

Cowboy's Rest

CHRISTIAN CAMP & RETREAT CENTER

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Winter Calendar

Christmas Family Day:

Dec 12

Staff Reunion-Location

TBD: Jan 2

Jr High Camp:

Jan 8-10

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High School Camp:

Jan 15-18 (MLK)

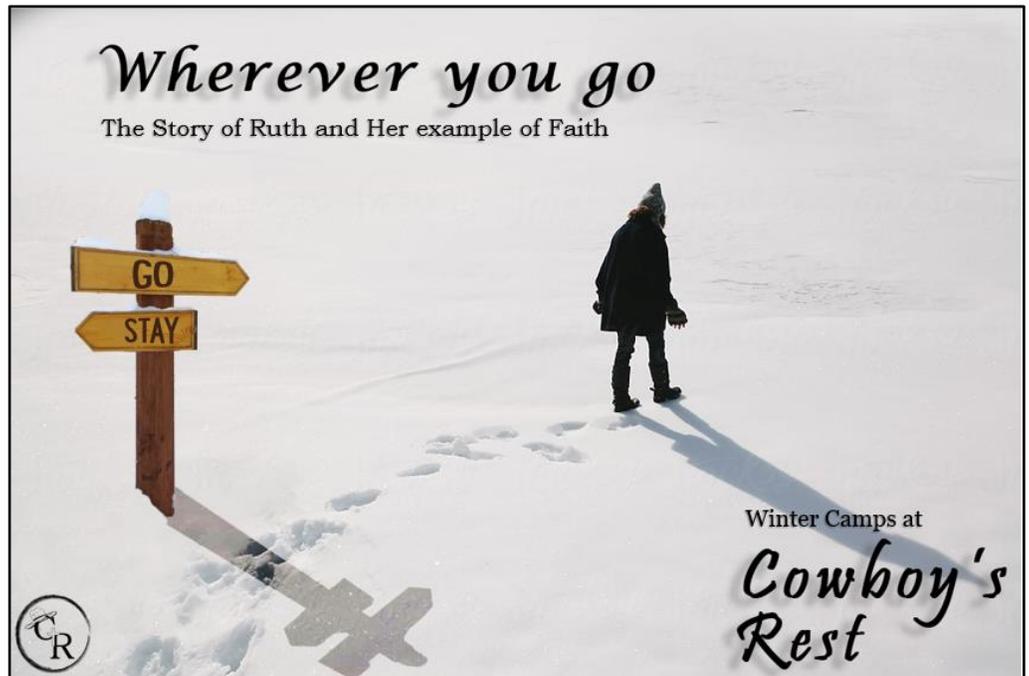
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Winter Family Day:

Jan 23

Winter Deep Dive:

Feb 12-15



Well, what an interesting year it has been. The ups and downs haven't been easy and it was absolutely heartbreaking to see camps canceled this Summer. However, as I heard one pastor put it, 'We are a Ministry' and we are looking for ways to minister to the children, families and churches in this area.

That is why Cowboy's Rest is pleased to ...

reintroduce Winter Camps!

It's been 10 years since we've had overnight winter camps out at 'The Rest.' For months now we've seen events and activities being canceled due to the Covid-19 virus, so we are overjoyed to be providing something Christ-Centered for our community. This winter we are offering a winter weekend for High School Campers (Jan 15th-18th) and Jr. High Campers (Jan 8th-10th) along with two single day options for families (Dec 12th and Jan 23rd).

Our theme for this Winter is "**Wherever you go**" which focuses on the book of Ruth and her astounding faithfulness to the lord. All of our events (Except our Dec 12th Family Day which will focus on the Christmas Story) will be utilizing this theme. The winter activities at camp are endless (weather permitting) including sledding, ice fishing, cross country skiing, ice-skating, and the CR favorite: Boot Ball! Please join us in praying for good cold weather and snow this winter. The more the better!

Additionally, Cowboy's Rest is pleased to announce a whole new type of event to our schedule. It is called **Deep Dive** and this winter it is scheduled for President's Day weekend (Feb 12th-15th). **Deep Dive** aims to provide an opportunity for a small group of students with a genuine heart for the scripture to immerse themselves in the word. Pastor Jeff South of Ruby Mountain Bible Church in Spring Creek will be leading this event from the pulpit this winter. It is our hope that these **Deep Dives** will become a regular part of our Winter **AND** Summer schedule.

For more information on any of these events or to register, go to cowboysrest.org

-Ezra Jones



Volunteers Needed:
 We are looking for counselors and support staff for all our overnight events. Email us at cowboysrest@hotmail.com

Spring Retreats
 April 30th - May 2nd
 Open for Rental
 May 7th - 8th
 Calvary Chapel SC Ladies
 Retreat
 May 14th - 16th
 Open for Rental
 May 21st - 23rd
 Men's Encounter

If Your Church or Ministry is interested in renting our facilities please email cowboysrest@hotmail.com

This Winter at Cowboy's Rest!

Bring the whole family for a day of fun, fellowship and of course good food at Camp!

Christmas Family Day - Dec 12th

Or

Winter Family Day - Jan 23rd

Register online! Cost is free, just bring a plate of goodies to share!



Presidential Ponderings

Hello All,
 As I anxiously wait for the election results, I am reminded that no matter who our next president is, God is totally in command of EVERY situation, and He will take care of His people.

These past 8+ months have been a trying time for everyone, including Cowboy's Rest, but we are alive and well because of His grace! Although we experienced a summer without our normal camps, we had a great month with a willing staff, who accomplished several needed tasks, and our fall retreats were a big success. We are moving forward, by faith, with our 2021 summer camp season, as well as bringing back our winter retreats. We now have 2 new cabins, and 2 new solar generator units and our finances are very stable! All God's handiwork!

Please continue to hold Cowboy's Rest up in prayer as we look to Him for a great camping season ahead. Thank You All for your generous giving! May you All be blessed!
 -Danny



Prayers and Praises

Praise Reports:

- Snow! We had 6" over the weekend.
- That we were open for retreats this past fall.
- 13 baptisms at one of the retreats
- Solar trailers and new buildings
- Ezra and all his work
- Winter camps happening again!

Prayer Requests:

- Winter weather for retreats and next summer's water.
- Freedom to be able to open up for camps.
- Flexibility to adapt to government health directives.
- Staff: the right staff with the right heart and the right motive for all events.
- Powerful, enduring prayer support: That's where the battle is fought and won.

"Return to your rest, O my soul, for the Lord has dealt bountifully with you."
 Psalm 116:7