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passionately live the gospel and
grow spiritually and numerically.



Idaho Conference Camp Meeting 2021

David Prest Jr., President, Idaho Conference



"Remember Gethsemane!" is the theme for the 2021 Idaho Conference Camp Meeting. I invite you to join us June 8 – 12, on the campus of beautiful Gem State Adventist Academy, or virtually, depending on the circumstances relating to the Coronavirus.

Elder Lee Venden is the evening and Sabbath morning speaker for the English language Camp Meeting. Elder Venden serves as a Revivalist for the Arizona Conference, offering seminars as an aid to pastors and churches desiring to deepen a congregation's spirituality by assisting people in their personal walk with Jesus Christ.

Elder Robert Costa is the speaker for the Spanish language Camp Meeting. He is from It Is Written's Spanish language ministry, Escrito Esta.

A major battle regarding the cross took place between Christ and Satan in the Garden of Gethsemane. Jesus emerged victorious. He left Gethsemane resolute and focused on the completion of His earthly mission. Because of His sacrifice on Calvary's cross, you and I experience the generous grace of Jesus, and have the assurance of eternal life.

Several engaging speakers are scheduled for the daily meetings and seminars. Grant Agadjanian will speak on praying for our children and grandchildren. Jim Kilmer will present on *Fires of Pentecost on the Battlefield*. Beverly Sedlacek will present the health seminar. Dale Galusha will

look at the last 15 years of Ellen White's life at her home in Elmshaven. Friday afternoon will also feature an Adventist Book Center book and food sale in the gymnasium.

Evening mini concerts will feature local talent, bringing us an inspiring musical worship experience. Our Sabbath afternoon concert will be brought to us by the Victory Choir from the Oasis Seventh-day Adventist Church.

I love Camp Meeting! It is the annual gathering of God's people from Southern Idaho and Eastern Oregon and beyond. Meetings will be offered for our children and young people of every age group – beginners through young adults.

I look forward to seeing you at the 2021 Idaho Conference Camp Meeting, June 8 – 12, 2021, on the campus of Gem State Adventist Academy. Visit the Camp Meeting Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/idahocampmeeting/> or our website at www.IdahoAdventist.org.

We are planning different ways to have camp meeting this year, due to the coronavirus pandemic. We may be able to meet together as normal. We may move to a hybrid camp meeting, with smaller audiences with livestreaming, possibly at a different location than Gem State Adventist Academy. Or we may need to be completely virtual again, just using livestreaming. We will be making a decision on the format by March 15, 2021. Stay tuned for more information!

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An Education Update

Ellen Prest, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, Idaho Conference

Education around the world faced unprecedented challenges during 2020 and now in the beginning of 2021.

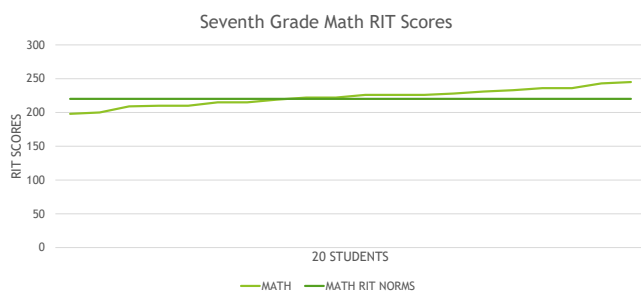
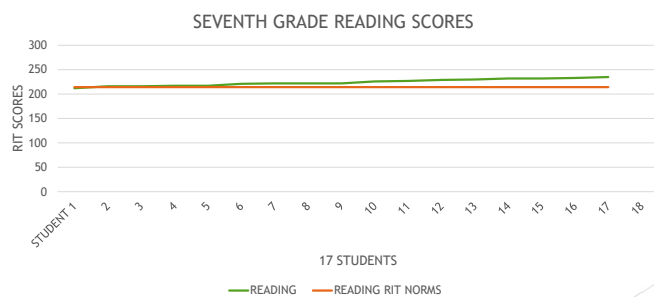
Educators met the need to quickly switch from in-person, to remote, or to a hybrid system. Teachers incorporated new regulations and safety protocols for their students and schools and navigated through the increased anxiety and stress of students and parents.

Our Adventist teachers in Idaho and Oregon have risen with excellence to this challenge. All our schools are now providing in-person education to their students, with remote options as needed. The academic, spiritual, emotional and social needs of our students continue to be the top priority of the Idaho Conference Education System.

