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Lutherlyn News

Thank you to many volunteers:

Ronnie and Sheldon for removing our aging pine trees.

The 47 volunteers who came out for camp clean-up day.

Don and Andrew for re-roofing one of the cabins.

George from Algonquin Glass for replacing the cracked window.

Brian and Wayne for reviewing our financial records

Jen for mowing the many lawns

Sheldon and Marshall for helping install the docks

Tom for donating the beautiful Banquet chairs, and Grant for delivering them!

Summer camp nurses, and camp moms who cleaned during children's camp

Paul for installing the docks, repairing the raft, fixing plumbing, and for the many trips to the landfill

Boyd for the chair dollies

All who help in their own way and keep this ministry in their prayers

Lutherlyn Camp and Conference Centre.
An ELCIC outdoor ministry

Summer camp highlights!

MEET OUR SUMMER STAFF:

Nigel: He has just returned from teaching in a northern Canadian community. Nigel is a whiz at creative scheduling! The campers had lots of options for fun activities to fill their day.

Robin: He spent three years teaching English in Columbia. He has a wealth of knowledge on nature and our world. The campers enjoyed listening to him share this information and ponder his questions. **Callie, Eric, Joel and Heather:** Our lifeguards! These young people are the camp veterans and shared their love of

Lutherlyn summer camp with the children. They inspired many smiles and much laughter. **Adam and Tim:** counsellors for the boys at camp. They brought gifts of music, sports and fun to the camp this summer.

Brittany: a first time staffer at Lutherlyn, Brittany became a friend to many young people who were at camp

Rose: An adult volunteer whose loving heart brought a calming presence to young campers! Rose has rhythm in her soul and she lets it shine! **Tom and Susan;** our chaplains who created meaningful worship that kids understood!



Lutherlyn's first canoe camp:

Four young lads set off with their leader, John Epps and his team on an unforgettable adventure. After practicing some basics, they paddled down the Bonnechere river, finding some white water and a few great swimming spots. They set up camp, cooked their meals and enjoyed nature above and around them. Next year they plan to challenge themselves a bit more. Congratulations on being part of the first Lutherlyn canoe camp!



Anna's dinner:

Join family and friends of Anna Schroeder at a roast beef dinner to celebrate her life and the gifts she shared in our communities.

Where: Schmieder Hall

When: Wednesday,

September 3, 2014

4:30 and 6:00pm

Anna loved camp, and brought us so much joy and light. Proceeds from this event will go to our generator fund.

Volunteers take a well deserved coffee break during camp clean-up day in May!

**Schmieder hall is more than a camp dining room!**

During the week, Schmieder hall is filled with the cheerful voices of children and families. On the weekend, it takes on a whole new look! Several weddings and reunions will be held here this summer. Plan your own celebration. Bring in your own colour scheme and table center-pieces, and create a lovely resort style banquet room! Contact us for more details.

Each time you rent one of the areas at Lutherlyn, you are supporting youth and children' programs at Lutherlyn!

**Camp Clean – Up Day: Thanks to all who came out!**

- 10 cabins cleaned
- 20+ pine, birch and maple logs removed
- 5 new door landings built
- cobwebs, pine needles and winter dust removed
- 47 volunteers came to help, and the work turned into a fun social event!

Volunteers came from:

- Rankin/Waito;
- Augsburg/ Bonnechere;
- Grace Eganville; (most participants this year)
- St John's Arnprior;
- St Timothy's Pembroke
- Zion Pembroke,
- Faith Lutheran Ottawa
- St John's Petawawa
- Greenbank community church, Nepean

Everyone was invited to gather for a lovely lunch and fellowship as the morning ended. Thanks to Ron Shearer, Pierre Quenneville and the Eganville Grace Lutheran Women for providing Lunch.

Lutherlyn Management Board Members

Board Chair: Pam McNeil 613 628 1242: Grace Eganville

Vice Chair; property liaison: Ron Shearer: Faith Lutheran, Ottawa

Property liaison; Program liaison: Rev Paul Roellchen-Pfohl : Zion Pembroke

Anniversary committee Liaison: Lorna Turner, St John's Augsburg

Legacy Liaison; finance liaison: Pierre Quenneville, Faith Lutheran Ottawa

Board vacancies:

The board needs a **secretary** to take minutes at board meetings

We are also looking for a **treasurer** to help manage the finances.

Contact any Lutherlyn board member if you have gifts to offer, or are interested in serving on the board in any capacity. Thank you!