

# 2022 CHRISTMAS NEWS FROM NORLAND

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men. ~ Luke 2:14

May you experience God's glory and peace this Christmas season, and discover ways to share those precious gifts with others!

Camp Norland is a 60-year-old gift. What started as a God-given idea among a group of churches in Northern Ontario turned into a request presented to the Ackerland family in Kipling for a plot of land. This land was given freely

to use for God's purposes in reaching children, youth, and families with the hope of Jesus. There have been times of ease and times of difficulty, but the gift keeps on giving. We hope to share this gift with you, as we seek to build a strong North through the individuals and groups that come to experience the beauty and hope that await on Deer Lake!



COLDWATER CANADA is Norland's main partner—they are at camp most of the summer months, running leadership development programs and wilderness trips for all ages. A quote from a 2022 trip participant:

I grew to appreciate the need for dependence on God, because in every situation out of my control I learned how important it was to trust in Him to see me through.

Coldwater also runs Bedrock overnight camp for the younger ages. Watch this video for a day in life of Coldwater staff: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/reel/397784275672351">https://www.facebook.com/reel/397784275672351</a>

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#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFTS!

### Projects Completed in 2022-Total \$12,350:

- 1. Repaired entry deck & ramp of Retreat Center = \$600
- 2. Repaired west deck & stairs of Retreat Center = \$200
- 3. Annual fire alarm inspection and repairs = \$1850
- 4. Removed oil-fired water heater and replaced with new propane-fired heater = \$4700
- 5. Placement of gravel in front of maintenance trailers = \$2300
- 6. Rebuilt bunks in two cabins = \$1000

# SUPPORT NORLAND WITH GIFTS OF TIME OR FUNDS NEXT YEAR! Projects for 2023—Total \$7200—\$27,200:

- 1. Rebuild plumbing in Flushing Meadows = \$2000
- 2. Rebuild bunks in two more cabins = \$1200
- 3. Remove and sell old oil storage tank = \$2500 revenue
- 4. Install new internet access equipment = \$500
- 5. Repair (\$1000) or replace (\$20,000) dishwasher
- 6. Repairs to stoves = \$1000
- 7. Repairs to bathrooms in Retreat Center = \$500
- 8. Purchase new overhead projector = \$500
- 9. Install fascia on other cabins = \$3000

# WHAT HAPPENED IN 2022?

- \* 3 Months of Coldwater Trips
- \* Kipling Baptist Church Men's Breakfast
- \* Open House Day with Kipling VBS
- \* Deer Lake Cottager's Assoc Mtg
- \* Glad Tidings Mennonite Fellowship Youth Missions Trip used Norland as lodging while serving in Sudbury
- \* Lansing Avenue Baptist Men's Retreat & Young Adults Retreat
- \* 1st Annual Moon Over Kipling
  Musicfest, BBQ & Silent Auction
- \* March of Dimes Sudbury Retreat
- \* All Nations Church Youth Retreat
- \* Greenwood Gals Retreat

PRAISE: We at Lansing Avenue Baptist Chapel are very thankful for Camp Norland. It is a great place to have a retreat. [We] were greatly blessed by our time there, growing as spiritual leaders in a good atmosphere... We look forward to coming back year after year!