The Idaho Conference transitioned this year to using the MAP (Measure of Adaptive Progress) Testing system instead of the ITBS Testing that was used in previous years. This testing is done three times per year and provides teachers, students, and parents with a RIT Score for each test the student takes. The RIT Score represents the level at which the student is ready to learn.

These tests help teachers know where students are weak and adapt instruction to help students gain academic competency.

ID Conference Seventh Grade MAPS Testing Results



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The Idaho Conference completed their first round of testing this fall. The results were good. Our scores reflected previous Adventist Education studies that indicate that test scores rise with the number of years a student is enrolled in an Adventist School. Ninety-four percent

of the seventh grade students and sixty-eight percent of eighth grade students in the Idaho Conference scored at or above the RIT Norms for their grade level in Reading. Sixty percent of both seventh and eighth grade students scored at or above the RIT Norms for their grade level in Mathematics.

Beyond the excellent academic education our schools continue to be centers of evangelism. Drawing students

towards Christ is the highest goal of Education. We want our students to see and feel Christ's love for them to walk through life with Christ.

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A Gem State Adventist Academy Update

Marta Stone, Gem State Adventist Academy



Despite all the ways school has had to be different this year, there are many highlights and innumerable blessings to report.

strict league guidelines for keeping everyone safe, including not allowing fans into games.

GSAA welcomed new principal, John Soule, as well as new Administrative Assistant/Registrar/Alumni Director, Teresa Soule.

School began as scheduled in August, and has continued with only two brief moves to virtual learning. Staff have worked hard to implement COVID protocols, adapt environments and curriculum, and provide a quality educational experience.

Fifty-four students currently make up the school family, with twenty of those living in the dorm at least part-time.

Some highlights of the year to date include:

The annual spiritual retreat to Camp Ida-Haven – a fun and important way to start off with the right focus and to bond together.

Senior Recognition weekend – modified for COVID, it was still a good weekend to recognize and dedicate the senior class.

Music department concerts – two on campus for families and streamed for the community, plus opportunities to travel to area churches for Sabbath morning services. All groups have done an excellent job at adapting to making music with masks in place!

Sports program – Girls Volleyball, Cross Country, Boys and Girls Basketball, and Intramurals have continued by adhering to



Senior projects - students are working on a variety of community-focused efforts – robotics club and ukulele lessons for elementary students, collecting donations for orphanages in Thailand and Guatemala, and many more!

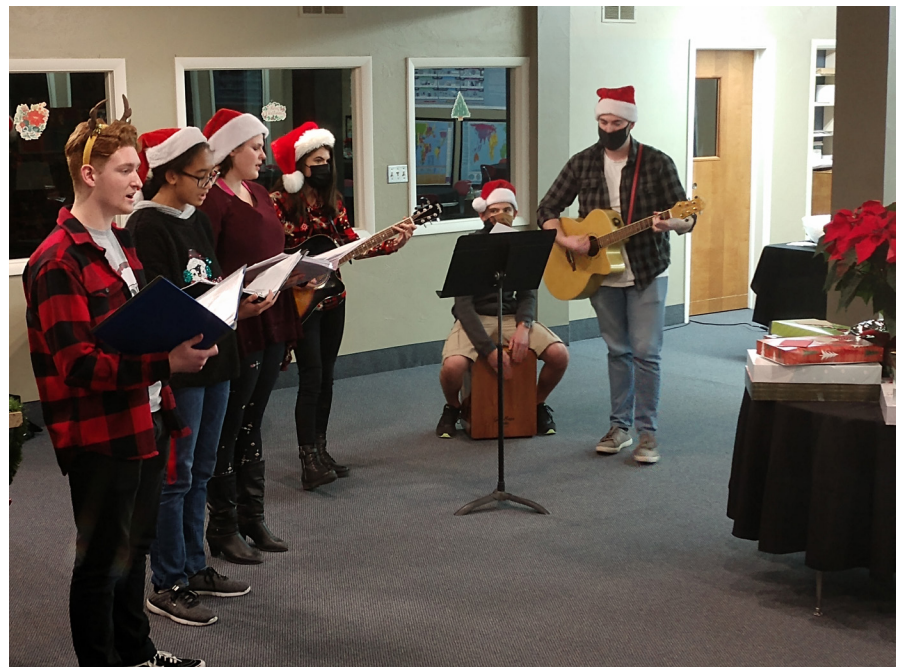
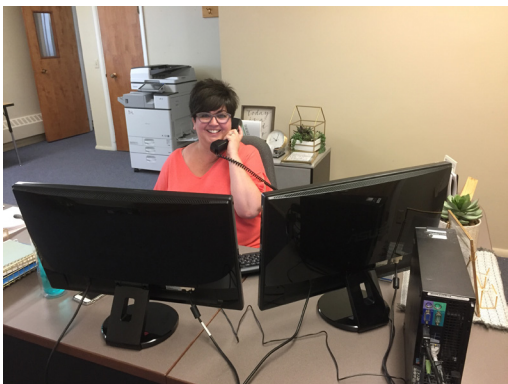
The spiritual life on campus continues to grow and flourish. Two worship leadership classes give students training and hands-on practice in music, preaching, and other facets of leading worship. Jeans Sabbath once/month provides outreach opportunities. The Week of Prayer speaker in November delivered relevant and meaningful messages daily via Zoom. Most exciting, all of heaven rejoices with students who have chosen to be baptized – one in August and one in January.

