

Take One

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Special Interest:

• **Volunteers Needed**

There are many ways to help serve the ministry of Alta Mons. We have seasonal and yearly needs. Contact the office for more details.

• **Meal Servers**

Volunteer meal servers/dishwashers needed for upcoming Buffet Meals. If you are interested, call the office for more information.

• **Office Help**

Alta Mons is looking for volunteers in the office to help with regular mail-outs and envelope stuffing. Call the office if you are able to help out in this area.

• **Online Events calendar** visit www.altamons.org and click Events Calendar.

• **Facebook and Twitter:** visit us at *Alta Mons* or see what *Willie Jack* has to say. **New volunteer pictures added.**



CAMP CAMP POST

Providing Space to Experience God!

“By the breath of God ice is given, and the broad waters are frozen fast. Job 37:10

Notes from the Post

February saw the beginning of the **Sunday Lenten lunch series**. The dining hall with visible wooden rafters, hanging quilts and beautiful stone fireplace makes a perfect setting for these meals. Family groups, church groups and friends from the community can be found gathered around the fire place, listening to the live blue grass music and enjoying a relaxing time of fellowship. Each lunch has a soup, salad, main meal, desserts and drinks with live music and a short Lenten devotion. This year

the lunches, following the Lenten season, are focused on the theme of ‘Handle with Care’. Each week we are looking at a different topic within this theme of environmental stewardship. Handle with Care is both our year long theme and the theme of the 2010 Summer Camp. We invite you to join with us one Sunday or come for the whole series as we listen, learn, enjoy great food and watch the changing season.

Peace, The Alta Mons Staff

Up Coming Events

Lenten Lunches – Sunday afternoons in February and March

New start time 1:00pm-2:30pm.

Call to make reservations.

Rescheduled

Paul Bunyan Day – March 27th 2010

9am-afternoon, Lunch provided.

A full day of fellowship and preparing Alta Mons for Spring. Bring chain saws, wood splitters, and trucks to clear trails and haul wood.

RV Season Opens Apr 1st 2010

We look forward to the beginning of RV and tent camping season. RV sites with water and electric hook-ups will be open from April 1st. Can wait till then? Join us for dry camping with electric hook-up only.

Friends Membership

Do you camp 16 days or more? Consider becoming an RV Friend. Membership includes early booking and camping throughout the Apr-Oct season for 1 flat rate. Call for more information.

Green Up Day – Saturday, April 24th

9am-3pm, Lunch provided, suitable for all age groups

Celebrate “Earth Day Week” by helping “green-up” the camp. This event is focused around environmental stewardship. The morning provides an opportunity for volunteering centered on being ‘green’ such as spreading mulch, landscaping flower beds, trash hikes, cleaning up the creek and recycling. Lunch is followed by talks and workshops centered on the environmental stewardship theme, Christian and spiritual living.

We would love to hear your thoughts and suggestions for the Newsletter or ideas about how to make services or activities better. More information about Alta Mons activities and services can be found on the web.

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2010

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (HIGHLIGHTED ON CALENDAR)

- January**
 - Summer Staff Reunion: Fri. Jan 8-9
 - District Leadership Training: Sat. Jan 9
 - February**
 - Sunday Lenten Lunches: Feb 7, Feb 14, Feb 21, Feb 28
 - March**
 - Sunday Lenten Lunches: Mar 7, Mar 14, Mar 21, Mar 28
 - Paul Bunyan Day: Sat. March 27
 - Dry Camping Season Ends: Mar 31
 - April**
 - RV Season Opens: Apr 1
 - Easter Sunday: Apr 4
 - UMW Spiritual Life Retreat Lunch: Sat. Apr 17
 - Green Up Day: Sat. Apr 24
 - May**
 - Memorial Day Weekend: May 28-30
 - Pool Opens: May 29
 - Memorial Day: Mon. May 31
 - June**
 - Summer Staff Training: June 24 - July 2
 - July**
 - 4th July event: Sat. July 3
 - Pool Open
 - Summer Camp:
 - July 4-9 Session 1
 - July 11-16 Session 2
 - July 18-23 Session 3
 - July 25-30 Session 4
 - August**
 - Pool Open
 - College Prep Event: Aug 5-7
 - September**
 - Labor Day Weekend: Sept 3-5
 - Pool Closes: Sept 5
 - Labor Day: Mon. Sept 6
 - October**
 - Fall Festival: Sat. Oct 2
 - RV Season Closes: Oct 31
 - November**
 - Annual Corporation Meeting
 - Dry Camping Begins: Nov 1
 - December**
 - Christmas Buffet Meals
 - Winter Camp: NEW for 2010
- Visit: www.altamons.org for more information on upcoming events



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