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DAILY **DEVOTIONAL**

Her name was Lynn and the first time I saw her I asked her a really dumb question: "Who is your father anyway?" I had been asked to escort her back to her accommodations and I couldn't think of anything to say—so I asked the stupid question. After a few moments of awkward silence she told me that her father was the local conference president and then, thankfully, the conversation moved on to other things. In spite of that chal-

> lenging beginning, Lynn and I became lifelong

You see the first time I ever saw her I was pushing her in her wheelchair. She had been born with a condition called "spina bifida." She was never

able to walk. However, what she lacked in mobility she more than made up with her intellect, her charm and her ability to engage people. I don't think that I ever spent a dull moment with her.

We actually took Lynn on many adventures including mountain climbing, swimming, hiking, bouncing on trampolines, multiple trips to the Dairy Queen, etc., etc., etc. She challenged our thinking, gave wise counsel and always encouraged us to pursue our goals—even if it put physical distance between us. She was such a faithful friend.

But she also had a faithful Friend. She loved God passionately and was an enthusiastic believer in the Second Coming of Jesus. One of her favorite statements was "Just wait!" Those two words simply meant that when Jesus comes things will change. No more wheelchairs, no more being unable to walk, but greatest of all the ability to walk and talk personally with Jesus—her Forever Faithful friend.

Guess what? Over the years I discovered Who Lynn's Father waseven though her earthly one was a wonderful man.

A very wise man once wrote, "It is of the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed for His compassions fail not, they are new every morning. Great 3:22-23). Wow!

Dan Jackson NAD President



Pathfinders attending the 2014 Forever Faithful International Camporee meet for the evening program, August 13, 2014 in Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

DRAMA SPOTLIGHT

Brian Robak, an actor and filmmaker from Nevada, plays Nebuchadnezzar in the Daniel production.

In 2012, Brian played King Saul at the North Pacific Union Conference Camporee, and it was there that he met Ron Whitehead. who told him about Oshkosh Camporee. Brian didn't grow up Adventist, and so he had never heard of it before, but when audition deadlines came last summer, he received an email from Betty Whitehead (Ron's wife and the Daniel story coordinator) two days before the deadline asking him to audition. Brian was working as a videography instructor and media director at Big Lake Youth Camp in Oregon at the time, so he took his day off and spent the whole day preparing a monologue. The next day he realized he had to have a musical number too, so he recorded the only thing he had ready—a song by the 70s band Queen!

When he learned he had received the part, it took a while to sink in. "It's one thing to read on a piece of paper, 'Brian-Nebuchadnezzar," he says. "It's another to see how many lines you have to memorize. And then there's the singing..."

Brian loves doing research on characters, and he finds Nebuchadnezzar especially inter-

Pin-teresting Times

Pin trading is one of the most popular and, to outsiders—one of the most unusual aspects of Camporee. People from 4 to 84, from nurses to Master Guides can all be seen with a smorgasbord of shiny metal pins festooning their hats, lanyards, vests and more. People collect sets, barter for rare finds, and bring elaborate creations with flashing lights, spinning pieces, and sliding objects to trade.

Many people, however, don't know about the history of pin trading. Pin trading originally started at the first modern Olympic Games in 1896 as badges that officials used to identify different countries. Soon athletes started trading national badges as a way of expressing friendship. In 1980, the Olympics began

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to allow spectators to collect and trade pins during the Games. Soon, it caught on in many different areas, such as Little League Baseball and Disneyworld.

Pin trading came to Pathfinders at the first NAD Pathfinder Camporee at Camp Hale, Colorado, in 1985. Clubs were encouraged to bring small objects such as fossils, rocks or marbles to represent their areas—and some of them brought pins. Unsurprisingly to the modern Pathfinder, the pins quickly became the most popular.



The Pin King is one of the largest vendor set ups at the 2014 FFIC.—PHOTO BRENT HARDINGE

