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# ROAM *Chronicles*

## Kile's Corner



“Greetings once again from the pen of your president. I have come across a devotion that I am using which is 21 days of fasting and praying and it’s titled “Open Heaven,” by Christian Man. The main idea of this devotion is to do a lot of soul-searching and reevaluating of our lives and making sure that we are walking according to God’s leadership and direction. We need to make sure that our lives are reflecting Jesus wherever and whatever we’re doing.

I am so proud that I have the opportunity to work with this organization called ROAM. I have crossed paths with many of you and I am so impressed with the quality and the character of those I meet and work with. Because of your attitudes and your influence on my life, I can sense and feel changes for the better. I want to thank you all for being a part of ROAM.

God bless, have a great day, and be safe. Protect yourself in this bitter cold snap that we’re encountering and also with this pandemic called COVID-19.

In His Service,  
Ed

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## Annual ROAM Board Meeting

The ROAM board met in September of 2020 by conference call. Newly elected board members David and Becky Pitts were also invited to participate in the call. It was great connecting with each other, even if not meeting in the same location.

Officers for 2021 were elected with the following results.

ROAM President: Ed Kile

ROAM Vice-President: Alan Miner

ROAM Board Secretary: Ruth Kile

ROAM Treasurer: Fran Reimer

The ROAM board also discussed which regions would be covered by which ROAM board member representatives. The details of these regional assignments as well as contact information for the regional representatives can be found on the ROAM website under The Board tab.

[www.rvsonamission.org](http://www.rvsonamission.org)

## Adrian Camp and Conference Center

By Ruth Kile

A lot has been accomplished recently by a number of ROAMers who have been working at the Adrian camp in Georgia.

Fred Langmaid arrived in January, and he did many projects around the grounds. He repaired sheetrock in the ceiling of the Snack Shack, installed fresh batteries in smoke detectors in several buildings, installed new outdoor wall sconces, and worked many hours fabricating new clothesline racks for the dorms.



Ed and Ruth Kile and Randall Johnson arrived in February. Ed and Ruth painted, installed new wall plugs and conduit, and repaired a water-damaged wall. Randall gutted and renovated the office restroom and installed a hot water heater for that room.

Frances and Bruce Hoffman arrived for March, and the entire group is working on cleaning and continued repair work, preparing for the camp's first event which will take place at the end of the month.



For fun, the group traveled together to Savannah, Georgia, and took a trolley tour of Old Town, eating lunch at Paula Deen's "The Lady and Sons Restaurant." A great outing!

Hosts Jeff and Peggy Croft have welcomed them warmly, and it is a pleasure to work with them.

## New Members

Mark and Margretta Bromley - Keene, NH

Mark and Cynthia Davisson - Noblesville, IN

## ROAMers Are Still ROAMing

Did you know that ROAMers donated over 15,000 hours of labor to ROAM projects across the country between the months of Oct 2019 and Sep 2020? We are so grateful that even with COVID restrictions, ROAMers continued to work at camps, churches, and other ROAM approved organizations. If you would like to see the details of which ROAMers worked which projects, visit our ROAM website at [www.rvsonamission.org](http://www.rvsonamission.org), click on the Projects tab, then on the "Hours Donated" link.

If you, or anyone you know, would like to donate your time and labor while traveling across the country, simply complete the process to become a ROAM member (as designated on our ROAM website under the "Membership" tab, and you can easily be on your way. The cost of your RV space or lodging will be covered while you work at ROAM projects.

## Three Easy Ways to Support ROAM

As you know, ROAM is a donation-based ministry. Here are three ways, other than annual dues, to financially support ROAM.

Donations. You can give any amount you want on our secure Giving Page.

Café Press. If you are interested in buying items (shirts, hats, mugs) with the ROAM logo on them, you should check out our shop on Café Press. [www.cafepress.com/roamers](http://www.cafepress.com/roamers). ROAM makes a little bit off each sale.

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- 3) Tap 'AmazonSmile' and follow the on-screen instructions to complete the process

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