Volunteers who give sacrificially of their time and resources bless GSAA greatly. One big contribution this year has been equipment and time

commitments to live-stream many events that could not be opened for the community to attend.

GSAA is so thankful to the community for prayers and support, and very grateful to God for His continual guidance, protection, and provision.

If you know someone who should be part of the GSAA family, please have them call the school at 208-459-1627 or email tsoule@gemstate.org. School tours are available by appointment. The website is www.GemState.org.





Grant Agadjanian

Camp Meeting Guest Speaker — *Praying For Our Children*

Grant Agadjanian was born of Armenian parents and raised in Russia as an atheist. After college, he was drafted to serve in the Soviet Army in 1980. Following his compulsory service in the army in Siberia, he was seriously ill due to the harsh climate. He spent six years in and out of hospitals. At the end of six years of illness, doctors said he had one year to live.

At that time a friend gave him a Bible. For the first time in his life, he had a Bible. As he read it and looked at nature, he came to believe that there is a God. As he acted on the principles in the Word of God, his health began to improve. His wife, Anne, was always searching for knowledge to

improve his health and life. Through God's providence, she bought a book titled, *Family and Health* in Russian (which is the combination of *Ministry of Healing* and *Adventist Home* by Ellen G. White).

After moving to the United States, Grant and his family were ultimately baptized in December 1994. Grant currently serves as president of Creative Media Ministries and leads weekends of revival across the country. He will be speaking on Praying for Children.

For more of his conversion story, see the Camp Meeting page of <https://IdahoAdventist.org>.



Beverly Sedlacek

Camp Meeting Guest Speaker — *Health Ministries*

Beverly Sedlacek received her Doctorate in Nursing Practice from Andrews University. Her area of expertise is psychiatric nursing. She maintains a thriving private counseling practice, counseling hurting people in the areas of trauma, addiction, abuse, emotional problems and relationship and financial difficulties. Beverly serves as Clinical Director of Into His Rest Ministries, a Christian counseling ministry, where she conducts intensive weekend retreats with groups of women around the country, and frequently speaks at conferences and camp meetings around the world. She also writes.

She and her husband, David, have written a book and workbook entitled, *Cleansing the Sanctuary of the Heart: Tools for Emotional Healing*. When Beverly speaks, she is transparent about her own journey of healing and invites the courageous to join her in God's work of restoration and cleansing the sanctuary of our hearts. She is passionate about Jesus, and making Him a living, real Savior for young and old alike. She summarizes her life mission through the text Luke 4:18:

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and the regaining of sight to the blind, to set free those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."

Dr Sedlacek is our health speaker and will present on Wednesday and Thursday in the Academy Church from 3:15 – 4:45 pm and on Friday from 1:30 – 3 pm. She plans to discuss the body-mind connection, the Adverse Childhood Experience Study which has significant relevance to our health, and stress and how we handle it.



Jim Kilmer

Camp Meeting Guest Speaker — *Fires of Pentecost on the Battlefield*

Jim Kilmer's life can be summarized in four words -- service for the Savior. A native of Washington State, he helped advance the kingdom of God throughout the Pacific Northwest in multiple capacities, including pastoral evangelism and conference church growth leadership. His influence has also circled the globe via professorship roles in Africa and the Middle East, as well as short-term mission work in Russia. Though "retirement" has brought him back home, he still tirelessly strives to represent Christ as a mentor and freelance writer.