DAILY **WEATHER**

SABBATH Scattered T-Storms

HIGH: 84° **LOW:** 58°





source: weather.com

CAMPOREE SCHEDULE

SABBATH, AUGUST 16

When	What	Who	Where
6 a.m.	Sunrise/Generators On	Everyone	Oshkosh
6-7 a.m.	Breakfast	LUC/OH Staff—Meal ID Required	Staff Cafeteria
6-6:45 a.m.	Staff Meeting	FFIC Admin & All Youth Dirs	Theatre in the Woods
7–7:30 a.m.	Staff Meeting	LUC/OH Staff	Camp Staff Tent
7 a.m.	Flag Raising	MAU/TED	by West Shower House
7:15-8 a.m.	Intl & Conference Worship/Announcements	Clubs	International Village & Campsite
8 a.m.–12 p.m.	Registration/Information	Everyone	Registration Building
8-8:45 a.m.	Baptism	Pre-Application Required	Main Stage
8:30-11:30 a.m. & 12-6 p.m.	On-Site Shuttle	Everyone	All Gates
8 a.m7:30 p.m.	Drumming On-Off	Everyone	Everywhere
(8 a.m. –10:45 a.m.)	Drumming Off	Everyone	at Schaik & Stits
(5:45 p.m.–7:30 p.m.)	Approaching Main Stage Drumming Off Approaching Main Stage	Everyone	at Schaik & Stits
9 a.m.	Shofar Call To Prayer	Everyone	Everywhere
9 a.m7:30 p.m.	Drumming w/ Camping Neighbor Permission	Everyone	Everywhere
9:30-10:45 a.m.	Sabbath Program (Investiture)	Everyone (Class A Uniforms)	Main Stage
11 a.m.–12 p.m.	Rehearsal	Nighttime/Dodd	Main Stage
11 a.m.–12 p.m.	Fueling for Golf Carts	Golf Cart Renters	Corner of Toll Rd & Shaick
11:15 a.m12:15 p.m.	Lunch	Clubs	Campsite
11:15 a.m12:30 p.m.	Lunch	LUC/OH Staff—Meal ID Required	Staff Cafeteria
12 p.m.	Shofar Call To Prayer	Everyone	Everywhere
1–1:30 p.m.	Board Bus to Community Parade	Pre-Registration Required	Bus Park
1–5 p.m.	On-Site Activities	Everyone	Campground
2 p.m.	Ventriloquist & Comedian Ryan & Friends	Everyone	Talent Stage
2:40-4:30 p.m.	On-Site Parade	SU/SWU	Young Eagles—Tarmac
3 p.m.	Shofar Call To Prayer	Everyone	Everywhere
5:15-6:30 p.m.	Supper	LUC/OH Staff-Meal ID Required	Staff Cafeteria
7 p.m.	Flag Lowering	SDACC/ECD	by West Shower House
7 p.m1 a.m.	Golf Cart Returns	Golf Cart Renters	Main Stage Golf Cart Corral or Between Hangars A & C
7:30-10:15 p.m.	Nighttime Program	Everyone Welcome	Main Stage
8:30-9:30 p.m.	Vehicles ENTER Campsite	Those Leaving Saturday Night	All Gates
10 p.m12:30 a.m.	Food Court	Everyone	by Red Barn
10 p.m12:30 a.m.	Hangar A	Everyone	Hangar A
10 p.m.–12:30 a.m.	Red Barn Store	Everyone	Red Barn Store
10 p.m.–1 a.m.	Extra Non-Perishable Food & Donation Items	Everyone	Lost and Found Building
11:30 p.m.	Vehicles EXIT Campsite	Those Leaving Saturday Night	All Gates
1:15 a.m.	Curfew/Generators Off	Everyone	Oshkosh
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Don King, Altantic Union President, James Black, NAD Youth Director and Dan Jackson, NAD President, serve as marshals for the parade.—**PHOTO** BRYANT TAYLOR PHOTOGRAPHY

Classic Cars and Camporee

For those interested in classic cars and fascinating people, there are few better places than the Adventist Rodders Club (ARC). The group came to Oshkosh not only to spend time recruiting, but also to connect with ARC members around the globe to let them know about events.

Recruiter Ronda Schram adds, "We are here to promote a meet and greet at the GC next year and invite people to bring their cars. We already have people who are emailing from New Zealand."

Schram belongs to the North Texas chapter of the ARC and explained about the origins of the club. "It was a concept born at camp meeting in Washington state...it's all around the world now." Organized in 1997, the ARC has grown to a membership of more than 350 families in eight countries.

"It's our fourth year doing it," says Schram.
"It's growing because we're learning how to do
it better." Even better is that there is no fee to
become an ARC member. The only thing necessary to join the ARC is a love of cars. "From 3

years old up to old men and ladies, they think cars are cool," says Schram. "The whole family can do it together."

"We have five different denominations that are a part of our group," Schram explains. "They want to be a part of a group that is not formed around alcohol, and they like hanging out with us."

When asked about the activities that ARC has to offer, Schram responds, "We'll do things like Hot Rod Sabbath, where we'll cruise together to a church, and do Sabbath school, church and music...and then afterwards they can view the cars. It's just fun to cruise together."

According to Schram, kids are able to learn beautiful lessons from the discipline required by car maintenance and restoration. "It shows that we're old and broken," she says. "And Christ comes in and restores us and makes us beautiful."

For more information about the Adventist Rodders Club, visit adventistroddersclub.com.





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esting. "There's something fascinating about what happened to that guy, his journey, that sticks with me," he says. "He was a collector, a scholar, and in the end a little bit of a nut job—but you can't simplify him. He's complicated." Nebuchadnezzar, he says, has taught him not to judge people.

Brian hopes that everyone who sees the play can find something personally relatable. "Whether it's spiritual, whether it's personal, whether it's profound or the most miniscule building block, I hope that every kid—and adult—can have a personal connection to it."

Brian graduated from the University of Nevada-Las Vegas with a BA in film, and is currently working on a variety of projects. Ultimately, he says, "I want to be involved in feature filmmaking." In his spare time, he enjoys collecting and photography.







