given for accepted menus.

CAMPERS HELP DEVELOP NEW PROGRAM IDEAS WHAT THINGS WOULD YOU LIKE ADDED TO THE PROGRAM, WHAT THINGS DELETED, WHAT THINGS DO YOU WANT TO KEEP THE SAME. SEND TO CAMP OR EMAIL THE CAMP.

TEEN CAMPERS LET'S HEAR FROM YOU. MANY OF YOU ARE NOT REAL ENTHUSED WITH SOME OF THE CAMP ACTIVITIES. WHAT ABOUT DRAMA? WHAT WOULD MAKE THE CAMP MORE EXCITING FOR YOU? SEND THE CAMP AN EMAIL

Next scheduled events for camp are in 2010:
Easter Egg Hunt
Membership Weekend

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HAVE A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY, GET YOUR APPLICATIONS IN QUICK, NEXT NEWSLETTER AFTER THE FIRST OF 2010.