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May/June 2024 Newsletter

Adventure Programs-Boys-June 27-30, Girls, July 9-12 and July 23-26
Contact: Dorothy Davidson or the office 432-0594 for registration and details.
Chicken BBQ-June 30 and August 4 (Across from Red Apple in Unadilla-10am until gone)

Nerf Event- June 19th
Teen Center-Thursdays 6-8pm
Priday Night Youth Group-Community Gospel Church-7:00pm
Anchor-Sunday Evenings-5:00pm

MATCHING GIFT OPPORTUNITY \$50 + \$50 = \$100 Your Gift + Matching = <u>Twice the Impact</u>

Several years ago, Dorothy approached me to ask if I would pray about joining the board for Central N.Y. Youth For Christ. It wasn't long before I agreed to serve because I recognized the importance of this ministry and knew it would be a privilege to participate in the vital work YFC does on a daily basis. The months and years have passed, and more than ever I see the spiritual, physical, and emotional needs of youth in central N.Y. being met through our organization.

This year has been an exciting year to be a part of CNY YFC! Half way through the year we have already had many fun and safe events for our teens to participate in! March was our Talent/Art/Craft show at the Teen Center; April brought our Joker Run/Walk and the first ever Esports Tournament; May was our Memorial Day Soccer Tournament; and we are entering a summer full of Show Team events, Adventure Programs, chicken barbeques, and Teen Center activities.

All of this is in addition to our regular work with clubs, horseback riding at Dorothy's, Nerf Events at the Teen Center, and involvement with other area youth groups and churches. A particular highlight for us was getting to join with several area youth groups to throw a Fusion Youth Network event in Oneonta at the Boys and Girls Club, which was attended by approximately 100 teens!

We would really appreciate your support this year as we try to further our impact in our communities. We continue to hope and pray that we would experience revival in central N.Y. We need to prepare for more and more teens to learn about Jesus. All of our ministries continue to reach out to and provide teens with that opportunity.

As we approach the end of our fiscal year on June 30th, we are seeking donations to help meet our "Matching Gift Campaign" goal of \$7,000.00. This is an opportunity to double your "new gift" or double any amount given over and above your regular commitment. The board and leadership will match those new gifts up to \$7,000.00. Donations must be postmarked by June 26th. Please indicate in the memo line that the gift is for the "Matching Gift Campaign". Thank you for partnering with YFC as we reach out to teens this summer and for your continued prayer and financial support throughout the year.

Sincerely, Amy Kropp



April Horse Show

May Soccer Tournament

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Youth For Christ, PO Box 362, Oneonta, NY 13820
or <u>online</u> Central NY YFC@Central NYYFC through Venmo-QR Code Below



