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Animal



On Monday we will start our final week of Summer Day Camp. We have over 70 kids attending this last week and ask for continued prayers for the counsellors, and the children that attend. Please continue to donate juice boxes, freezies and baked goods. The kids enjoy them all! Thanks for your continued support for this ministry.

Other News

As Coffee Break leaders we have planning the upcoming season. Our new season begins on Sept 12, and we are starting our new season with a speaker Susan St Arman from Redeemed and the Hope Chest Book store. We will be studying 1st, 2nd Peter and Jude this coming season. Looking forward to see all of you and catching up on all your news. We asking all of you to bring some goodies to share. See you in September at 9:30 here at Grace CRC.

School News

Hello, NACE supporters! Coming soon is the event that will kick off our year of community gatherings that generate funds for the operation of Covenant and John Knox Christian Schools. The money raised from events such as our annual Family Fun Fest, Apple Pie Making, and Peach Peeling all go toward the everyday expenses of running a school. THESE GATHERINGS ARE AMAZING AND FUN WAYS IN WHICH WE CAN SUPPORT THE DAY-TO-DAY LIVING, LEARNING AND SERVING AT NACE!!

Our first event of the year for years has been to support the annual Winona Peach Festival by peeling peaches for their delicious sundaes. The Winona Men's Club pays NACE for this service and also looks for ways to support us as a school throughout the year.

We have altered the hours of this event this year to allow for families and individuals who work during the day to come out for a few hours in the evening to help out. At this point, we are in need of the following:

- 1) Two people who are capable of coordinating the proceedings. Bert and Diana Kingma have done this capably for many years, but are ready to pass it to two new people who can carry it forward
- 2) Set up crew - Monday, August 21st - to receive the peaches, set up tables, and clean the pails.
- 2) Child care helpers - people to keep our 'little people' occupied and entertained while the work is being done!
- 3) Kitchen help - a couple of people to feed the crew and take care of refreshments!
- 4) Peelers - the core of the operation (or the rock(stone?), to be more precise!!)

Wednesday, August 23 from 9:00am to 5:00pm, and 6:00pm to 9:00pm
Thursday, August 24 from 9:00am until we are done!

- 5) Clean up crew - Thursday, August 24th - to get the JKCS gym back in shape for the beginning of school!

There are many supporters who have faithfully helped with this event for years, and we are looking for some new faces to come by and be a part of the action and the tradition to join them. Can you spare a few hours on August 23 & 24? Of course, you can for the benefit of Christian Education! Contact a friend or relative and come out together!

If you are feeling nudged to consider coordinating this event, please pray about it! Contact Kevin Huinink (khuinink@nace.ca or 519-546-9159) to discuss what is required, and maybe who may be able to partner with you!



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Mental Health Network

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CRC News

FAMILY FIRE - is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at familyfire.com. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

SUNDAY SELFIE SUPERSTAR - All of Terrene is clicking away and making duck faces, looking for the best selfie! Liz is confident that he'll win the contest, until a long-forgotten figure from his past returns! Say cheese! Subscribe for free at getkidscorner.com. At www.kidscorner.net, download two of our best free resources: the KC Sketch book and the KC Summer Fun Book.

THE LABORERS IN THE VINEYARD - We spend most of our lives caring about what's fair. But Jesus uses our human penchant for fairness to convict our hearts and reveal the wonderful, sometimes disconcerting truth about God's grace and salvation through the parable of the laborers in the vineyard from Matthew 20. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

Reordering Curriculum - Fall is quickly approaching, and there is still time to order resources for the upcoming ministry year, including Bible studies and children's ministry curriculum. All CRC churches currently qualify for an automatic 15 percent discount on nearly everything in the Faith Alive catalog, including DWELL curriculum, which helps children in preschool through middle school grow in their faith. Chat your questions, download free samples, and learn more at FaithAliveResources.org/Order or call 800-333-8300 for help with ordering.

DUTCH HYMN SING - You are cordially invited to come to the 13th annual Dutch Hymn Sing on Wednesday, August 30, at 1:30 p.m. at Westmount Christian Reformed Church, 405 Drury Lane, Strathroy, Ontario. Come and join people from all over SW Ontario in singing praise to God in the language of your youth, and songs you still treasure in your heart. There will be opportunity to choose your favourites! Refreshment and fellowship follows the program. Come and bring friends! For more information contact Marianne Kingma at 519-245-0139 or jmkingma7@gmail.com

Young Adult Camping - Young Adults of Southern Ontario are invited to a camping trip happening August 25-27 at Bronte Creek Provincial Park. Come out and connect with the great outdoors and other young adults! Space is limited to 50 people, so first come, first served! There is an early bird price of \$55 until August 9, and a later price of \$65 after. Check out the event on the Young Adult Winter Retreat page on Facebook for more details, or email us at swoya20@gmail.com.

Pastor Church Resources - Whether your church is in a season of growth, transition or challenge, Pastor Church Resources (PCR) has tools to help you as you discern next steps. A number of resources, including three different types of grants, are available to pastors, churches and ministry leaders. For more information call toll free 877-279-9994 x 2837, email Rachel at rschelhaas@crcna.org or go to www.crcna.org/pcr.

Position Opening in Honduras - Are you a bilingual (English and Spanish) skilled leader with a gift for developing cross-cultural ministry strategies and policies? Do you have experience in providing oversight and direction to staff and partners on community development projects? World Renew, an agency of the Christian Reformed Church in North America (CRCNA), has a full time opening for a Country Consultant based in Honduras. For information, or to apply, please visit our website at www.worldrenew.net/careers. Application deadline is September 3, 2017.

Project Manager Opportunity in Burlington - Are you an experienced Project Manager and passionate about developing and submitting detailed funding proposals in a disaster response context? If so, this could be the role for you. World Renew, an agency of the Christian Reformed Church in North America (CRCNA), has a full time opening for a Project Manager on the International Disaster Response team, based in Burlington, Ontario, Canada. Please visit our website at www.worldrenew.net/careers for more information, or to apply.

SHORT-TERM VOLUNTEER - Are you 18 to 24 years old and interested in embarking on a short-term volunteer opportunity with life-long impact? World Renew's Global Volunteer Program provides opportunities to live, work, eat, and play in an international community while exploring how God wants you to use your talents and skills for His purpose. For more information, contact Andrew at globalvolunteer@worldrenew.net.

