



Giving young people a picture of who God has created them to be!

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He is Enough!

More Than Enough!

Before the summer began we had lots of questions. Will we have enough staff? Will we have enough money? Will we have enough energy? Will we have enough snacks? Over and over again this summer we were reminded that God is ENOUGH!!!! He's actually more than enough!! ***"And God will generously provide all you need. Then you will always have everything you need and plenty left over to share with others."***

1 Cor. 9:8 NLT. *Whatever questions you have, whatever situation you are going through, whatever challenge you face, know that God is enough!*

End of School Year Report

We finished up our 11th school year of ministry with 4 Dodgeball Tournaments. The latter two were our first ever attempt at the Cosmic Clash which was dodgeball played under the blacklights, which was an absolute blast!

We also held 2 of our annual fundraisers in the Someone Special Valentine's Dance, and The Amazing Race Dinner Auction! It was the most items we have ever auctioned off, and both events were a huge success. We are thankful for 11 years of school year ministry.



"MORE THAN" SPORTS CAMPS

It was another amazing summer of the Skybacher "more than" Sports Camps. We kicked things off right after school ended, with basketball camp at Freedom Middle School. Next up it was one of the rainiest soccer camps we've ever had. That didn't stop us, and we actually embraced the rain and had a day of soccer in a huge puddle. Flag Football Camp was one of the best turnouts we've had in years. After a break over 4th of July we resumed things with more basketball in a week of craziness and fun. Papa G came back to soccer camp and brought donuts to our largest camp of the summer. Finally we closed things out with our first ever All-star Playground Camp. It was a great ending to the camp summer out as we made 4 big teams with all campers and staff, and had competitions in hopscotch, jumprope, dodgeball, kickball, water balloon toss and more! We will definitely look to do this one again.

None of this even begins to scratch the surface of all that we experienced and witnessed this summer. So many laughs, smiles, rides on slip-n-slides, goals, baskets, touchdowns, piggy back rides, virtues, and moments of "Good News." We praise God for being more than enough and for making us "more than" what we started as this summer! We can't wait to do it all again next summer!

5th Annual Rubber Duck Derby

This was the 5th year for our Annual Rubber Duck Derby. This was by far the nicest weather we have ever had for the event, and it all lead to a great race, and the most ducks we ever sold in 569! Kristen Evans was the owner of the 1st place duck, and took home the \$250 cash.



Being that we just finished 11 school years of sports ministry and Good Sports, Good Times, and Good News, We figured we'd give 11 ways that you can help Skybacher Ministries Inc.

11 Ways You Can Help Skybacher Ministries

1. **Make a monthly donation!** This is how we function month to month! Donations can be made by check, by paypal on the website, or even through the donate tab on our Facebook page. Whether it's \$5 a month or \$500 a month, it all helps to fund the mission of Skybacher Ministries Inc.
2. **Shop at Amazon Smile!!** - That's right your online shopping can help change kids lives! Designate Skybacher Ministries as your charity at Amazon Smile.
3. **Pray!** We need prayer for our staff and volunteers, we need prayer for protection over the students, we need prayer for the families we are working with! Pray Hard!!
4. **Buy Us a Present!** We have wishes for a GoPro camera that we can use to video upclose and personal dodgeball, flagfootball, and our summer camps. We are also looking for a new slip-n-slide for summer camp as we had to put one down. And we would love someone to get us a few blacklights so we can have more "Cosmic" events in the future. (Items listed below)
5. **Donate to our Matching Grant!** We are currently raising funds for a \$4,000 grant that we will receive by the Beaver County Foundation when met.
6. **Volunteer and Have Fun!** - Basically volunteering involves showing young people how to play and have fun! We need referees for tournaments, concession people, helpers for fundraising events.
7. **Connect us with a business!** - We need businesses to donate prizes for tournaments, sponsor t-shirts and provide supplies for programs.
8. **Tell others about us!** - We need you to share with others just how Skybacher Ministries Inc. has impacted you, and your kids, and invite other families to try us out!
9. **Join our fundraising committee!** -If you have lots of creative ideas, and love to come up with unique fundraising events, or if you just are looking for a way you can serve, consider joining our fundraising committee that meets once a month.
10. **Follow us on social media** - We are on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Flickr, Snapchat, and even Pinterest! Also can connect to our website at www.skybacherministries.org!
11. **Donate snacks for Pray & Play** - Each week our sports outreach host 20-30 students who work up an appetite. We are looking for chips, pretzels, 2 liters of pop and other snacks that can be used!

Wish List

GoPro Hero 4 silver	- \$399	☆
Chauvet Lighting SlimBANK UV-18 LED Black Light	- \$299	☆
Blast Zone Spray-n-Splash 2 Inflatable Water Park	- \$356	☆

Pray & Play starts Sept. 13th!

Sundays 6:30 - 8:30p

Youth in 5th -12th grade are welcome

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Other Ways for donating to Skybacher Ministries

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