



## SUMMER WRAP-UP

### TRIP REPORT

God provided in so many ways for Peak 7 Adventures this past year. A year's rent for a warehouse was donated to us as well as office space. A bus was also donated. The list of God's provision goes on and on.

This past summer 528 youth went on our rafting trips and 61 youth went on our 5-day Ascent trips. This represents an almost 500% increase from 2006. Eighty percent of our participants came from low-income or disadvantaged situations. Generous donations from our sponsors made it possible for these kids to take part.



Our goal for this upcoming summer is to take out 850 youth rafting and 125 youth on backpacking trips. We will be running rafting trips on the Spokane and Wenatchee River. Our Ascent trips will be in the Olympic National Park and Wenatchee National Forest.

Rafting season will go from March through June. Ascent trips will occur July through September. We are in the process of booking both events. If you know of organizations or individual young people who could benefit from this ministry, please do not hesitate to contact us with that information.

### 2008 VISION



### WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

Thinking Peak 7 is the kind of organization you could get behind? Here are some ways you can get involved with us:

- Pray
- Provide administrative support
- Donate outdoor gear and clothing you don't use anymore
- Drive the new Peak 7 bus (this position would require strong and sustained commitment)
- Install bus seats

- Paint the bus
- Maintain the bus engine
- Help us move into our new office location in December
- Design a Peak 7 brochure
- Donate office furniture
- Grant writing/fundraising
- Refer potential summer staff
- Continue your financial support

Please contact us with any questions.

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### SEEING GOD'S HAND

- God provided a bus for us.
- God has provided all \$50,000 needed by Dec. for the matching grant.
- We have been awarded a matching grant for 2008 from our "angel donor" that will be 50 cents on the dollar up to \$50,000 in individual donations.
- Through God's grace, Peak 7 grew almost 500% in lives impacted this year.
- God kept all of our participants, guides and volunteers safe during the backpacking season.
- God provided office space for us. We will be moving in December.

### LOOKING FORWARD

Please join us in praying for the following:

- That we will obtain the permits we are applying for.
- That we will identify a full-time volunteer bus driver that could drive the bus for each rafting trip.
- That we would be diligent in our work this winter break.
- That we will find a couple of vans / passenger vehicles for this coming year.
- That God would give us wisdom in choosing staff and interns for next year.
- That God would provide strengthened relationships with our partner organizations and opportunities for new partnerships
- That the Lord will keep providing awesome volunteers.



### 2008 STAFFING

We are delighted to have Trey Nichols (picture on right) working with us again for this coming summer as program director. Trey has an amazing way with kids and has a deep passion to follow the Lord.

We are currently conducting interviews for the Seattle Area Director's position. Pray that the Lord will lead us in our decision and that the person chosen will be the perfect fit.

We are looking for summer staff and volunteers who are spiritually mature, team oriented, love kids and are passionate about the outdoors.

Rafting guides are needed March - July. Raft guide certification courses will be conducted in March for those who are interested.

The dates for Ascent will be from July to the second week of September. We are also planning one trip in the beginning of April.

If you know of anyone who would be interested in joining us, please send them our way.

Without volunteers we'd be up a creek without a paddle (literally).



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