DAILY FLAG RAISING/LOWERING & PARADE SCHEDULE

DAY	TIME: 7 a.m.	TIME: 7 p.m.	TIME (Parade Line Up): 2:40 p.m.
	Location: by West Showers	Location: by West Showers	Location: Young Eagles Tarmac
Sabbath, August 16	Mid-America Union	SDA Church in Canada	Southwestern Union
	Trans-European Division	East-Central Africa Division	Southern Union

*If rained out it will be rescheduled for 2019.



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A Waiilatpu Welcome



When Tom Foust, director of the Anchorage, Alaska Pathfinder club was preparing for Camporee, he had a problem—there was no way they could bring the tents, food

and gear necessary for their club on an airplane. He knew his club was going to need sponsoring, so even though they were American, they applied to Camporee as

"It's good to know that we have family all over the world."

an international club—but didn't have any luck. Then they were contacted by the North Pacific Union. "Have you considered looking within your union?" they asked. Within days, they found a sponsor—the Waiilatpu Pathfinder Club from Walla Walla, Washington. The club has been to every Camporee since 1989, and they've hosted international guests every time.

Word spread that the Waiilatpu Club was willing to host within their region, and soon

they found themselves sponsoring not one, but *four* Pathfinder clubs—from Anchorage and Juneau in Alaska, Missoula in Montana, and Omak in Washington. With 55 sponsored guests and only 40 people in the Waiilatpu Club, they found themselves outnumbered—but in the best possible way.

The best thing about hosting other clubs,



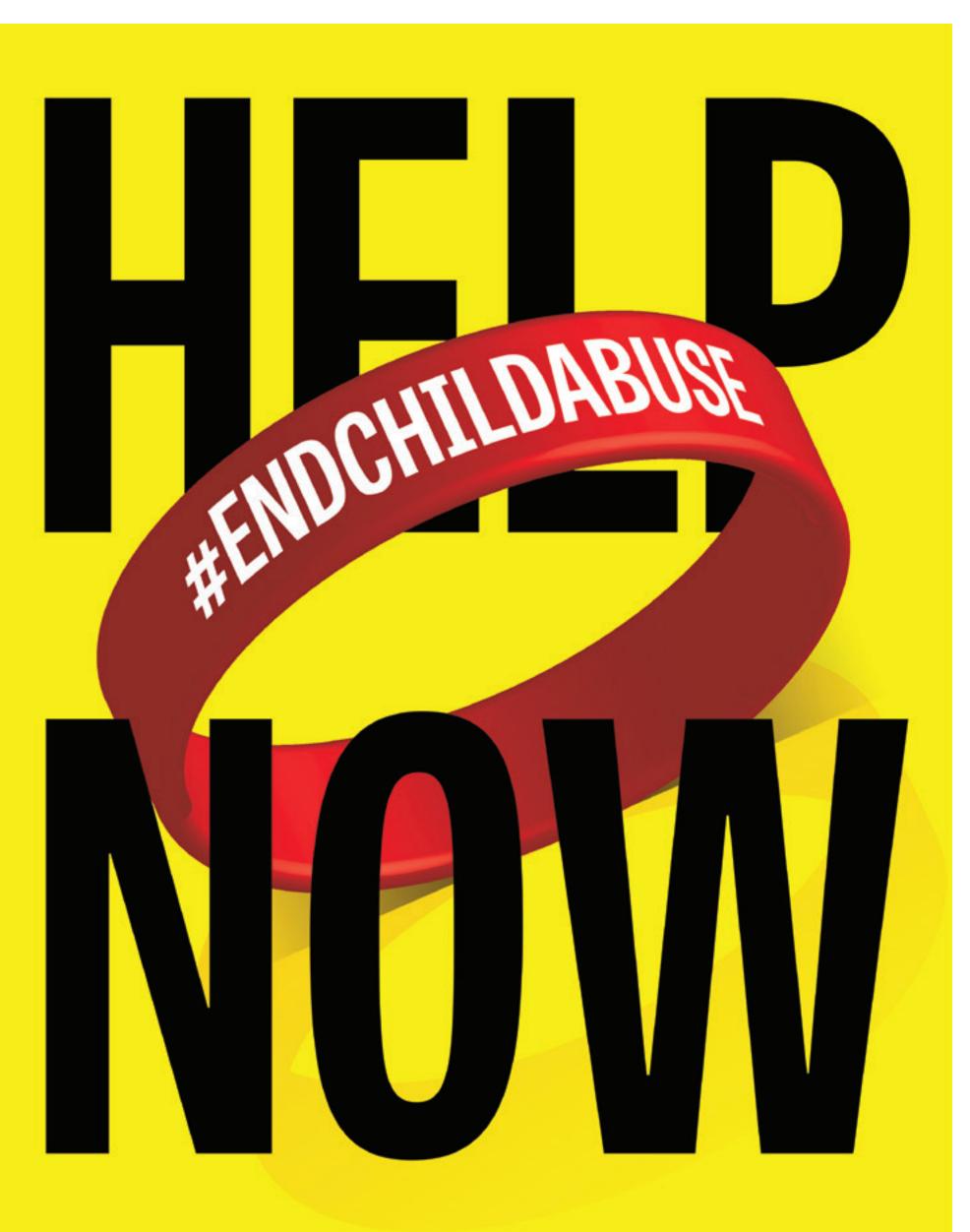
Waiilatpu co-director Steve Meharry says, is that the kids get to know people from other clubs and practice being hospitable. "We mix it up all the time," he says. Every day they have different activities to help us get to know

each other—for example, at dinner they're challenged to find someone from a different club to eat with."

