

Camp Omagh nurtures growing faith in God, while providing a place to develop friendships and enjoy God's creation.

Fall 2023



The Quarterly Newsletter of
Camp Omagh

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CHIRP

How your support helped Camp Omagh serve the community this season



250+ campers given access to good times, good friends, and the Good Book



Volunteers provided **22,608** hours of service representing **\$71,043**



117 meals that were delicious, nutritious, and prepared with love



240,000 litres in the pool plus **1200** litres daily top up



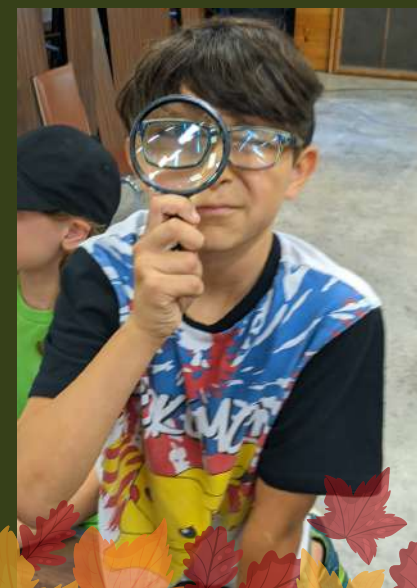
All this and more...THANK YOU!



Summertime



Smiles 2023





PRAY

Many of our campers only experience Jesus while at camp. Please pray for them and that Camp Omagh can continue to be a beacon in the community.



How can I help?

Camp Work Day

Join us **Saturday October 14th**
10am
to help close up Camp for the winter.



Be a Camp Omagh FRIEND+

Join the Corporation

Be part of our mission to nurture growing faith in God while we provide a place to develop friendships and enjoy God's creation.

Contact secretary@campomagh.org to apply

Donate

November 28th is Giving Tuesday!
And you can make a donation anytime, too!

Donate at campomagh.org/support

Join a Committee

We are currently looking for Camp Omagh enthusiasts with marketing, design, or social media skills and a heart for Jesus.

Contact amy@campomagh.org to learn more

2024 Here We Come!

Save these dates

Summer 2024 Schedule

- Jul 2-5 - 55+ Retreat
- Jul 5-7 - 19+ Weekend
- Jul 7 - BBQ Kick off
- Jul 8-12 - Day Camp
ages 7-12
- Jul 15-19 - Day Camp
ages 7-12
- Jul 21-27 - Overnight Camp
ages 8-10
- Jul 28-Aug 3 - Teen Week
- Aug 4 - Singspiration
- Aug 4-10 - Family Week
- Aug 11-17- Overnight Camp
ages 11-13
- Aug 18-24 - Overnight Camp
ages 11-13





We Remember



Condolences to the families of these Camp Omagh friends and supporters:

**Ada Binkley
Val Fleming
June Heuston
Bonnie Hibbard
Wil Maddeaux
Eugene Perry
Barbara Walker**

**from Oct 1, 2022-Sept 30, 2023
Please let us know of errors or omissions.*

In honour of Art and Ella Walker

by Sandy Smith (picture taken next to the old Johnstone Hall)

To say that Camp Omagh played an important part in the lives of Art and Ella Walker would be an understatement. The two of them met when William and Mabel Johnstone (Ella's parents) invited young people from neighbouring city churches to spend some time enjoying Bible study in the country air – Omagh Bible School in its infancy. Art was one of those “city boys”, and while they got to know more about the Bible, they got to enjoy each others' company as well. As the camp grew and moved across to the land on which it now stands, all three of their children, David, Russell, and Sandy enjoyed their summers at camp, both as campers and as counsellors. Ella helped prepare many meals, as she served in the kitchen over the years, and when Art became a high school teacher, he joined her. They brought their camper, parked it at the end of the McKerlie House, and they spent their summers as cooks for the camp.

Do you have a Camp Omagh story to tell? Please share it with us for possible inclusion in our next issue.