

**Camping and Youth Report**  
**Yellowstone Presbytery**  
**May 2017**

**Winter Youth Retreat-** The Winter Ski Retreat was held at Bozeman First Presbyterian on February 24-26 with skiing at Bridger Bowl on February 25. Fifty young people and leaders gathered for the retreat and worshipped with the Bozeman congregation on Sunday, February 26. 20" of new snow at Bridger the night before the group skied made for a great day on the slopes!

**Westminster Spires Schedule for 2017**

Revamp the Camp	June 2-4
Kotar Wedding	June 10-11
Bridger Ski Foundation	June 20-26
Tadon Family Reunion	June 30-July 5
Staff Training	July 6-8
Elementary Camp	July 9-13
Junior High Camp	July 16-21
Senior High Camp	July 23-28
Cox Family Reunion	July 30- August 2
Nathan Family Reunion	August 6-10
Eisen Wedding	August 25-27
Murphy-Prouty Reunion	August 30- September 2
Highland Holy Days	September 8-10

This will be the busiest summer we have had in many years.

**Summer Camp Program**

Promotion

The Summer Camp Brochure and Registration Application are posted on the Presbytery website. Copies of the Camp Brochure were sent to previous campers and retreat participants in March and again in April. Please contact me if you need brochures to distribute during your Vacation Bible School program!

Staff Update for Summer 2017

Promotion and Registration	Curt Kochner	
Staff Training	George Goodrich	
Elementary Camp	George Goodrich	
Junior High Camp	George Goodrich	
Senior High Camp	Katie Emery and Will Johnson	
Cook	Bill and Belinda Scott	
Crafts	Cynthia Kessler	
Program Director	Kara Todd	
Counselors	Cynthia Kessler	
	Dani Repka	Megan Dupuis
	Nichole Ferestad	Tamara Lucht
	Jon Dupuis	Hunter Skov

Presbytery Scholarships

We have kept camp fees at the same level for more than seven years. We still have many young people that need scholarship assistance. Many thanks to all the churches that generously provide scholarships for campers! Thanks to the generosity of donors and the offering from the last Presbytery meeting, we have scholarship funds available from the Presbytery. Please contact Curt Kochner if you have campers that need assistance to attend camp. We can make it happen!

Revamp the Camp

Sandy Welch from St. Andrew will once again provide leadership for Revamp the Camp. We will gather at Westminster Spires the weekend of June 2-4 to get the camp ready for a busy season. We only have to replace the shingles on two more cabins and one outhouse to have new roofing on all the buildings at camp. This has been a four year project, but we are close to completion. Projects for the weekend will also include cleaning of all the cabins, clearing up the grounds, enjoying fine fellowship and eating great food. We would not be able to keep the camp in such good shape without the hard work of all the folks that help with Revamp the Camp.