The Pathfinders in the sponsored clubs especially appreciate this opportunity. "It's good to know that we have family all over the world," says Tajh, from the Anchorage club.

"It's an expensive trip," adds Tom Foust, "but we're hoping that this experience brings them closer to God. If it does—it's worth every penny."









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What Oshkosh Means to Me



To the Third and Fourth Generation

The Clarks are four generations of Pathfinders who are together at Camporee for the first time with the Spencer Spartans from Spencer, Tennessee. Lenora became a Pathfinder when she was nine years old, and has been volunteering with the organization for 37 years. Her son Bobby and his children Nicole and Sean are also involved in the club, and they hope that their sons Alexander and Benjamin will be in Pathfinders when they get a bit older as well. "I'm thrilled that my family is still all in Pathfinders," Lenora says. "I think I might still be going to church and be physically there, but if hadn't been for Pathfinders, I wouldn't be as committed."

Traveling Mercies

Busi Khumalo, youth director for the Southern Africa-Indian Ocean Division, traveled to FFIC 2014 with a group of 90 people. The SID includes 23 different countries and is represented by five countries at Camporee: Angola, Mozambique, South Africa, Malawi and Zimbabwe. The largest groups came from South Africa (31) and Zimbabwe (36).

The SID hired two buses to transport the group from Chicago to Oshkosh. One of the individuals from Malawi checked his bags directly to Chicago and unfortunately his baggage never made it. He lost his baggage tags and the numbers weren't in the system so he isn't sure if he will ever be



reunited with it. Fortunately, his friends took him to Walmart to buy him a new set of clothes once he got here.

The group from Zimbabwe was too large to travel together, so was placed on two separate flights. One of those flights was cancelled and that group was split up again and routed through either Netherlands or Paris. By the time they reached Chicago both buses had already picked up the remainder of their companions and 11 people were stranded. They happened to meet a club from England who had extra room in their bus and offered to take them to Oshkosh. Busi says, "We didn't have a way to contact them so we are thankful to the Lord. God is good."

The Angolans had to travel in two different groups as well, even though there were only 12. The group that came in later were also stranded, but were miraculously brought to Oshkosh by other Pathfinders who were at the airport.

Five different clubs are hosting everyone and all of the SID group is happily enjoying the Camporee experience. When they leave Oshkosh, most of them are traveling through Michigan to visit Battle Creek and Andrews University.

Volunteer with Veterans

Bryan Brown is a former Pathfinder, an Iraq War veteran, and member of the Wounded Warrior Project, a non-profit association that helps veterans readjust to civilian life by providing them with counseling and organizing events such



as fishing trips, back-packing and athletic events. Wounded Warriors is a great opportunity for Pathfinders, he says, "to volunteer—to give back and maybe witness

to these people who have been through so much trauma, and help reestablish their hope." For more information, visit woundedwarriorproject.org.

We **Lovo** Oshkosh

Paul Namakadre, a counselor in the Granville Pathfinder Club, and Kevin Turagakula, club director of the Enmore Fijian Pathfinders, are both leaders of Fijian Pathfinder clubs from Sydney, Australia. Together, they brought a total of 33 Pathfinders to Camporee. One of their most popular fundraisers was when they held "lovos," a traditional Fijian way of cooking where food is cooked by pit in the ground. It took the Fijian clubs several years to save up for Camporee, and as soon as they head back to Australia they plan to start saving so that more kids can come in 2019. "We love that every morning we learn about a different culture," says Paul. "We come from a small conference, so it's good to meet others."

Miracle Visit

Reverend Phillip Schneider is pastor of St. Paul's United Church of God, a 1,000-member church in Wausau, Wisconsin—and the cousin of Don Schneider, former president of the North American Division. Though he is not an Adventist, he has visited Camporee several times with his cousin and been very impressed. "You do a great job of youth ministry," he says, "so I've come to learn from you."

Last time Rev. Schneider was at Camporee, he was greeting Pathfinders with Don and passing out that year's Prayer Pin. He had just been in a car accident and slipped a disk in his back, and it looked like he might need to have surgery, so when kids hadn't prayed that day and still wanted a pin, Don would suggest that they pray for his cousin. "I was probably prayed for twenty or thirty times," Rev. Schneider says. "One of those times, this kid prayed for me in Spanish—I had no idea what he was saying—and then after that, I was

walking along and I thought, 'Huh, my back feels way better!' I went back to get an MRI and I didn't have to have the surgery!"

