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Dear Christian Friends,

The Board of Directors of Lutheran Pioneers met earlier this evening. The main focus of this meeting was to reflect on Family Adventure Days 2022, which was held at Camp Oak Ridge from July 20-24, 2022.

Having attended this same event for the two prior years elsewhere and the meetings afterward, I am so very pleased to draft this letter to all of you. What a difference!!

The level of cooperation we received from all of you was absolutely incredible. We felt like partners, not just during the event but before it and since. While our meeting invariably led to things that can be improved upon, every single one of those things was something that Pioneers is responsible for adjusting. Camp Oak Ridge, and its volunteers, were incredible throughout.

Our event was incredibly successful, and we have the letters and drawings from those who attended to prove it. We will soon be sharing those with you as well.

While there are many others, we want to specifically mention a few who went way beyond expectations in their service to their Lord by assisting Lutheran Pioneers and Camp Oak Ridge. The help of people like John and Kaela Emerson, DJ and Emily Meier, Tom and Mary Bird, and Doug Raiman helped make our event the best it has ever been, and we mean by miles when we say that.

One of the Pioneer mantras is to always leave a space better than you found it. We pray that our team of volunteers left Camp Oak Ridge that way.

We are thrilled at the partnership we have formed with you, and sincerely hope to continue to host Family Adventure Days at Camp Oak Ridge in the future.

From the bottom of our hearts, THANK YOU – THANK YOU – THANK YOU!!

In Christ,



Joseph J Jilek IV
Lutheran Pioneers, Board Chairman