His most recent book, *Fires of Pentecost on the Battlefield*, shares miracle after miracle of the way the Holy Spirit is reaching souls through humble prayerful member ministers not only in overseas spiritual and actual battlefronts but right here in America.

For more information, see <http://jimkilmer.com>.



Dale Galusha

Camp Meeting Guest Speaker — *Ellen White's Last 15 Years*

At a very young age, Dale Galusha felt God's call and has spent his life in various aspects of ministry in the Seventh-day Adventist Church. During his academy and college days, Dale spent summers working at youth camps in Northern California. After graduating from Pacific Union College, he became a youth pastor in the Northern California Conference before attending the Theological Seminary at Andrews University. Upon completing the seminary, he returned to Northern California where he pastored and was conference evangelist.

He has conducted evangelistic meetings and field schools of evangelism in a number of countries around the world.

Since 1995 Dale has ministered in different capacities at Pacific Press Publishing Association. He has served as president of PPPA since 2005.

Dale will be looking at the last 15 years of Ellen White's life, when she was in her home at Elmshaven. The seminar asks: What would it have been like to have been Ellen White's neighbor at this time? What memories and impressions would they have taken away from their association with her? How does this impact how we view Ellen White today?



The Victory Choir

Camp Meeting Sabbath Afternoon Concert

On Sabbath afternoon at 3:30 pm in the Main Auditorium, The Victory Choir from the Oasis Adventist Church will bring their harmony and praise to us. You won't want to miss this!

The Victory Choir is a youth choir of Adventist refugees from Rwanda who have settled in Boise.

Guidelines to a Safe & Happy Camp Meeting

Safety:

Speed limit for all parking areas and roads on campus is 5 mph.

Your children should be under the supervision of a responsible adult at all times while on the academy campus or in the buildings.

Bicycles, skateboards, scooters, roller blades, etc. are not allowed on the campus.

Trees: please do not climb the trees.

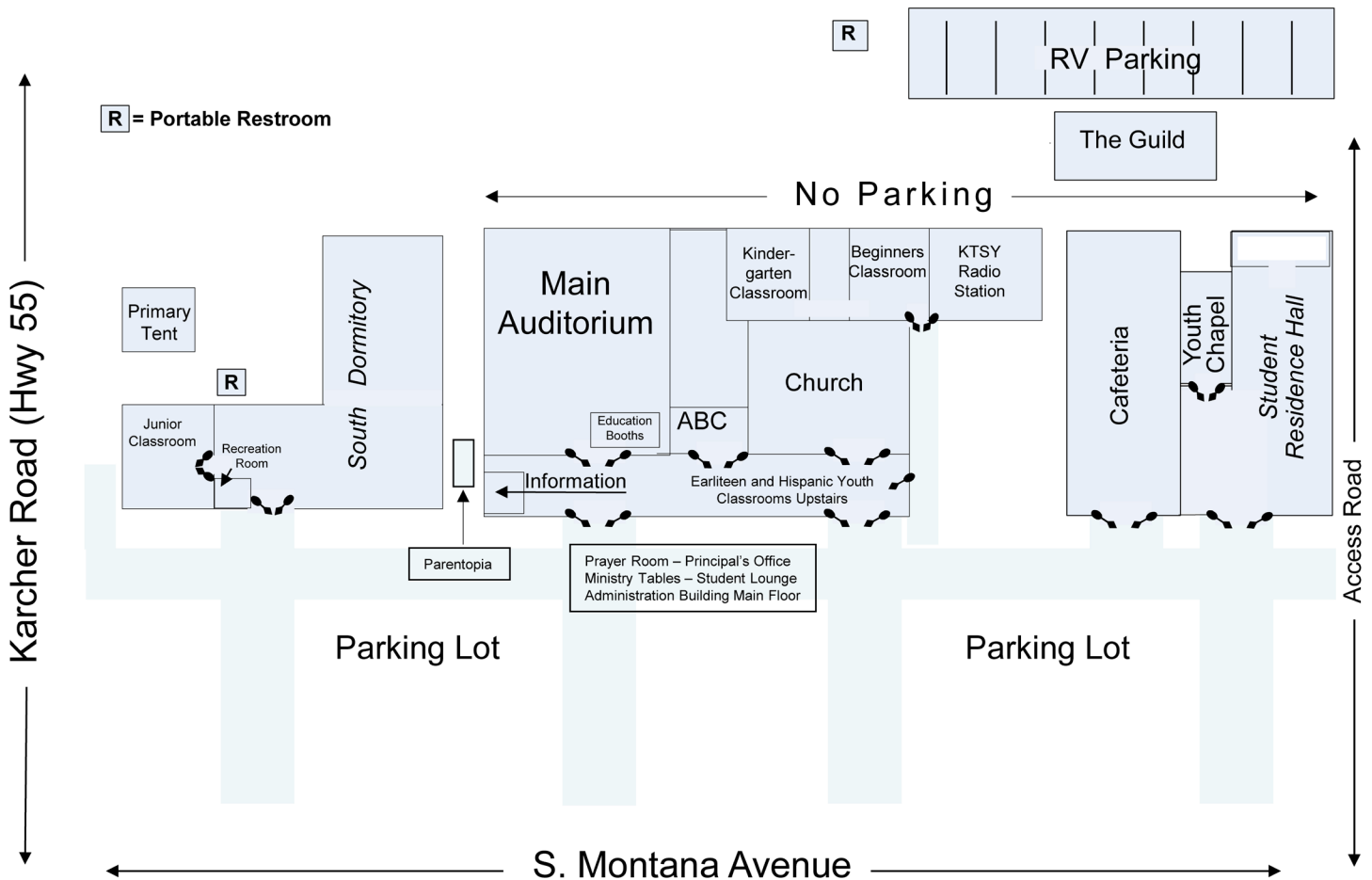
No firearms or fireworks are allowed on campus.

