



# GREETINGS FROM THE PROGRAM TEAM



## HELLO TRIP LEADERS!

Our week together at Clearwater Cove is quickly approaching. This letter is a brief introduction from the program team with some helpful insight as you prepare for your trip. Our team has been preparing diligently for this summer and we're excited to serve you by giving the gift of fun and humor to you and your middle school friends. In WyldLife, we believe that humor is a tool God gives us to break down walls around our hearts, preparing the way for the gospel to enter in. Let's laugh together as we experience Jesus Christ with our friends this summer.

## THE PURPOSE OF PROGRAM

1. Preparing the heart: The program team's job is similar to John the Baptist's-- to prepare the way so the message of Jesus is as clear as possible. We will utilize well-planned fun, humor, and adventure to break down walls around kids' hearts.

LISTEN! IT'S THE VOICE OF SOMEONE SHOUTING, "CLEAR THE WAY THROUGH THE WILDERNESS FOR THE LORD! MAKE A STRAIGHT HIGHWAY THROUGH THE WASTELAND FOR OUR GOD! FILL IN THE VALLEYS, AND LEVEL THE MOUNTAINS AND HILLS. STRAIGHTEN THE CURVES, AND SMOOTH OUT THE ROUGH PLACES. THEN THE GLORY OF THE LORD WILL BE REVEALED, AND ALL PEOPLE WILL SEE IT TOGETHER. THE LORD HAS SPOKEN." - ISAIAH 40:3-5 (NLT)

2. Freedom of childlikeness: We will allow kids to be kids. We will laugh, sing, dance, play, and hopefully experience childlike wonder together, knowing Jesus said this is the way to His kingdom.

ONE DAY SOME PARENTS BROUGHT THEIR CHILDREN TO JESUS SO HE COULD TOUCH AND BLESS THEM. BUT THE DISCIPLES SCOLDED THE PARENTS FOR BOTHERING HIM. WHEN JESUS SAW WHAT WAS HAPPENING, HE WAS ANGRY WITH HIS DISCIPLES. HE SAID TO THEM, "LET THE CHILDREN COME TO ME. DON'T STOP THEM FOR THE KINGDOM OF GOD BELONGS TO THOSE WHO ARE LIKE THESE CHILDREN. I TELL YOU THE TRUTH, ANYONE WHO DOESN'T RECEIVE THE KINGDOM OF GOD LIKE A CHILD WILL NEVER ENTER IT." - MARK 10:13-15 (NLT)

## MEET THE TEAM



**AMANDA DEVARIER**

Lives in Jasper, IN. Enjoys playing basketball, pickleball, riding 4-wheelers, traveling, and hanging with her dog Twix.



**ERIN AND JEFF PRIOR**

Live in Ann Arbor, MI. Their favorite pastimes are hanging with their dog Lasso, eating arguably too much pizza, and paddleboarding.

## OTHER INFORMATION

Here are a few reminders. PLEASE fill out the trip leader survey by clicking the button on the right. This will help us get to know your kids.

- Cabin Unity Outfit: Pack a surprise team uniform for our cabin challenge. Keep it simple and have some fun! The goal is to unify your cabin early in the trip.
- Bright Birthday Attire: There will be a "Birthday Dinner" later in the week. We will provide hats, but think bright, fun accessories.
- Sport-Themed Outfit: Think jerseys, sport team logo tees, hats, etc.
- One Dark Outfit
- One Messy Outfit



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