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Howdy Alumni and Friends of BMR!

We are more excited than ever to be getting ready for our 75th year of camping at Blue Mountain! We are trying to get the cobwebs out of our brains and all the buildings here at camp as well! We could not have made it through this without your love and support. The donations we received last summer insured that we could properly take care of our horses and pay the bills through the winter. We were overcome with your generosity and the outpouring of love we received at the news camp was cancelled. Thank you again so very much.

We will be holding camp as usual with a few modifications due to covid precautions. There will be some pre-camp precautions that we will be asking of camp families. Kids will be in cabin groups that will stay together for the first week (more than normal) and we will be eating outside as much as possible. We will be doing everything outside as much as possible!! It will still be CAMP, and that's the important thing.

Medical people: If any of you are retired medical personnel or even if you could take some time off, we will be needing more med folks this summer due to covid. We can promise to give you a place to sleep, feed you well and give you time to walk our path at BMR this summer!! Just let us know.

As it is our 75th year, we wish we could invite all of you to come visit us during camp this summer. However, this is not suggested by either the American Camp Association or the State of Colorado. If you do come by, we would request that you come straight to the office where we can greet you but not go where the children are. We are creating a "bubble" of safety for the kids while they are at camp. Thanks!!

Also, because of this big anniversary, we will be having a **75th Anniversary Reunion Weekend over Labor Day 2021**. This will be a fun event during which there will be a barbeque at the meadow, a bonfire and activities at camp, and lots of time for visiting with your camp friends. As long as there is space available, you can stay at camp if you like. There is also a list of recommended lodging nearby if bunkbeds are not your thing anymore! There is a short form to fill out on our website if you would like to attend. We would love to have you.

Spring Spruce UP!! Come help us open camp!! May 14 – 16. Come for one day or all weekend! Bring a paint brush and/or a hammer!

75 Hours for 75 Years!! The last weekend of April will be our 75 for 75 Campaign for 2021. **It will run from 10:00 AM April 22 – 1:00 PM April 25**. This is our annual fundraiser for scholarship funds for deserving kids who otherwise wouldn't have the opportunity to have a camp experience. You can donate on our website, and all donations are tax deductible. Thanks for your support in the past and now!!

We love and appreciate you!! Stay in touch and come to the reunion!!!