Rev Schneider sees Camporee as a great opportunity for kids to get involved in church. "I think what's important to young people is that they're doing something where they can see that they're making a difference," he says. "That's what's so fabulous about this. Kids are serving right from the get-go, and then they go home with all these projects and experiences ready to share."



Go On God's Errands

Though Camporee is amazing, it doesn't always look like that to people who live in Oshkosh all year around. "What the community sees," says Joe Watts, director of Community Service Projects, "is that we're causing them traffic jams, we're filling their stores—it's an economic boost, but it's a headache." That's where Community Services comes in.

Over the past week, more than 8,000 Pathfinders have volunteered in the Oshkosh area doing a variety of projects. They've pulled weeds and helped prepare a community garden at Riverview Gardens, a former golf course and country club in Appleton that went bankrupt. They've done a clean-up day in Fond du Lac, helped maintain trails at a local wetland preserve, and cleaned and landscaped at local nursing homes. One of the most popular projects, Joe says, was at Evergreen Nursing Home. Kids helped serve ice cream sundaes to the residents, and then they got to indulge as well—"so that filled up fast!" he laughs.

"They've been getting a real high from it!" he says. "Yeah, they're tired, but they're excited as well." Local media has noticed—this week Fox News filmed a group returning from a project, and their behavior, Joe says, was exemplary.

"The face of Oshkosh," Joe explains, "is these kids. People in the community are amazed that these kids will raise money and travel far to get here and then do service projects." For the Pathfinders, though, this service just makes sense. "As one of the directors told me," Joe says, "'This is our opportunity to give back to Oshkosh for their graciousness to us."





Pin-teresting Times

John Swafford, Pathfinder director for the Georgia-Cumberland Conference, was inspired by the Coca-Cola Pin Trading School at the 1996



Summer Olympics and established the first Pathfinder Pin Trading School at the Southern Union Camporee in North Carolina. In 1999 the Pin Trading School entered international Pathfinder culture at the same time as Oshkosh became the camporee location. Besides learning to

"Have Fun, Be Fair, and Be Friendly," graduates of the Pin Trading School received an exclusive graduate pin.

Since then, pin trading has become huge—so huge that it has inspired its own honor. Ted and Betsy Burgdorff, both from the Georgia-Cumberland Conference, had been pin trading since Camp Hale. "We had been doing it a long time," says Betsy, and "seen a lot of bad pin trading going on. We knew they had the school, but we thought that if we had the Honor they could learn all the etiquette." They worked on the honor for a year and a half, and got it approved just in time for FFIC 2014. The Honor teaches Pathfinders the history of pin trading within Pathfinders and the world as a whole, as well as instilling principles similar to those taught in Pin Trading School. So far, it's been very popular. "We had 900 come through here yesterday alone," Betsy says, "and we brought just over 1,000 pins to give away!"

As pin trading grows bigger and more complicated, some people are approaching it in new and creative ways. Two of those people are William Merrill and Cody Robinson-Bullock, staff from Camp Au Sable, Michigan, who volunteered in the

kitchen this week. They came to Camporee with very few pins and wanted to get more, so they hatched a plan—they would start street performing and ask for pins instead of money. William is a graphic designer, so he designed a sign with their new name—"Kitchen Crew-scendo"—and their friend Maybelline held the donation pan and "hustled" for pins.

On Wednesday, at their first performance, Cody played guitar and William played pennywhistle, and they improvised their own songs. "It was literally just us coming up with chord progressions and adding random lyrics," says Cody. "If you gave us a pin you could give us a scenario and we'd make it up. We had a song about being chased by a bear, and we were running around—literally running around. We had another one about the search for a clean Porta Potty."

Besides singing, the boys also did improv, gave





Hailey Erickson, a Pathfinder from Sunnydale Flyers based in Centralia, Missouri, arrived at Oshkosh on Monday eagerly looking forward to a fun experience. Unfortunately, this was cut short when she tripped over a tent stake, breaking her left elbow.

She faces surgery next week for it. One of the things she most looked forward to was trading pins. A volunteer with her group kept her pins and is trying to get as many as possible. There have been many great pins traded and donated. Special thanks to all those who have helped and prayed for her. May God bless you today and always!

hugs, and told bad jokes—all about pins. They were surprisingly successful, they said. In the first day alone they filled all their lanyards, and Maybelline, who is from Belize, had enough pins to take back to her club, the Jungle Cats. They even had one kid give them all of his pins!

Ultimately, William says, "It was about a lot more than just the pins. It was about getting out of our comfort zone, and just doing something fun. We've never been street performers before!"

William and Cody's experiment is exactly the kind of thing that John Swafford wants to see in pin trading-experiences that are fun and allow you to meet new people. "For me," he says, "pin trading is a learning experience. People ask what a particular pin is worth, but for me it's more about what the pin represents—a person's country, or what's important to them." Most importantly, he says, pin trading can bridge barriers of culture and religion. "You don't even have to know the language. You just say one pin for pin-it's bartering... Also, we encourage people to share their faith, but a lot of people are not really sure how to meet people. This is meeting people 101—it's a casual thing, you can have common ground with anyone, and it could grow into something deeper. Who knows what God can do?"



