

Camp Yavapines Open Team

Information Packet

Location: Prescott, Arizona Project Dates: April 5–13, 2017



Thank you for your interest in the Camp Yavapines 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

Camp Yavapines has been serving children, youth, and adults since 1947. The facilities offer a variety of accommodations, ranging from quaint cabins and bunk lodges to RV and tent sites. Arizona and the surrounding states have enjoyed a long history of a ten-day annual camp meeting at Camp Yavapines. The camp is in need of continual maintenance and repair to ensure it remains an active summer camp and retreat center. With Maranatha's help, Yavapines is able to focus available funds on materials for repairs and not on labor, which stretches their limited means to complete necessary projects.

On this project, volunteers will divide into several teams to complete renovation projects around camp including drywall work, plumbing, roofing, landscaping, painting, framing, and concrete work.

Accommodations

There is space for approximately 60 volunteers on this project. Volunteers will stay in the beautiful cabins at Camp Yavapines. There are also many RV sites with full hookups available for those wishing to bring their RV.

Expenses

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

Leadership

Project Coordinator: Carolyn Houghton **Construction Superintendent:** Art Finch

Project Cook: Dolores Morgan

Local Contact: Scott Blake, camp manager

About Prescott, Arizona

Attractions

Nestled within the majestic pines of Thumb Butte and adjacent to Prescott National Forest, Prescott is a beautiful region of Arizona. Volunteers may choose to arrive early or leave a few days after the project concludes to appreciate local sights and activities. Feel free to make your own arrangements for some of these popular area attractions.

Watson Lake | This beautiful lake is located just four miles north of downtown Prescott. The recreation area includes hiking trails and picnic tables as well as bike, kayak, and canoe rentals.

Prescott Peavine National Recreation Trail | Winding through the Arizona brush and the impressive Granite Dells, this 9-mile, level trail is perfect for biking or hiking.

Prescott National Forest | Explore this forest, which is comprised of 1.25 million acres of diverse landscape. The Sonoran desert dominates the lowest elevations, but as the elevation rises, junipers and Ponderosa pine dominate the area. Throughout the forest there are hiking and camping opportunities.

Weather

During April, temperatures for Camp Yavapines average in the 60's Fahrenheit but can dip into the low 40's and 30's in the evenings and early mornings. Rainstorms are not common in April, so the trip should be fairly dry. 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 Prescott.

Travel Information

Flights

If you are planning on flying to the project, the closest airport is Prescott Regional Airport (airport code PRA), a 15-minute drive from Camp Yavapines. You can also fly into Phoenix (PHX), but you will need to take a shuttle to Prescott so that camp staff can meet you and take you to the camp.

Please send your itinerary to volunteer@maranatha.org, so pick up arrangements can be made.

Shuttle Information

There is a shuttle service that runs daily between Phoenix and Prescott.

Arizona Shuttle (800) 888-2749

24 hr reservation 23 scheduled round trips daily \$37 one-way

All info on their website: www.arizonashuttle.com

Project Address:

2999 W. Iron Springs Rd Prescott, AZ 86305

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!

AIG 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 "AIG," for more information on the services provided.

AIG Information

Phone: 877-832-3523 [toll free]

715-295-9817 [collect]

Group: Maranatha Volunteers International

Policy Number: SRG 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 or experience in the following areas would be helpful:

Drywall Work	Painting
Plumbing	Framing
Roofing	Concrete Work
Landscaping	General Construction

Items to Bring

Tool List

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.

	Nail apron		Handsaw			
	Hammer (waffle-faced is best)		Drill-small hand (3/8" or 1/4")			
	Tape measure		Step ladder (6-8')			
	Level		Painting supplies			
	Utility knife		Broom for cleanup			
	Carpenter pencil		Rake			
	Small square		Shovel			
	Roofing hatchet		Landscaping tools			
	Stapler (hammer tacker)		Electric cord			
	Chalk line		Gloves			
	Saws (all types)		Hard hat*			
	Skill saw					
*Required						
General Packing List						
Th	is is not comprehensive of all that you may choose to	brin	ng, but the following is a list of several items that			
have been most helpful to volunteers in the past.						
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	Good disposition and flexible attitude		Light jacket			
	Work pants and shirts		Flip flops or sandals			
	Hard hat and gloves		Dress clothes for Sabbath			
	Sunglasses or safety glasses		Personal toiletries and sunblock			
	Good, closed-toe working shoes		Water bottle			
_	Hat		Camera			
	ID and personal insurance information		Bible			
	A copy of this packet with Maranatha insurance		Bedding: twin sheet, blanket, or sleeping bag			
_	information and project addresses		Towel and washcloth			
	Personal prescribed medication and any over the		Small pillow			
_	counter medication you use regularly		Small alarm clock			
	Casual shirts, pants, and shorts		Earplugs			
\Box	Underclothes					

Registration

To register, please complete the online application or call to register over the phone. Please wait for confirmation from Maranatha before making travel plans.

Contact Information

Maranatha Volunteers International Phone: (916) 774-7700 990 Reserve Drive Fax: (916) 774-7701

Suite 100 Email: volunteer@maranatha.org

Roseville, CA 95678

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HARD HAT \$11



This MSA V-Gard hard hat, with Staz-On suspension, ensures excellent shock absorption on the job site.

WATER BOTTLE \$15



The autospout water bottle by Contigo features a one-touch-button spout for convenient one-handed drinking. It also has a spout shield to protect the spout from debris and dirt when not in use—perfect for the project site.

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