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Dear Friends,

With all the snow we've been experiencing, it's hard to believe that spring Work Day at Johns River Valley Camp is only a month away. Saturday, March 13 is the 2010 date of a tradition that many of us have shared over numerous years. [I've already been in touch with a number of you individually about this day, but with this letter hope to be a bit more comprehensive about getting the word out.] As in the past, breakfast and lunch are on the camp. Lodging is free in the Mainsite, and Boger Site Living Units are \$30.00 / room / night on this weekend. [Please RSVP regarding both meals and lodging].

I have a long list of maintenance repairs (screens, screen doors, soplits, door hardware, broken siding, broken window panes, broken panel inserts on garage door). We're still hoping to do major repairs on the shelter near the boys bath house, install a water heater in the boy's bath house, build a small storage cabinet, install locust treads on the bridge, install a few pieces of fence, and replace front section of caretaker house roof shingles.

In the landscape arena, there are always leaves to rake, broken tree limbs to pick up, trail maintenance, and the need for extra trailer and work trucks to haul/remove leaves/limbs from the lawn and recreation areas.

I also value the work of anyone who can help with spring cleaning of cabins in preparation for the camp season and kitchen prep work for lunch.

Please contact me by e-mail or phone to make appropriate arrangements, so that meals, lodging, work assignments, and materials can all be coordinated. Groups will need to bring their own tools for work they accept. Contributions toward materials and work day expenses are always appreciated. I look forward to this day, and the sharing in work and fellowship with so many friends.

SHALOM!

C. L. "Curly" Stumb

**\*\*\* MAINTENANCE**

- Caretaker house - replace roof shingles / 3-tab (front section); repair flashing (rear section)
- Repair windows / screens / doors (Ad/Rec Hall, Dining Hall, Barnhardt Cabin)
- Repair soffits (Ad/Rec Bldg. & garage)
- Repair broken siding (Dining Hall)
- Repair broken panel inserts on garage door (lower sections)
- Power wash buildings / areas

**\*\*\* LANDSCAPING**

- Downed tree limbs
- Rake leaves
- Cleanup corridor by river
- Install fence posts/rails by culvert at River Chapel
- Always need **extra trailer or work truck** to haul leaves and wood

**\*\*\* TRAIL MAINTENANCE**

- Burnfield Branch
- River Trail

**\*\*\* CONSTRUCTION**

- Shelter near Boys' Bathhouse: structural repairs / roof shingles
- Replace windows (garage)
- Replace 2 windows in Dining Hall (one in kitchen / one in sleeping quarters)
- Build small custom storage cabinet (freezer area of Dining Hall)
- Install water heater in Boy's Bath House (electric... with copper plumbing)
- Bridge entrance - replace locust runners [St. Matthew's UCC, Maiden]

**\*\*\* HOUSEKEEPING**

- Clean cabins
- Wash windows

**\*\*\* FOOD SERVICE**

- Assist with breakfast or lunch