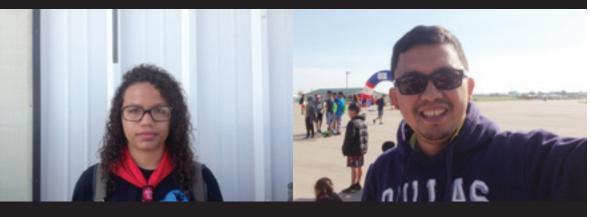
HUMANS OF OSHKOSH What have you enjoyed most at Camporee?

"I like people watching, and it's amazing to see people from around the world here for a common purpose—to serve God, to enjoy themselves, to worship and fellowship together."

Melanie London

"Mine would probably be reuniting with old friends. The Seventh-day Adventist community is a small one, where everyone is together and you know everyone... I'm a military brat, and I've been everywhere, and I've seen my old friends since kindergarten in Hawaii, and I know people from Las Vegas...seeing them and recognizing faces would probably be my favorite."

Isaiah Delarmente



"Last time, I didn't really do a lot of pin trading, but this time I'm getting really into it, and it's also thrilling to see a pin you like and getting that one." Manuela Velasquez "The night play. If they keep it up like this, it will be nice." **Victor Parilla**



"Going around looking for pen pals, and I went to the Korean tent and I found some people that wanted to be pen pals with me who are in Pathfinders. It's just been really cool meeting new people." Amber Joreteg

"The Lord sent an extra paycheck for me to get money to get here. I was able to get the time off. I was able to bring my father and my uncle who have health issues. God opened a lot of doors for me to be able to get here. But that program last night was the highlight for me." Karen Garcia



"We didn't think we were going to come because we moved...and my husband went into the hospital the week we were supposed to leave and we were like, 'There go our chances completely,' but by the end of the week, they released him. I kept telling my daughter, 'I can't make promises, just pray.' The Lord opened the door and here we are." **Kim Simons**

"This is going to be the last time that my family is going to be together before my brother heads off to college...just seeing so many people alive—spiritually and physically—so many kids alive for Jesus, that really makes me happy."

Joseph Hearn

BIRTHDAYS

Is someone in your club celebrating a birthday or anniversary during Camporee? Let us know and we'll congratulate them in *Pathfinder Today*! Email spanglep@andrews.edu by 10 a.m. today.

AUGUST 16, 2014

Happy 10th birthday to **Owen Hamel** from Grandma Pat!

Happy birthday to Pathfinder **Faith-Joy Elvin** and Counselor **Davin Anderson**, East New York Vanguards, Northeastern Conference, Atlantic Union

Happy birthday to **Emily Scholar**, Savannah Saints Pathfinder Club, Georgia-Cumberland Conference, Southern Union

Happy 17th birthday to **Susie Coxaj** from Sp. Yonkers, Greater New York Conference, Atlantic Union

Happy Birthday to **Merlyn Balboa**, Warriors of God
Pathfinders Club, Calhoun
Hispanic, Georgia-Cumberland
Conference

Happy birthday to our treasurer, **Gina Egly**, Fallbrook Pathfinders Club, SECC, Pacific Union Conference

Happy birthday to **Robert Chavez**, North Star Pathfinder
Club, Hollydale Community
Church, Southern California
Conference

Happy birthday to **Dai oi doll** from the Hong Kong
Pathfinder Club

Happy birthday to **Yajayra Montesinos**, Club Everest,
Elgin Maranatha, Lake Region
Conference

Happy 33rd anniversary to **Dan** and Kim Marchok and happy 22nd anniversary to **Tyrone** and Kimberly Settlemier, Dallas First Warriors, Texas Conference

Happy birthday to **Charles Wallington** and **Jonae Jackson**, Sweetwater
Trailblazers Club, GeorgiaCumberland Conference,
Southern Union

Happy birthday to **Alex Fogelquist**, with love from mom and the Chinook
Trailblazers

Happy 13th birthday to **Ashley R. Herber**, Loveland Cougar Pathfinder Club, Rocky Mountain Conference. May you remain Forever Faithful! Happy birthday to **Pedro Santiago**, Orion Club, Washington Conference. Feliz cumpleanios.

Happy 37th birthday to **Gio Banuchi**, director of the Tampa
Spanish Pathfinder Club,
Florida Conference

Happy 7th birthday to **Lauren Peterkin**, Glenridge Bluejays, Allegheny East Conference, Columbia Union. Much love from family.

Happy birthday to **Jackie Amich**, director of the Astros
Ft. Lauderdale Spanish Club

Happy birthday to **Jessie Amador**, Orion Pathfinder Club, Cayman Islands Conference

Happy 12th birthday to

Jade Thompson, member
of the Lewisville Bears
Pathfinders, Texas Conference,
Southwestern Union

Happy birthday to **Sarina Meriser**. Have a blessed day!
May you get to see many more birthdays. God bless!

