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Friday Afternoon

CAMPERS, WE’LL MISS YOU!

This week, we played together, sang together, ate together, and prayed together. Listening to your enthusiastic voices singing in choir...seeing your energy at Super Games...admiring your creativity in the art room...watching your effort and practice to learn new musical skills...hearing you praise God in chapel...seeing you form friendships and care about each other...these are things it has been our privilege to be a part of. Thank you for working together with us to make this week a celebration of singing and praising God. We’ll miss you, and we hope to see you back next year!

Did you know that you can go to college on the Choral Camp campus? You can even graduate! Brittany did, and Aaron’s on his way. If you’ve learned to sing really well, you can tour with the Rosedale Chorale. Ask Ken Miller—he’s the Chorale director.

Siblings Aaron & Brittany Tull are counselors this summer at Choral Camp!
New Choral Camp Campership Fund to Help Campers in Need

Choral Camp has been as joyful and fun filled as ever this year. However, for many, including some families of this year’s campers, this has been an especially difficult time. The global economic crisis has had an effect on the family budgets of many, and sometimes that has made the decision to come to Coral Camp a tough one.

Choral Camp remains a real bargain compared to similar programs, thanks in good part to all of our great volunteers and to Rosedale Bible College support. But for families who have suddenly lost their income, paying camp tuition and travel expenses can become burdensome.

That is why the Choral Camp leadership team has created a new Campership Fund. Beginning next summer (2010), families facing economic hardship can apply for tuition help for Choral Camp in the form of Campership grants. “We want every child to enjoy the fun and spiritual growth Choral Camp has to offer.” said Dan Ziegler, President of RBC. “No child should miss out because of an inability to pay.” Families facing economic hardship can request a simple Campership Fund request form from the Choral Camp office. Campership grants will then be distributed based on family need and the availability of funds.

Money for the fund will come annually from the College, and from gifts given as a part of this year’s special Choral Camp giving project. Anyone interested in donating to help with this project is encouraged to send a check to RBC earmarked for the Campership fund.

Conservative Mennonite Conference
welcomes Choral Campers to
Annual Conference 2009

- Children’s Choir
- Fun Activities

July 23-26, 2009
Iowa Mennonite School
Kalona, Iowa

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QUOTE OF THE WEEK
Camper to Mrs. Regina Yutzy-Wolfer: “We really like your class—we don’t have to learn anything in there.”

- by Zaundra Stoltzfus