



**COMECA NEWS**  
 JUNE 2018

HAPPY   
 Summer

In this issue of ComecaNews we've got the inside scoop about what's going on at Camp this month! Check out our tips for Summer Camp, peek at the projects we're working on, and even grab the link on page 4 to share a video with your friends and family. If you would like to be put on our Newsletter E-mail list, just send an email to Justin at [jhoehner@greatplainsumc.org](mailto:jhoehner@greatplainsumc.org). Also, feel free to share this link or a printed copy of this (or any of our ComecaNews Issues) with your family and friends. Thank you for your prayers and support!

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Follow **THIS** simple guide as you plan to join us for an **INCREDIBLE** time at **CAMP!**



# TIPS FOR SUMMER CAMP

Experience Christ in a new and exciting way this July! Come to Camp Comeca for summer camp and find out how living for Jesus and being a disciple of Christ can change your life!



**REGISTER TODAY!**  
[www.campcomeca.com](http://www.campcomeca.com)



Check the "What to Bring List" on our Comeca Website and give yourself enough time to purchase items in time for camp!



Check the forecast a couple days ahead & pack accordingly.

If you're coming to a camp with **THEME NIGHTS** come prepared to dress up! Be creative! Look at thrift shops & Pinterest for fun ideas!



**"Bring Your A-Game"**  
 Be ready to grow, compete, challenge yourself, try new things, learn, & ask some questions! We are so excited to welcome YOU to Camp Comeca!



## Still Looking for YOUR Camp?

Here are the options divided into age groups. Please register online at [www.campcomeca.com](http://www.campcomeca.com) and sign-up using the grade you have just completed.

<b>Preschool</b> <i>thru</i> <b>2nd grade</b> <small>(With an Adult Guardian)</small>	<b>1st Grade</b> <i>thru</i> <b>5th Grade</b>	<b>6th Grade</b> <i>thru</i> <b>12th Grade</b>
<b>Sonshine</b> <b>July 5-7</b> <i>or</i> <b>Guardian Angel</b> <b>July 6-7</b>	<b>Mini Faith &amp; Fun</b> <b>July 9-11</b> <i>or</i> <b>Faith &amp; Fun #1</b> <small>(for 3rd - 5th grade)</small> <b>July 16-21</b>	<b>Faith &amp; Fun #2</b> <b>July 23-28</b> <i>or</i> <b>Niobrara Adventure</b> <b>July 30-Aug 4</b>

**All Ages: Family Camp : Labor Day Weekend**

Have a question about our camp options, discounts, or simply prefer to register over the phone? Call our office 308-784-2808 and talk with Jason.





# COMECA NEWS



## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CAMP

*a little recap...*

## MAY SERVICE CREWS & RETREATS

We enjoyed the transition to warmer weather during May and hosted a variety of Retreats and Service Crews here at Camp Comeca. In the beginning of the month, when school was still in session, we had an excellent group of young people from Cozad Public Schools join us during Cozad Cares Day. They helped clean up flower beds, prepped the showerhouse for summer, and tackled a few other odd projects. Another team from Faith Christian School in Kearney, NE helped with yard work and clean-up at Comeca Cove.

The VIM Team from Kansas joined us at Comeca for a full week of construction! They renovated our Cabin #3 and it is looking good! Later in the month, we had a group of friends who live locally come to paint the doors in the dining hall. The Sutton Federated Church brought their Youth Group for a few days and they cleaned, organized, and painted.

We are so thankful for each of the Service Crews who came to bless Comeca with their skills and willing hearts! We are ready for a busy June & July with camp looking great!

We also want to thank each of the individuals who contributed donations for our Market Day Fundraiser at Tractor Supply on May 12th! Even in the rain we managed to raise nearly \$1,000 that day (That was a lot of cinnamon rolls & cookies!!) And for those who have sent "Surprise Packages" from our Amazon Wishlist this month- we want to say Thank You to you also!! It is so fun to share the joy of opening each #surprisepackage with our staff! If you would like to see our Wishlist, just click the link below to amazon.com:

[https://www.amazon.com/.../w.../Is/28X69VHNVHVJ3/ref=cm\\_gf\\_ss\\_wl](https://www.amazon.com/.../w.../Is/28X69VHNVHVJ3/ref=cm_gf_ss_wl)



In May, we also had Retreat Groups here at Comeca! High School Seniors from both Cozad HS, and Kearney Catholic HS came for day retreats. The Cozad Swim Team that has been using our indoor pool for practices finished their indoor training in May and will join us again once the summer season ends. We also hosted friends from Gothenburg UMC, a pastor retreat with guests from Lexington, NE, a large group of students came for an Annual Lutheran Confirmation Camp, and finally the Cross Country Teams from Lexington High School came for overnight retreats doing team-building activities and helping to build up our trail system!

## MEET OUR SUMMER STAFF!

We are proud to present the 2018 Comeca Summer Staff! We gathered for Staff Training during the last weeks of May and are so pleased with the team that God has provided! Doing ministry alongside these individuals has already been a blessing, and we can't wait to grow closer together and share Christ's Love with our campers through June and July! #CampStaff



# UPCOMING EVENTS

Here's something **NEW**



Visit YouTube to see the Video

In an attempt to communicate more with churches in our area, we've decided to create video updates periodically! Our first one is online! If you would like to receive the video updates to share with your church, simply email Amy at amyhoehner92@gmail.com

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1UzYEzO4hpU>

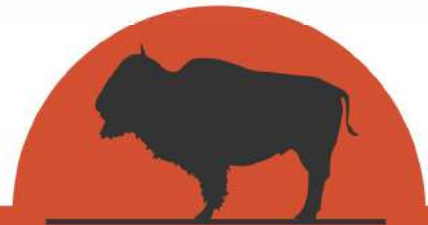
## JUNE RETREATS

We plan to have the following groups on site during the month of June!

- A work crew from Tulsa, OK UMC
- Dawson County 4-H Camp
- Lexington YMCA Days
- Footsteps Camp
- Eagle Crest
- Farnam Youth Group
- Camp Kesem
- Aurora Wrestling Team
- Therapist Conference
- Midway Lake Wildlife Luncheon

If you would like to check availability and plan a retreat, call our office and talk with Danielle. (308) 784-2808.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR



**SUNDAY  
OCTOBER 7TH  
2018**

**CAMP COMECA'S**  
67TH ANNUAL BUFFALO  
**BARBECUE**



FAMILY FRIENDLY FOOD & FUN

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE AN ITEM FOR THE SILENT AUCTION AT THE BBQ, CONTACT JUSTIN (936) 435-4826