Happy anniversary to **Brian** and **Vanesta Jagrup!** We wish you many more.

Happy birthday to **Bob Holbrook**, former World Pathfinder Leader

Happy birthday to **Raeanne MacLellan** (being invested as a Master Guide on Sabbath), Durham Trailblazers Pathfinder Club, Oshawa, Ontario, Canada

Happy birthday to **Megan Mench**, Spencerville
Polar Bears, Chesapeake
Conference, Columbia Union

Happy 10th birthday to **Brandon Argeta** and 11th
birthday to **Sophia Omaña**.
Both Pathfinders are from
the Raleigh Navigators
Pathfinder Club in the Carolina
Conference.

Happy 17th birthday to **Victoria Hansbury**, Braintree Flames, Southern New England Conference, Atlantic Union



Lorna Bell of the Mt. Sinai Striders in Orlando, Florida, signs her name to the Just Claim It Prayer Wall—PHOTO BRENT HARDINGE



Sabbath Community Parade and Rally

Community Parade Information

- 1. Busses load at 1:15 p.m. and the last bus leaves at 1:30 p.m.
- 2. Only those with a Community Parade boarding pass will be allowed on busses!!
- 3. The parade starts at 2 p.m.

Outdoor Rally Information

- 1. Rally will be held at the Leach Amphitheater in downtown Oshkosh at the riverfront.
- 2. Busses will leave for the rally at 2:15 p.m.
- 3. Rally is open to all age groups.

Cedric Ceballos, former NBA All-Star who has played for the Los Angeles Lakers and Phoenix Suns, will be the guest speaker for the rally. Cedric travels throughout the U.S. and overseas as a motivational speaker to charitable organizations, fundraisers, youth camps, Fortune 500 companies, and at children's detention centers. As an active family man, he makes time for others. "You can't receive unless you give back. I have a big heart, and I believe freely ye give, freely ye receive."

CYE Thinks Big!

When it comes to Pathfinder International Camporees the Center for Youth Evangelism (CYE) likes to think big! From ticket registration to emails, golf carts to patches, flags that represent each country at the camporee and shofars; the CYE team has worked around the clock to make the 2014 Forever Faithful International Camporee a success and blessing to all who attend this wonderful event. The main goal of the team has always focused on leading young people to Christ.

To the CYE the camporee is not just a job, it is bonding with family, making lasting friendships, worshipping God, and ministering to all. Many have wondered what it takes to organize the administration of a worldwide event in Oshkosh, Wisconsin. According to Dileanny Guada, the Camporee registration director, it takes lots of prayer, time, dedication and the cooperation of a great team. "I have been working at CYE for over a year and since then I have prayed daily for a team that focuses on glorifying God," she says. Guada also talks about the phrase, "Ask and you shall receive," and God has blessed the CYE with Karacan Sayrun-Thomas (volunteer coordinator), Daileen Rodriguez (assistant volunteer coordinator), Aurianna Anobile (assistant international coordinator), Yonny Jimenez (assistant registration coordinator), and Alana Gonzalez—who many of you might know as the voice on the other side of the phone."

When asked about the statistics for the Forever Faithful International Camporee Guada replies, "We have known for months that this camporee was going to be one of the largest in history. With more than 47,000 ticket sold this camporee reached a new record. It has been a pleasure and a privilege to be used by God in such an amazing way." The success of this camporee wouldn't be possible without the help of amazing volunteers and the services provided by VHive Systems. By scanning tickets, Camporee registration successfully registered over 45,000 campers within 72 hours.

With any event there are many challenges, but for the CYE the joy comes from seeing all the faces, flags and countries represented come together and praise God. At the Registration building our team has gotten the opportunity to meet not only those who have attended



the first camporee in 1985, but even the youngest attendee of the FFI Camporee, **Kathryn Elizabeth Davison**, who is only 5 weeks old. For the CYE team lifting up the name of God is the ultimate reward.

Until the next camporee the administration team prays that all the Pathfinders and attendees stay "Forever Faithful."

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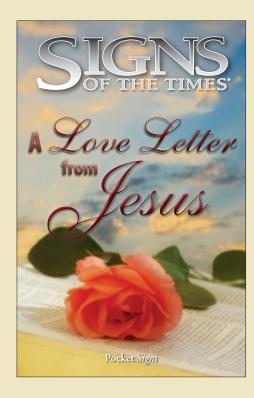


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PATHFINDERS, THIS SABBATH GET SOCIAL*

DANIEL CHOSE TO BE FOREVER FAITHFUL. WHAT WILL YOU CHOOSE?

1. GRAB A PEN, PAPER & A PAL
2. SHOW THE WORLD WHAT FAITH
CAN DO.

*Take a photo with a friend & a sign. Write, "I choose to [action verb such as: be, live] FOREVER FAITHFUL."

Post to Instagram, Facebook and
Twitter using #2014FFIC. See examples by our team/actual people on 2014FFIC social media.

