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Today's Forecast

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Thursday's Menu



Breakfast: Breakfast casserole, with ham, muffins, cereal, milk, juice

Lunch: Chicken strips, peaches, fudge brownie pudding cake with ice cream

Dinner: Macaroni and cheese w/ ham, green beans, peaches, brownies

“Music hath the charm to soothe a savage beast, but I'd try a revolver first.”

—Josh Billings

Thursday is Super Games Day!

7:30	Wake Up
8:00	Breakfast
9:00	Choir – library
9:30	Chapel
10:00	Time Capsule and Choral Camp Tree – Chapel
10:30	Session XV Yellow, Orange, Red – Music Class Green, Blue, Black – Choose-a-Spot Choir – Library
11:30	Choir – Library
12:00	Lunch
1:00	Session XVI Yellow, Orange, Red – Choose-a-Spot Green, Blue, Black – Music Class Choir – library
2:00	Choir – library
2:30	Super Games
5:15	Dinner
6:15	Recorder/Violin Classes
6:45	Session XVII Yellow, Orange, Red – Music Class Green, Blue, Black – Choose-a-Spot Room Break
7:45	Room Break
8:00	Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing – Lobby
9:00	Running Games – Whole Camp
9:30	Green, Blue, Black – Campfire Yellow, Orange, Red – Dorm Time
10:00	Yellow, Orange, Red – Lights Out Green, Blue, Black – Dorm Time
10:30	Green, Blue, Black – Lights Out



How To Get Wet

Most people most of the time try to avoid slipping on things like banana peels, mud, ice, or black plastic tarps slathered with soapy water. Yesterday, however, was an obvious exception with almost every choral camper sliding all over the place in the field. Sponges flew and feet slid for hours yesterday morning when Choral Camp hosted that most famous event, Get Wet.

Eyewitnesses reported that Camp Pastor Elmer was summarily trounced by a pile of highly dampened sponges and equally damp campers. Other reports told tales of numerous counselors and other staff members slipping to the tarp only to be pounced on and splashed by hordes of laughing campers.

Counselors and Campers alike were no doubt a bit exhausted after so much slipping, sliding, and sponging, but many admit that they would gladly Get Wet again, if given the chance.

— Daniel Ziegler, *Metro news*

“It was the best of times, it was the worst of times” Choral Camp teachers remember – a series

Jared Stutzman teaches choir and assists music director Ken Miller. His most memorable Choral Camp moment came last year.

“It was the very first time I led the choir at a recitation,” he said. “I started ‘Set Down, Servant’ without blowing the pitch.” The campers started singing anyway and came in on pitch, without even getting a cue.

“It was amazing!” said Jared. “I felt so dumb afterwards, but they made me look good.”

—Vicki Sairs, *Lifestyles correspondent*





Siblings from Sam and Cathy Miller family
Front: (l-r) Keidrick, Travette
Back: Corby, Cami, Shad

RECORD OF THE DAY

How many years have you come to Choral Camp? The most years an individual camper can come is seven years, because you are only eligible from the second through the eighth grade. But if you add all the camper years from a family, the numbers get a lot bigger.

One family has been racking up the camper years in part because five of the seven siblings are at camp this year. This is Cami's last year, and she adds six years to the family total. Shad also adds six years, and Corby adds five. Travette has been loving camp for three years, and Keidrick is here for the first time.

Add those numbers together and you get two records in one: Most siblings from one family (5) and most camper years from a single family (21)!

—*Kara Heatwole, staff writer*



It takes a special kind to be a counselor . . .

Room Inspections

Best room on each hall:

Strauss - #1 (Jessica Coblentz, Jaclyn Stoltzfus, Klarinda Stoltzfus)

Mozart - #4 (Kimberly Coblentz, Rebecca Graber, Abigail Miller, Danelle Murray)

Bach - #12 (Clark Stoltzfus, Mitchell Stoltzfus, Jalen Yoder)

Beethoven - #4 (Bryan Jones, Marshall Schrock, Spencer Schrock)

Handel - #10 (Lindsey Detweiler, Sarah Martin, Candace Stoltzfus, Michaela Stoltzfus)

Best Hall — Mozart (8 pts of 10)

Most Trashed Hall
Handel (3 pts of 10)



Happy 12th birthday to Thomas Miller!



What does **Omphaloskepsis** Mean

- “A kind of fungus or marshmallow”
— Kaelin Bender, *Camper*
- “Being very precise”
— Alexander Martin, *Camper*
- “A skeptical hippo”
— Andy Sommers, *Counselor*

Correct Answer:
Looking intently at one's navel
—*Courtesy of Surveys by Kara*

Talk to TORO!

Dear Toro,
What should I do if I get bored?
Bored Stiff



Dear Stiff,
If you're bored at Choral Camp, you could try to find a camp that rotates campers through activities

every 20 seconds instead of the every 40 seconds. If that doesn't work, you could spend some time in omphaloskepsis. Or making faces. That's what choral camp counselors do.

If that doesn't work, try memorizing pi to the 50th digit. Or try translating *Hine ma tov* into Yiddish—or Aramaic, if you're really, really bored.

If you're Bryan Jones, compose a choral masterpiece during Choose-A-Spot. If you're not Bryan Jones, eat some shaved ice and read some Nancy Drew.
—EL TORO

Need some bullish advice? Write your question or problem on a slip of paper addressed to Toro, and drop it in the Record box in the cafeteria.

