



Flying H Youth Ranch 370 Flying H Loop Naches, WA 98937

Dear Partners in Ministry,

The following is a synopsis of how we did financially in 2013:

- Total Income increased by 19% to \$611,637 while total expenses also increased by 5.5% to \$561,776
- Missionary Support was up 14.8 % at \$226,413. Primary results of increase are the terrific job that our newest staff members, Clay & Wendi Griffith, have done in discovery of support. (Please continue to hold these families; Albright's, Creach's & Griffith's, in prayer as they continue ministry here at the Flying H Youth Ranch as well as the rest of our seasoned staff.)
- Scholarship funds were down 20% at \$31,184 (helping our financially needy families keep their boys in the program-Thank you all for your generous gifts)
- Tuition paid by parents was up 5.5% at \$170,094 (Please join us in thanking the Lord for families and their ability to contribute)
- General contributions were down 4.2% at \$58,350 (Total Donations were up 16.4% at \$388,326)

If any of you would like a complete financial statement, please ask. We want to be absolutely open about how we handle your generous contributions.

Facilities Improvements:

- We installed a Basketball / Skateboard pad and ramps just out in front of the Lodge. *We want to give a big thank you to one of our local Kiwanis group, along with our own staff member Scott Eilts and volunteer Phil Hobson doing a lot of the 'work on the ground'.*
- We have also begun to build storage sheds as part of a 'construction vocational educational' class led by Ben Creach (staff member). The boys get to see the results of their hard work and also begin to learn a trade.



- Thank the Lord for Volunteers like Keith Carlson & Bob Berger who have nearly finished a great work in cleaning up our 'bone yard' area of all the scrap metal that we have turned into 'cash for trash' campaign. Literally thousands of dollars in metal has gone to the scrap yard over the last three years.

I know that I am saying this again, we thank you very much for joining us in the Lord's work at the Flying H Youth Ranch. We know that with continued prayer and financial support, as God leads and provides, the work with the boys will continue. We love these boys that God sends to us and our desire is to see them make heart changes that will last them a lifetime. Many of you send your financial support to help our staff families, and some of you send your funds to help a boy and family in need, but all of you we know are praying. To all of you, I want to say thank you again and again. We appreciate the opportunity of serving our Lord in this way.

In His Service,

Steven L. Alumbaugh

Praises:

- Thanking the Lord for a good running Subaru Legacy Outback 1999 that we are now using for our 'run to town' rig. It gets good gas mileage and was one of our in-kind donations gifts. Awesome Lord!
- For the current number of our boy population (15), we were at eight, late last year, and now thanking Him for the increase.
- Our physical health, each and every staff family member. The Hunting's have a new baby boy, please keep them in prayer.

Prayer Requests:

- We are systematically remodeling the Lodge interior. We are asking the Lord for provision in tongue and groove ceiling material and lighting fixtures as our next endeavor, estimate of costs would be about \$2,500 - \$3,000.
- Gifts-in-kind like 4x4 vehicles to use in snow and forest roads. Suburban / Excursion type vehicles that are multi-passenger would be excellent.
- One of our volunteer SOWER projects will be under way this spring building a shed for our pressure tanks and generator at our main well head. Funding will also be a needs request.