



ROAM Newsletter

Summer 2024

Randy Woods – 2024 ROAM President

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Greetings,

Lately I have been reminded of the song "Count Your Blessings". Count them one by one and see what the Lord has done. Three weeks ago, we added our eleventh grandchild. What a miraculous gift they are! I know that this is only one of the daily miracles God provides to each of us moment by moment. Some stand out more than others, but we are to count them all as precious moments given to us by

the hand of God. Thank you, Lord!

Summer has begun and there are several projects that have recently requested help with specific tasks, so we encourage ROAMers to consider these options as they plan their travels.

We also know that there have been, and currently are, ROAMers working at various locations across the country. We will be endeavoring to obtain even more detailed reports of their time spent at projects in order to spread the word even more efficiently about what the ROAM ministry is doing at churches, campgrounds and other types of projects. And we do hope to recruit even more ROAM members since our membership is down from previous years.

In an effort to spread the word further about the ROAM ministry, with the help of a couple of outstanding men at the Global Ministries Center (GMC) of the Church of the Nazarene, a new link to our ROAM website has been placed on the official Church of the Nazarene website in a more visible location than where it was a few years ago before the redesign of the website. The GMC website address for this new link is <https://nazarene.org/teams/collaborative-ministries>.

The ROAM ministry was also recently offered an exhibit booth at the upcoming M25 Nazarene Leadership Conference which will take place in Kansas City, MO, on February 10 - 12, 2025. If anyone would like to help us promote ROAM at this event, please let us know.

God is Good! All the time! We look forward to hearing and seeing some of the work that ROAMers are providing to help build the kingdom of God.

In His Service,

Randy Woods
ROAM President

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Mt. Chestnut Nazarene Retreat Center

Gary and Patti Bohannon

Our time at Mt. Chestnut Nazarene Retreat Center, Butler, PA has come to an end.

We've really enjoyed our time here and had some great fellowship. I spent most of my time keeping the grounds mowed.

If you're able and can give them a little of your time this summer they'd be grateful. We are blessed!



New Members

Dennis Brant -- Show Low, AZ

Jed and Tracy Colby -- Searsport, ME

Christopher and Janette Martin -- Rockledge, FL

Terrence and Sandy Sowers -- Springfield, OH

Foothills Camp and Retreat Center

Dan and Marlis Williams



It was exciting to serve with other ROAMers on a project.

Foothills has a variety of projects for all skill levels--painting, cleaning, building repairs including minor carpentry, plumbing, etc.

This area of Tennessee is a perfect stop either way for snowbirds. April and May are perfect months to prepare the camp and buildings for the busy summer months and preparation for fall.



The location of the camp allows easy access to Maryville and Knoxville, TN for plenty of shopping and site seeing. We are looking forward to coming back next year.

Facilities coordinator (Michael Mayfield) is EXCELLENT to work with. He is a great people person!

(pictured are Dan and Marlis Williams, Ron and Lisa Haley, and Doug and Kim Hodge)

Donate to ROAM

As you know, ROAM is a donation-based ministry. We rely on donations above and beyond annual dues to continue the work of ROAM. You can give any amount you want through the secure links on the home page of the ROAM website.

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