

SUGAR CREEK BIBLE CAMP

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"Sugar Creek has brought me to both a more mature and a more childlike faith."

"Sugar Creek has helped me find Christ in the people around me."

~ Quotes from our counselors ~

Pioneer Club

And Planned Giving Opportunities



Mission Statement

"Where all generations encounter Christ through God's people and Creation."



Sugar Creek is located on 635 acres of beautiful wooded hills and clear streams in Southwestern Wisconsin. Sugar Creek is an active place in God's creation year round. Our camping ministry centers around a loving concern for young and old alike. People dedicated to the continuing growth and development of Sugar Creek Bible Camp are Pioneer Club Members.

The Sugar Creek Board of Directors established the Pioneer Club in 1966 to assure that a strong camping ministry would continue. It is in the spirit of the camp's founding years that today's Pioneer Club Members provide the financial leadership Sugar Creek needs to strengthen and extend its ministries.

Did you know:

- Our goal is to charge each camper 60% of our actual cost. Your gift will help pay the remaining 40%
- 72% of the students in seminary identify a camp experience as a turning point in their faith development
- Over 3,000 kids are served by Sugar Creek in one summer

"You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God."
2 Corinthians 9:11



As a member of the Pioneer Club you will:

- Receive a memento for your home or office
- Be listed in our Annual Report
- Receive an invitation to the Annual Pioneer Appreciation Dinner
- Receive a tax deduction
- **Have the satisfaction of knowing you are helping to provide a ministry that nurtures the faith in thousands of people each year!**

To Become a Pioneer Club Member

An annual contribution in these categories enables you to become a Pioneer Club Member:

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| Pioneer | \$100 |
| Growth Giver | \$200 |
| Silver Circle | \$500 |
| Gold Circle | \$1,000 |
| Platinum | \$10,000 |

Are you a Thrivent Financial for Lutherans Member?

Thrivent makes it easier for you to give through Thrivent Choice program – CALL YOUR Thrivent Agent to sign up and help Sugar Creek Bible Camp grow through this opportunity.

There are many ways to support the ministries of Sugar Creek Bible Camp through Planned Giving.

WHAT IS PLANNED GIVING?

Planned giving is sitting down and reviewing what blessings you have accumulated and deciding how you would like to share some of the assets with others (your children, family members and favorite organizations). By deciding how you want to share your accumulated assets you can:

- Save on taxes
- Help children avoid capital gains tax
- Feel good about helping others
- Create a legacy!

CASH A gift of cash is one way to realize your charitable objectives. Cash gifts qualify as a charitable deduction for tax purposes.

LIFE INSURANCE You can include Sugar Creek as a beneficiary of your life insurance, you can donate your paid up policy, or you can write and donate a new policy to Sugar Creek.

CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY By giving your special gift you can begin receiving income for the rest of your life and camp receives the remainder.

U.S. SAVINGS BONDS You make a specific bequest of U.S. Savings Bonds to Sugar Creek through a will and save all the income tax that would otherwise be due from your heirs.

SECURITIES Gifts of appreciated securities (stocks, bonds) are excellent ways to gift to Sugar Creek. You can bypass capital gains tax and receive deductions in the year of the gift.

REAL ESTATE A gift of property held for more than one year can provide the same federal tax advantages as a gift of securities.

BEQUESTS Through your will you can designate Sugar Creek as a beneficiary. Bequests are deductible for federal estate tax purposes.

Sugar Creek's **TRUST FOUNDATION** provides another opportunity through which our ministry may be supported. By giving to our foundation you create a source of future income for the ministries of Sugar Creek.



The key to sustaining the ministries at Sugar Creek Bible Camp are gifts like these.

We encourage you to seek professional advice when putting together your planned gifts. Please contact Sugar Creek for more information on resources to help you plan your gifts.

All gifts are tax deductible.



“Sugar Creek is AWESOME”



Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Congregation _____

E-mail (If you'd like to receive e-mails from us.) _____

I would like to make an annual contribution of:

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|--------------------------|---------------|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Pioneer | \$100 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Growth Giver | \$200 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Silver Circle | \$500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Gold Circle | \$1,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Platinum | \$10,000 |

Other contribution is: _____

I would like to make this contribution:

- Annually Quarterly Monthly

Please charge my credit card for this gift.

- Visa Master Card Discover

Card Number _____

Exp. Date _____ CSC# _____

- As a gift of thanks we'd like to offer you a Sugar Creek plaque. Please check this box if you would like to receive this gift.
- I have included Sugar Creek in my will or estate plans.
- I would like to visit with somebody about my estate plans.