



Camp MiVoden Open Team

Dates: May 10-21, 2015

Location: Hayden Lake, Idaho



Information Packet

Thank you for your interest in the Camp MiVoden project, one of our many efforts based in North America. Each year, Maranatha works with organizations in the United States and Canada to provide volunteer labor for various construction or renovation projects. Typically, these North America projects provide lodging and meals to participants.

Project Overview

Nestled in the mountains of Idaho and on the shore of beautiful Hayden Lake, Camp MiVoden is the summer home for hundreds of campers each year. Along with being a summer camp, Camp MiVoden is also a retreat center that welcomes church teams, youth groups, and Pathfinder clubs for a relaxing getaway. While the setting of this camp is gorgeous, the large numbers of annual visitors has caused much wear and tear on the camp.

Volunteers are needed to assist with the renovation of Camp MiVoden. Projects include landscaping the skate park, indoor and outdoor painting and staining, building and installing new bunk beds, installing new shower curtains around camp, repairing and building lake docks, cleaning and setting up the horsemanship camp, and starting a new fence at the Equestrian Center.

Accommodations

There is space for approximately 60 volunteers on this project. Volunteers will stay in the beautiful cabins and dormitory at Camp MiVoden. There are also fourteen RV sites with electric and water hookups available for those wishing to bring their RV.

Expenses

The only costs to volunteers are the travel expenses to and from Hayden Lake. Three meals a day, accident insurance, and local housing are free in exchange for your volunteer labor.

Leadership

Construction Superintendent: Jerry Wesslen

Project Coordinator: Melody and Doug Wheeler

Local Contact: Bruce Christensen, camp manager

About Hayden Lake, Idaho

Attractions

The American northwest is a great place to find outdoor adventure. Volunteers may choose to arrive early or leave a few days after the project conclusion to appreciate local sights and activities. Feel free to make your own arrangements for some of these or other popular area attractions.

Riverfront Park: Located in downtown Spokane, this park occupies 100 acres of land and water. There are pathways along the river and near waterfalls, sculpture parks, nice picnic areas, and ponds with ducks to feed. There are also many attractions in the park including a sky ride over Spokane Falls, a carousel, an IMAX theater, and amusement rides.

Northwest Museum of Arts and Culture: This museum in Spokane features five exhibition galleries highlighting regional history and American Indian culture.

Mount Spokane State Park: Located about an hour from Camp MiVoden, this state park is nestled in nearly 14,000 acres of the Selkirk mountains. Activities include hiking and biking, horseback riding, and snow activities in the winter.

Lake Coeur d'Alene: Located only about 30 minutes from Hayden Lake, this pristine mountain lake has beautiful water access. Activities include exploring the nearby parks, swimming, taking a lake cruise, hiking on the trails, and shopping and eating at the nearby resort.

Tubbs Hill Nature Trails: Located in downtown Coeur d'Alene, this two mile trail loop is an easy way to get a taste of the northwest wilderness. The loop has several historical points along the way.

Weather

Average temperatures for Camp MiVoden during May average in the low 40's to high 60's Fahrenheit, so plan for just about any type of weather. Rainstorms are fairly common in May, so pack rain gear and a warm jacket just in case. Of course, current weather conditions can change at any time, so we recommend that you check the 10-day forecast before leaving to ensure that you are prepared for the most current weather conditions in Hayden Lake.

Travel Information

Flights

If you are planning on flying to the project, the closest airport is Spokane, Washington (airport code GEG), approximately 45 minutes from Hayden Lake. Please send your itinerary to volunteer@maranatha.org so pick up arrangements can be made.

Project Address:

MiVoden Summer Camp and Retreat Center
17415 E Hayden Lake Rd
Hayden Lake, ID 83835

Safety

Maranatha has a very high safety record on the worksite. This is, in part, because we require everyone on the construction site to wear a hard hat and gloves at all times. Please also wear appropriate safety equipment for the work tasks and wear sturdy shoes. Exercise caution while working on the construction site and be careful when working on or around ladders or scaffolding.

Thank you for putting safety first!

Chartis World Wide Insurance Coverage

All volunteers will be covered by accident insurance from the time they arrive at the project until their departure. This is a secondary policy, which means all claims will first be processed through your primary policy.

This secondary policy does not have a deductible for medical charges; however, it does carry a \$250 per occurrence deductible for dental charges.

Maximum Benefits:

Accidental death or dismemberment	\$75,000
Medical/dental expenses	\$100,000
Medical evacuation	\$250,000
Repatriation (in the event of a death)	\$25,000

Please refer to the brochure, labeled "Chartis Assist," for more information on the services provided.

Chartis Assist Information

Phone:	877-832-3523 [toll free] 715-295-1194 [collect]
Group:	Maranatha Volunteers International
Policy Number:	913 59 27

Purchasing Maranatha Insurance

Maranatha mission projects are construction projects where people can get hurt. Accident insurance is essential. It is not possible for Maranatha to analyze everyone's policy to see whether his or her insurance is current and the coverage is in effect at the location of the mission project. The Maranatha Board of Directors decided that the safest route was to require everyone to purchase the secondary coverage that we carry. The cost of this coverage is provided free of charge to Maranatha volunteers on projects in North America.

Emergency Contact

If family members need to get in touch with you while you are at the project, they can contact the Maranatha office at (916) 774-7700. For emergency calls after hours, call (916) 774-7798. Please provide your family with these numbers prior to leaving for the project.

Skills And Packing List

Skills

Skills or experience in the following areas would be helpful:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> General construction and repairs | <input type="checkbox"/> Carpentry | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Painting | |

Items to Bring

The following is a list of tools that will be helpful on this project. If you can bring any of these items, it would be appreciated. Be sure to mark each tool with your name since many look alike. If you cannot bring the items listed below, please be considerate when borrowing tools from other volunteers.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Nail apron | <input type="checkbox"/> Chalk line | <input type="checkbox"/> Rake |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hammer (waffle-faced is best) | <input type="checkbox"/> Saws-all types | <input type="checkbox"/> Shovel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tape measure | <input type="checkbox"/> Skill saw | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping and gardening tools |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Level | <input type="checkbox"/> Handsaw | <input type="checkbox"/> Electric cord |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Utility knife | <input type="checkbox"/> Drill-small hand (3/8' or 1/4') | <input type="checkbox"/> Gloves |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carpenter pencil | <input type="checkbox"/> Step ladder (6-8 ft) | <input type="checkbox"/> Hard hat* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small square | <input type="checkbox"/> Painting supplies | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stapler (hammer tacker) | <input type="checkbox"/> Broom for cleanup | |

*Required

Registration

To register, please complete the online application or mail or fax the attached paper application to the Maranatha office. Approximately 60 volunteers can be accommodated on this project. Please wait for confirmation from Maranatha before making travel plans.

Contact Information

Phone: (916) 774-7700

Fax: (916) 774-7701

Email: volunteer@maranatha.org

Mail:

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Roseville, CA 95678

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