DANIEL Cast

Director/Zuban: Sean Dale

Co-Director/Singing Messenger: Heidi Littell

Daniel: Sam Pomales
Young Iltani: Brianna Hartin
Old Iltani: Chelsea Hartin
Shadrach: Myron Donley
Meshach: Joey Nino

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Abednego: Jonathan Blackburn
Darius: Jonathan Henderson
Nebuchadnezzar: Brian Robak
Ashpenaz: Kevin Christiansen
Arsalan/Wade: Jacob Leblanc

Babak: Justin Thurber
Duzi/Shemish: Eugene Dorestal
Farzan/Attendant: Seth Sutherland
Melzar/Nabonidus: Aaron Hall
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Arioch/Gabriel: Christian Bunch
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At the West Gate

SABBATH: Good morning Forever Faithful campers and visitors. The Day Pass color of the day is **AQUA BLUE**. Get your Day Pass at the West Gate or at the Registration Building. Don't forget to wear your wristbands to get access to all activities. Happy Sabbath!

Attention Volunteers for the Forever Faithful International Camporee! Remember to check in at the Registration Building to get your schedule and to put your name in the raffle for special prizes. Thank you for your Faithful Service!



Keep the conversation going. Tag your photos with "#2014FFIC" as you make your way home.



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Prayer Focus: Pray for safe travels as we return home, and for a desire to spend more time in Bible study and prayer so that we may know God more intimately.



DAILY **GAMES**

"All Around Camporee" Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- What "Oshkosh" means in Ojibwe The red "x" marks the spot (2 wds)
- Lake to our east
- The everyday use of this site
- 9. The main road through Camporee12. Donate your hair here (3 wds)
- _ to Stand
- The other huge event held on these grounds
 Location of first camporee
- 17. Visitors from other countries stay at the International.
- 19. Your first stop at Camporee

- This region is lucky enough to camp next to
- the stage Sometimes slower than walking (2 wds)
- Camporee director (2 wds)
- Stunt biking with flips and tricks Ryan the ventriloquist's friend
- Learn about the history of Pathfinders here
- The only lion you get to meet An aviator's favorite road
- 18. Bible character who was star of Faith on Fire

ACROSS

- 1. jnandrews
- 4. potluck 5. spectrum

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Crossword Puzzle Answers

- 6. miller
- 7. waldensians 8. canvassing
- 12. generation
- 13. thepresenttruth
- 15. battlecreek 16. worthington
- 18. kellogg
- 19. twentyeight

DOWN

- 2. silverspring
- 3. greatdisappointment
- 5. solascriptura
- 9. millerites
- 10. sanantonio





Return all rented golf carts from 5 p.m.-1 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 16. Return your cart and keys to an attendant between Hangars A & C where you

Newspaper is available online now at: www.cye.org/camporee/ what-to-expect/communication

Baptismal candidates on Sabbath morning

Vehicles may enter the campgrounds at 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, but will not be able to leave the grounds until 11 p.m. after the evening program.

from 9-10 a.m. and 2-4 p.m.

Visit the White Estate tent located near the honor pavilion to earn your Ellen White-God's Messenger honor while at the Oshkosh Pothfinder O Tuesday - 2 afternoon sessions



THINGS TO NOTE



picked up your carts.

should meet to the right of the stage, behind the baptismal pools by 9:30 a.m.

Compassion in the Neighborhood

Donation of Food to the Oshkosh Food Pantry: Clubs may place their unopened non-perishable extra food at their club entryway. It will be collected on Sabbath

Used laptop and televisions will be available for sale at **Camporee.** All equipment must

be paid for and picked up at Camporee. Available for pick up at 9:30 p.m., Sabbath, August 16. For additional information, come to the Email Center in Hangar D.



TRAVEL LEADERS

Airport Departures

Please reconfirm departure times by calling travel leaders Saturday between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. at 920-426-3550 or call Cindy directly on her cell at 920-379-7445. Luggage pickup at the Red Barn will begin Sunday at 1:30 a.m.

For Those Who Have **Campground Staff Radios**

Channel 4 is no longer available to reach medical dispatch. For all medical emergencies, please use the Security Channel—Channel 6.



The Ontario Conference from the Canadian Union was honored to host world cup at FFIC 2014. More than 50-60 clubs participated, representing various conferences and unions.

On Wednesday, August 14, the final soccer tournament championship winners were the Westchester Pathfinder club from Miami, Florida. They played very well and exhibited great skill and endurance.

Coming in second place was the Government Hill Pathfinder club, international guests from Barbados, West Indies, who played with grace and great Christian sportsmanship.

The FFIC Pathfinder world cup featured Union vs. Union. Unions represented included Southern, Southwestern, North Pacific, Southern Pacific, Canadian, and visiting international teams from Brazil and Mexico.

Third place went to the Temple City Knights from the Southern Pacific Union under the directorship of Danette Verdugo and Coach Hector

Brazil took second place, playing with Mexico, winning with a score of 3-0.

The final results of the championship game were Brazil 2, Canada 0. Brazil was hosted by the Columbia Union.





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