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## LaunchPoint—A Camp for KIDS!

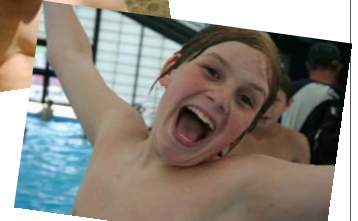
With boundless energy, ideas, and creativity children have a way of being simply precious. Their tender hearts, humor and lighthearted spirits make adults like us smile, remember, and shake our heads in wonder.

Research backs up what we already know to be true and that is that even at their young age, kids have an incredible ability to listen and retain. One would only have to glance at the Gospels to see that Jesus placed incredible value and worth on children. Though many crowded around to see Him, Jesus took the time to call the children to Himself and to bless them.

We are pleased to share with you that this summer Monad-

nock will be offering our own CAMP for KIDS! It's called LaunchPoint. The dates are July 5-9. There is both a day camp and an overnight option. As you'd expect, everything we do is both God-centered and kid-centered and packed with many fun activities.

Call us for more information or to register at 603.532.8321. We'd be happy to send you a brochure by mail or email. Spread the word to other parents who are wondering where to send their children this summer. We're looking forward to being with these precious little ones and seeing how God will use Launchpoint in the lives of children.



*Drawing those we serve to relationship with Christ by meeting physical, emotional, and spiritual needs.*



## Praising God Through Change

Hebrews 13:8 states, "Jesus Christ is the same, yesterday, today and forever." Through the changes we experience in our lives, we have this comfort that God's character and His promises will not change.

One change that we wanted to share with you is that recently Todd Carver, the Assistant Director of Monadnock, announced that he will be resigning as of August 15<sup>th</sup> to further his education at Liberty University to receive his Master's degree with a specialty in chaplaincy. Todd has realized that God is calling him to another area of ministry and both the Board and the Monadnock Staff fully support him and the way in which God is moving him. Todd and his family

will be missed by all of us.

We truly celebrate what God is doing in Todd's life, and, at the same time are prayerful and looking forward to seeing how God will lead us to the person whom God is preparing to step into this position.

Todd asked if he could have the opportunity to share with you. Here he is in his own words.

*"Hi everyone! As you know, walking with God is a journey. God is always at work, and He chooses to use us to serve Him by serving others. As He does this, our job is to listen and obey His leading. With this in mind, I want to share with you that I do feel that God is calling me to continue my education and to serve*

*Him as a Chaplain. My job is to follow and obey.*

*I have recently shared this with the Monadnock Board and Staff and have submitted my resignation.*

*The Board and the Staff are both saddened to hear this, and at the same time, very supportive of how God is working in our lives, and what He will do here at Monadnock.*

*My request of you as you hear this news, process it, and share it with others, is that you hear my heart.*

*Please do not speculate as to why I am leaving. I am leaving to continue on with what I feel God is calling me to do. I am not angry with anyone. I am not leaving because of a conflict. I am leaving because I feel that God is orchestrating these changes in our life, and in the life of Monadnock.*

*With this in mind, as you continue*

*to think of Monadnock, my prayer is that you will uphold the Board and the Staff in prayer as they continue to oversee the ministry that God has entrusted to their care."*

We echo Todd's words and ask that you join us in praying for the Monadnock ministry and its leadership. We look forward to telling you, in future issues of the Monadnock News, about how God has provided for us.



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## Be A Part of Monadnock!

Monadnock is a special place for two reasons—because of the people who serve here and the people who attend here. Through out our 45 year history, God has blessed us with some very special people.

Our invitation is open to you. Would you prayerfully consider how you might fit into the following opportunities?

### Volunteer:

About 48 weekends a year, Monadnock is hosting groups. Would you like to serve in our Kitchen or Maintenance as a volunteer?

### Pray:

Much of the success of any ministry is the direct result of prayer. God listens to His children, and He moves to respond to their prayers. Will you commit to pray for the Monadnock Ministry?

### Support:

We are always looking for ways to save money. Even still, we must plan ahead to keep our buildings and property properly maintained so that people can come and enjoy the Monadnock experience. Would you be willing to financially support MBC and help us meet our rising costs?

## Striving For Excellence

At Monadnock, we strive for excellence in every area of our guest experience. Important details like great food, a clean room, a friendly and available staff, and a God centered program and activities that meets your needs are what we aim to do and to do well.

If you speak with any of us, we'll be quick to tell you that God is using Monadnock to change lives and to partner with churches in New England and beyond. (We may be a part of the process, but keep in mind that only God can move a heart!)

There is something powerful about being “away together” as well as the interruption in the normal flow of life that being at Monadnock is for people of all ages.

In fact, I challenge you to come to Monadnock and ask any member of our staff to tell you about a person they know who has been impacted or had a life changing experience here. Trust me, they will have many stories to tell to the glory of God.



## Supporting the Ministry

Monadnock Bible Conference is a 501C3 non-profit organization. We are a non-denominational Christian Camp & Conference Center.

If you would like to financially support the ministry, you may do so in the following ways:

- Donate Online: [www.monadnockbible.org](http://www.monadnockbible.org)
- Make checks payable to: Monadnock Bible Conference  
P.O. Box 70  
Jaffrey, NH 03452

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*A higher standard.  
A higher purpose.*



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