

Eagle's Nest Baptist Ministries

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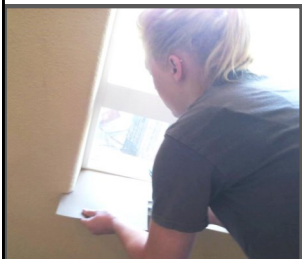
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June 2014 Update

Work teams from Montrose and Gunnison, Colorado



Praise the Lord for teams from First Baptist in Gunnison and Victory Baptist in Montrose who helped with some of the "finishing touches!" What a blessing to get window sills throughout the building, more finish painting done, and carpet in the office and supervisor's apartment! The men put more metal siding on the outside, and Deb Miles made some classy valances for the windows downstairs. These people had a mind to work, and we really appreciated all their help!

One project we worked on but didn't get completed was moving the prayer chapel from its present location at the Senior Edwards home to its new location at Eagle's Nest. Lowell Edwards built it in his early 90's and has since passed into Heaven. The chapel will be a quiet place for meditation and prayer at Eagle's Nest.

If you'd like to come (as individuals or groups) for a week or even a few days to help finish up some details or do general yard prep and clean up, please call or email. We have a few RV hookup sites, and we have lodging available at the Edwards' "hotel" and on the floor in the building.

Philosophy of Eagle's Nest Baptist Ministries

Realizing that the ultimate wisdom of the ages and beyond is contained in God's Word the Bible, we will always endeavor to approach every situation from a Biblical perspective. *"If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him."* (James 1:5) **"God's wisdom above human reasoning"** will always be our motto.

Why a Boarding School for At-Risk Boys?

Raising children in today's world is difficult, and many situations arise that cause parents to seek help for struggling teens. Eagle's Nest will provide a basic traditional Christian education, plus an emphasis on vocational training, outdoor education, and ranch chores. The character, responsibility, and resourcefulness that these activities teach are all parts of Biblical manhood. Teenage boys in danger of spiritual and moral failure will have their instability challenged with a Biblical world view. An individualized plan of instruction for each young man will address his particular needs and goals. The parents of the teen will also receive Biblical instruction to help the whole family.

If you know of any teenage boys in need of this type of help, please contact us right away so we can start the application process for this fall. Our staff is small (but qualified), and our facility will still be in the development stage, but we believe we can assist young men with our small student/staff ratio and Biblical worldview. Don't wait any longer to get the struggling teenager in your life the help he needs. Give us a call or send us an email, and let's discuss the program we have here at Eagle's Nest Baptist Ministries.

"As an eagle stirs up her nest, flutters over her young, ...bears them on her wings, so the Lord alone did lead him... He made him ride on the high places..." Deut. 32:11-13

Praise the Lord for His provision!

- The donation of the materials and labor to build the bunkbeds, and mattresses for them, too!
- Quilts for the beds!
- Office desks, chairs, and bookshelves!
- 7 Round tables and chairs!
- Bed and other furnishings for supervisor's apartment!
- Money to purchase office and apt. carpet, lighting, building supplies!
- Curtain rods and material for valances (and labor to sew them up)!
- Labor from several individuals and groups to help with siding and interior finish work!

So, what's left to finish?

To Purchase/install:

- Lighting:
Ceiling lights for multipurpose room (16)
Entry lights (inside and out) (3)
Patio lights/fans (3)
- Sprinkler system for dorm rooms (Praise the Lord, He has provided someone to engineer this!)
- Over-pour for kitchen floor (Praise the Lord, we have a team coming to do this and funds to cover it!)
- Carpet tiles for rest of downstairs
- Bathroom dividers
- Dressing/privacy curtains for showers
- Mirrors for 4 bathrooms
- Doors—5 exterior and 2 interior
- Pillows, sheets
- Kitchen utensils, cookware
- Good copier/printer
- Shelving in closets and pantry
- Miscellaneous construction finish (metal siding, soffit, doorknobs, etc.)

*We will also need to purchase school materials and staple food items for the kitchen.

Meet Some of Our Staff



Greg Schnabel, Director. An ordained minister of the gospel, Greg has had eight years experience working with teenagers in church and at White River Academy, an academy for troubled boys. He has personnel management experience as the lead operator in production at Materion, a mining process plant. He and Mandy are stepping out on faith to come serve the Lord at Eagle's Nest. Please pray for them.

Jonathan Edwards, Founder and Chairman of the Board. With forty years experience pastoring, planting churches in Utah and working in camp ministry, Jonathan will help oversee the program. Please pray for godly wisdom for him and for the Board of Trustees.



Dan Zakes, Activities Director and Dorm Supervisor. BA in Biblical Studies, Counseling. Dan has four years experience in outdoor ministry and counseling teenagers at various Christian camps and Victory Academy for Boys. He will oversee the extracurricular activities.

Chrissa Edwards, Individual Education Supervisor and Tutor. Chrissa has thirty years experience teaching, with ten years in Special Education. She will help with the educational program.



Prayer requests:

- Teaching staff
- Kitchen staff—we have some temporary help!
- Office Manager
- Wisdom concerning many details of curriculum, scheduling, and staff needs
- Work teams to help complete the building
- Money (about \$20,000)
- The right students for our first year

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