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June, 2025

More information on Disaster Ministry and Camp Sugarwood and other announcements, including complete schedules, registration forms, etc can be found on the district website: [www.sodcob.org](http://www.sodcob.org). or check with your church office.

### **Camp Sugarwood Updates**

#### **It's time to register for Camp!**

Find the registration form online at [sodcob.org](http://sodcob.org).

#### **August 5-8 Pieceful Quilt Camp at Maria Stein Retreat Center,**

bring your quilting projects to work on and enjoy times of fellowship, games, Bible study, and learning or relearning new techniques.

#### **Plan to Attend the District Picnic June 22 at Cricket Holler.**

4:00 Games 9 square in the air, cornhole, ladder golf

5:30 Free Meal with ice cream provided by Dennis and Tammy Delk

6:30 Vespers.

This will be a time of fellowship and enjoyment of the campgrounds.

Please RSVP by June 19 to Carrie at [cdrees23@gmail.com](mailto:cdrees23@gmail.com) or text 937-564-7346

#### **Camp Sugarwood Scholarships Sought**

Have a heart for the camping ministry, for children, and teens but cannot volunteer? Would you be able to support our camping ministry by contributing to scholarships needed for many of our campers? About to ten to twelve campers each year need your help to experience the life-changing impact of our summer camps and Winter Blast. While some churches offer partial scholarships, many families cannot afford the remaining cost. Your donation will directly support these children, providing them with opportunities for spiritual growth, personal development, and unforgettable memories. Please donate today at [sodcob.org](http://sodcob.org) or mail your gift to SOKD CoB Camping and Retreat Ministries PO Box 785 Greenville, OH 45331. Thank you for your generosity!

#### **Camp Sugarwood Wishlist**

There are several items that Camp Sugarwood would like to have to make it easier for preparing meals in the kitchen as well as a few items for workshops and activities for the camps. If you would like to help us with these purchases, the items are listed here: [https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/17UUZ989BSJ4D?ref=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/17UUZ989BSJ4D?ref=wl_share)

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Thank You to all who have already made purchases from the Wishlist! We greatly appreciate your generosity.

### **Disaster Ministry Updates**

**BDM Rebuilding Opportunity** - Volunteers are needed for September 7-13 at the BDM site in Letcher County, KY. Eight homes at Thompson's Branch have been recently completed. Chestnut Ridge is the next higher ground site, where twelve houses will be built by BDM, as we partner with HOMES, Inc. Also, work continues elevating and repairing flood damaged homes. For more information or to volunteer, call/text Helen Wolf at 937-902-3475 or [SouthernOhioBDM@gmail.com](mailto:SouthernOhioBDM@gmail.com). A flyer with all the 2025 trip dates can be found on the district website.

**Sewing Bee** – On Saturday, June 28 there will be a Sewing Bee/CWS Prep at 9:00 AM. Come to Greenville COB, 421 Central Avenue. Sewers need to bring a sewing machine to make school bags for Church World Service (CWS). There will be work for non-sewers, prepping kit supplies. All are invited to bring a sack lunch. A flyer with all of the dates can be found on the district website.

**CWS Kits/Buckets** – S. Ohio/KY BDM has had a busy winter and spring purchasing supplies and assembling kits/cleanup buckets for Church World Service (CWS). Sewing Bees can be found on the district website. Potsdam COB and Beavercreek COB assembled 1,220 hygiene kits. Oakland COB and Eaton Community Church youth assembled 2,060 school kits. There was also an assembly of 240 cleanup buckets at Bulens warehouse. CWS greatly appreciates these kits and buckets for many have been distributed with all the recent disasters.

**Oakland Garage Sale Benefits BDM** – Donations are being accepted for the garage sale that supports S. Ohio/KY BDM. Do you have some items to donate? Small items may be brought Monday – Thursday from 9:00 – 1:30. Large items may be brought on Mon., June 23 and Tues., June 24. The garage sale will be on Wednesday, June 25, 5-8PM, Thursday, June 26, 9AM-6PM, and Friday, June 27, 9AM-3PM. Oakland COB is located at 8058 Horatio Harris Creek Rd., Bradford. Thank you for your support!

**Ice Cream Social** – On Sat., August 2, the annual Ice Cream Social will be held at Happy Corner COB from 4:00-7:00 PM. Plan to come for supper, ice cream and pie, music, and to buy Share-A-Meal tickets. All proceeds will support the ministry of S. Ohio/KY BDM.

**Golf Scramble** – On Saturday, August 16 the annual Golf Scramble will be held at Beechwood Golf Course. Registration forms and Hole sponsorship information can be found on the district website. This event is sponsored by the S. Ohio/KY District Camping and Retreat Ministries and BDM. Send all registration and sponsorship forms and money to Kevin Dull 554 Westbrook Rd., Brookville, OH 45309. For more information contact Kevin at (937-604-3285), [montpres57@gmail.com](mailto:montpres57@gmail.com).

*For more information on what is happening in Southern Ohio as well as more details on these events contact your church office, email the Southern Ohio/Kentucky District ([sodcob@brethren.org](mailto:sodcob@brethren.org)) or visit our website: [www.sodcob.org](http://www.sodcob.org). In addition to this publication, we also email a monthly newsletter. To request a newsletter simply email your request to VVthe same email address. If you would like to add your event to either the website, this publication, or the monthly newsletter please email your information to [sodcob@brethren.org](mailto:sodcob@brethren.org) **before the 15th of the month.***