

THE CHRISTIAN CAMPER



Hebrews 9:4
Wherein was the golden
pot that had manna....

YOUTH CAMPS, INC.
Operating
POT O' GOLD RANCH
P.O. Box 765
Comfort, TX 78013

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Mid-Winter Sign Language School

(Jan 30- Feb 10, 2006)

This January the camp will again be hosting a mid-winter sign school led by Dr. Don Cabbage and his staff. Classes will be taught on all levels and everyone is welcome.

Classes are booking now and lodging at the ranch is still available. Please call us for more details.

Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to learn how to win the lost deaf to Christ.

Hunting Fees:

- Pastor hunts free
- \$75 per day/\$50 half day
- Axis doe \$100
- Axis spike \$150
- Axis 4 pt \$200
- Axis 6 pt \$250

106 PEOPLE SAVED THIS SUMMER AT THE POT O' GOLD RANCH

To God Be The Glory

This summer we saw the infinite grace of God working in the lives of our campers here at the Pot' O' Gold Ranch.

There were many young people that had already been saved who left with a renewed spirit and a refueled fire to serve the Lord with their lives. There were also 106 young people and children that put their trust and faith in Jesus Christ. **106 precious souls were spared from an eternity in Hell.** Praise the Lord!

There is nothing more important on the face of the Earth than winning souls to Christ, and the Lord has given us the blessing of seeing thousands of youth and children saved during the last forty years of the camp's ministry. We invite those of you who support and pray for the camp to rejoice with us for all the souls that have been saved here at the ranch.

We are certainly not interested simply in numbers. If only one soul was saved it would be worth the millions of dollars of God's money and the millions of hours invested in the lives of our young people.



The tear-stained altar of the Cliff Fowler Memorial Chapel

Our Lord taught us the value of one lost soul in Matthew 18 and Luke 15, and how there is joy in Heaven over one sinner that repenteth more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance. He came to seek and to save the lost and He has commissioned us to continue in His work.

Let us all determine together to love, pray for and support the camp as never before so that we might see many more souls saved and lives changed to the glory of God!

HUNTING SEASON IS HERE

Well men, as much as we hate to see it, hunting season is just around the corner. We will have to dust off the old rifle (or let our wives talk us into buying a new one), buy a license, and sit in a freezing plywood box. Glory Hallelujah!

This year of hunting at the Pot O' Gold Ranch is already looking very promising. We have put out 4,000 pounds of corn and are making things as

ready as possible for you to enjoy!

Pastors, If you have not already booked a hunt for the men of your church, there are a few dates left so don't wait. It is a wonderful way to support the camp financially, enjoy a time of fellowship with your members and possibly even take home one for the wall!

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Newsletter for the

POT O' GOLD RANCH
Christian Youth Camp



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**Registration Fees For
Summer 2006**

Up thru 11 months	\$10
1 thru 2 years	\$30
3 thru 5 years	\$60
6 years and up	\$120
Motels Rooms (per week in addition to registration fee)	\$175

A MERRY HEART...

One day while attending to her duties, a stewardess on an airplane was hit from behind by a restless child who refused to stay in his seat. He pushed her into her cart causing her to spill the drink she was pouring for a passenger. She quickly wiped up the mess, smiled at the boy and said "Why don't you go play outside!"

Since 1966, the Pot O' Gold Ranch has been used of the Lord as a soul-winning ministry with a missionary goal towards reaching young people. Today the youth camp is as strong as ever and continues to provide the setting for Christian camps, retreats and outings.

If you haven't already, we here at the Pot O' Gold Ranch invite you to prayerfully consider us when making plans for the summer camping season. Thank You!

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETE ON GUADALUPE RIVER BRIDGE

This year has been one of many victories for the Pot O' Gold Ranch. There are things that we have prayed about for quite some time that the Lord has seen fit to bless us with this year. One of these answers to prayer, and certainly not the least of them, is the completion of the new bridge across the scenic Guadalupe River.

Construction began on the new bridge during the first of the year and should be finished by the time this publication is sent out.



View of new bridge from river memorial

The course of the road has also been changed facilitating for two-way traffic and providing a better view of oncoming vehicles.

The floods of years gone by made the county aware of the need for a new bridge that would be passable during a mild to moderate flood. The last few floods have only strengthened the awareness of a need for a new "high-water" river crossing on Hermann Sons Rd.

We, along with the rest of our community, are very thankful to God for the



Remains of old bridge as seen from new

newly constructed bridge which promises to cut down on the use of our alternate "high-water" route and provide a safer view of traffic when traveling to and from the ranch.