Please contact the Information Office in the event of an injury or medical emergency. If the emergency is life-threatening, please call 911, then notify the Information Office.

All motorhomes, trailers, campers, and tents are restricted to RV and tent sites.

Park in designated spaces only; please keep all fire lanes clear; handicap designation must be on display.

Academy and conference personnel will be on campus doing safety checks. If you see something that isn't right, please contact the Information office or the designated host of your area.



Gem State Adventist Academy
2021 Camp Meeting Map



Courtesy:

NEW: No animals except service dogs are allowed on campus (which includes the RV Park). A service dog is individually trained to perform a specific task for a disability. (www.ada.gov/service_animals_2010.htm)

Sales: all books, other printed materials, audio and video disks will be sold through the Adventist Book Center, or by those specifically cleared by Idaho Conference administration.

Please do not distribute literature without receiving approval of Idaho Conference administration.

A ministry, education, or other booth/display must be approved by Idaho Conference administration prior to camp meeting.

The use of tobacco, alcohol, drugs of abuse, vaping, e-cigarettes are prohibited in or near any building on campus. We acknowledge that some who are not members may use tobacco products or vape; please contact the Information Office for a designated area. While we discourage their use, we need to treat those who do in a kind, Christ-like manner.

Please honor the Sabbath hours by not moving in or out of a dormitory, or RV area, from sunset Friday evening through sunset Sabbath evening (Saturday).

Camp Meeting 2021 Adult Schedule

Time	Tue Jun 8	Wed Jun 9	Thur Jun 10	Fri Jun 11	Sab Jun 12
7 - 7:45 am	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast 7:30 - 8:15 pre-purchase meal tkts
8 - 9 am		Jim Kilmer - Academy Church			
9 - 9:15 am		Break	Break	Break	9:30 Sabbath School: Main Auditorium
9:15 - 10:45 am		Galusha - Acad Ch/Agadjanian - Main Aud/Kilmer - Tent			Young Adults - TBD
10:45 - 11 am		Break	Break	Break	10:45 am Lee Venden: Main Auditorium
11 am - 12 pm		Dale Galusha - Academy Church			11:00 am Spanish: Robert Costa: Academy Church
12 - 1 pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch 12:30 - 1:15: pre- purchase meal tickets
1:30 - 3:00 pm		Galusha - Acad Ch/Agadjanian - Main Aud/ Kilmer - Tent		Sedlacek - Health: Academy Church	3 - 3:30 pm Pathfinders/Adventurers - Main Auditorium
3:00 - 3:15 pm		Break	Break	Break	
3:15 - 4:45 pm		Beverly Sedlacek - Health: Academy Church		ABC Auditorium Sale	3:30 - 5 pm The Victory Choir - In concert: Main Auditorium
5:15 - 6:15 pm	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner - pre-purchase meal tickets
6:30 - 7 pm	Mini Concerts TBD - Academy Church	Mini Concerts TBD - Academy Church	Mini Concerts TBD - Academy Church	Mini Concerts TBD - Academy Church	Mini Concerts TBD - Academy Church
7:15 - 9 pm	Lee Venden: Main Auditorium - Tuesday through Sabbath evening				
Spanish Camp Meeting 7:30 pm	Robert Costa: Academy Church	Robert Costa: Academy Church	Robert Costa: Academy Church	Robert Costa: Academy Church	5:30 pm Robert Costa: Academy Church

Idaho Conference Camp Meeting Registration Form

June 8 - 12, 2021

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Home Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____
 Emergency Contact _____ Phone # _____
(Not at Camp Meeting with you)
 Vehicle License Plate # _____ State _____
 Email _____ I need help with my luggage

Mail to:

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\$20.00 deposit required to reserve room or space.
 Deposit is nonrefundable after May 20, 2021.

We accept only cash and checks. Make checks payable to Idaho Conference.

Balance is due at check-in.
 A \$5 refundable deposit per key is payable at check-in.

New "No Pet Policy"

No animals except service dogs are allowed on campus. Service dogs must be trained to perform a specific task for a disability.

For more information contact:
 Leanne Strickland
 Idaho Conference
 208-375-7524 Ext. 114
 Leanne.strickland@idconf.org

Please reserve the days I have checked:

- Full Camp Meeting (Tuesday, June 8 - Sabbath, June 12)
 Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Sabbath

Lodging (Check one):

	<u>Per Night</u>	<u>Full Time</u>	<u>Amount</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Residence	\$31	\$92	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> South Dorm	\$29	\$85	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> RV-Water/Elec(10 amp)/Sewer*	\$29	\$85	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> RV-Water/Elec(10 amp)*	\$23	\$64	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Tent Site (no utilities)	\$7	\$21	\$ _____
	Total Fees		\$ _____
* Length of RV _____	Deposit Paid		\$ _____
* # of Slide Outs _____	Balance Due		\$ _____
* RV License Plate # _____ State _____			

I have medical training and am willing to assist if needed.

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	Total Fees	\$ _____
	Deposit (Receipt # _____)	\$ _____
	Balance Due	\$ _____
	Key Deposit (\$5 x ___ # of keys)	\$ _____
	Balance Due	\$ _____
	Payment (Receipt # _____)	\$ _____
	Balance	\$ _____
	# of Keys Returned _____	
	Key Deposit Refunded	\$ _____

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Last Name _____

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2021 CAMP MEETING SURVEY

Surveys may be turned in to the Information Office at any time or placed in the boxes in the dorms.

Please evaluate the following speakers, seminars, music groups
and your overall reaction to the 2021 Camp Meeting.

	SPEAKER	EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE
Tuesday - Sabbath @ 7:15 pm	Lee Venden			
Wednesday - Friday, 8 am	Jim Kilmer			
Wednesday - Friday, 11 am	Dale Galusha			
Sabbath School	Sabbath School Lesson			
Sabbath Worship	Lee Venden			
Spanish meetings	Robert Costa			
Sabbath Afternoon	Pathfinders & Adventurers			
Beginners	Deborah Raymond			
Kindergarten	TBD			
Primary	Angel Acevedo, Michael Gee			
Juniors	Chris Evenson, Monte Wood, Lynn Bryson			
Teens	Jason Williams, Steve Echelmeier			
Youth	Tomm Lemon, Ever Perez			
Young Adults	Milton Marquez			

SEMINAR TOPICS	SEMINAR PRESENTERS	EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE
Fires of Pentecost on the Battlefield	Jim Kilmer			
Ellen White's Last 15 Years	Dale Galusha			
Health Ministries	Beverly Sedlacek			
Praying for Our Children	Grant Agadjanian			

	MINI CONCERTS & EVENTS	EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE
Tuesday	TBD			
Wednesday	TBD			
Thursday	TBD			
Friday	TBD			
Sabbath Concert	The Victory Choir			

Adventist Book Center	EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE
ABC Auditorium Sale			
ABC Business Hours			
Product Selection			

Please complete reverse side. Thank you!

