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News and updates from the president of the Rocky Mountain Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.

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Pastor Craig Carr interviewed on Boulder radio station about the Adventist Church's stance on alcohol

» The **University of Colorado Boulder** just released a study contrasting the longevity of those who drink small amounts of wine and alcohol to those who don't drink at all. The

study found that those who never drink often live longer, healthier lives.

As a result, **Shelley Schlender**, a news reporter from **KGNU Community Radio** in Boulder, invited **Craig Carr**, senior pastor of the **Boulder Church**, to be



a guest today on her morning show. She was aware that Adventists refrain from alcohol consumption. She also asked Pastor Carr about additional Adventist health practices that result in longer lifespans as reported in the resent **Adventist Health Studies** from **Loma Linda University**.

Click here to listen to the interview.

Praise the Lord for the opportunity to witness of the wonderful benefits of our health message!



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Upcoming Events

RMC Camp Meeting Dates

Wyoming Camp Meeting July 16–20

Mills Spring Ranch Casper, Wyo. Contact: Weldon Treat

Northeast Colorado

Camp Meeting
July 26–27
Campion Academy
Loveland, Colo.
Contact: Rex Bell

OHV Christian Adventure
Camp Meeting
July 31–Aug. 4
45 Miles West of
Colo. Springs on Hwy 24
Contact: Bruce Aalborg

ARME Bible Camp is coming to Glacier View Ranch July 31–Aug. 4 » So many who have been to an **ARME Bible Camp** say they have experienced God in a powerful way. I want to encourage as many of you who can to go spend some precious time with the Savior. So far, nearly 300 have registered, but room is still available.

Pastor Mitch Williams, pastor of the **The Adventure** and **Greely** churches in Colorado, took a number of his members to an ARME Bible Camp held in California. The time spent there was a great blessing to all. <u>Read some personal testimonies</u> from his members who attended.

All ages are welcome! Register now <u>www.ARMEministries.com</u>or call Dawn at 425.583.7023.



Glacier View Ranch summer camp season ends with baptisms » Under the direction of **Steve Hamilton**, Rocky
Mountain Conference youth director, and **Jessica Beans**,
assistant to the youth director, RMC just concluded its summer
camp program at GVR. There were more campers attending this
summer than have been in attendance for quite some time.

During the program, more than 40 young people made a decision to be baptized, and these names will shared with their pastors back at home. In addition, nine members of the camp staff were baptized on the final Sabbath. What a beautiful way to close out a great year of camping ministry!



The Rocky Mountain Conference Indonesian Church holds Youth Camp Meeting » The weekend of July 12–14, the RMC Indonesian Church hosted a youth camp meeting at Chatfield State Park. Pastor Stanley Sihotang from Andrews University was the guest speaker.

A highlight of the weekend was when **Purasa Marpaung**, pastor at the RMC Indonesian Church, baptized **Lilyann Napitupulu**.

Hispanic Camp Meeting
Aug. 30–Sept. 2
Glacier View Ranch
Ward, Colo.
Contact: Ruben Rivera

RMC Summer Camp Dates

Glacier View Ranch

We had a great summer camp season at Glacier View Ranch this year! We hope you'll all join us for at least one of the summer camps next year! They're great for kids and great for families!

Mills Spring Ranch

This summer at Mills Spring Ranch, our week of summer camp follows the week of Wyoming camp meeting. Come as a family to camp meeting, and leave the kids for an extra week of fun and spiritual growth atop Casper Mountain.

Wyoming Summer CampJuly 21–28 *Ages 9–14*

CLICK HERE FOR RMC CAMP REGISTRATION

Information Line: 303.282.3664

Camp Office (summer): 303.459.0945

EMAIL QUESTIONS

Women's Ministry Seaside Escape

Sept. 13–15 Farmington, N.M.

Oct. 11–13
Glacier View Ranch
Ward, Colo.

The **Seaside Escape** retreat is a great event to invite a coworker, neighbor or friend to attend. We'll dig deeper into the story of Sarah and Hagar, and bask in God's presence. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to fellowship with women from around the Rocky Mountain Conference!

Contact <u>Ginger Bell</u> for more information.

Upcoming Events

Aug. 5–9 Vacation Bible School Fort Morgan Church 5:30 p.m.–8:30 p.m.

Aug. 11–14
Pastors Meetings
Glacier View Ranch

Aug. 17
Conference-wide
Convocation with Elder Ted

Two important Pathfinder dates to remember » Aug. 1–4, the Rocky Mountain Conference Pathfinder Camporee will take place at Glacier View Ranch.



Sept. 13–15, the **Pathfinder/Adventurer**

Leadership Convention also will be held at GVR. You may register for these events at www.RMCyouth.org.

Our Pathfinder and Adventurer programs are so very important. I am thankful for all those who volunteer to make these opportunities possible for our young people.



RMC schools gear up for another great year » I am so proud of our schools and the incredible teachers and students who fill them! If there are any of you who are on the fence as to whether or not to send your children to an Adventist school, please do! It will be a wonderful investment in their lives!

<u>Click here</u> to learn the **registration days** for schools across the Rocky Mountain Conference. Contact the school directly if the registration time isn't provided. If your school isn't listed here, please send us the registration information, and we'll publish it on the Conference website.

Lamar Church celebrates
baptism » Recently, Allen
Tiller was baptized and became
a member of the Lamar
Church in Colorado. Read the
exciting story of how the Lord
brought this about, shared by his
pastor, Dale Fuhrmeister.



On the road » Diane and I were able to spend some time at the Cowboy Camp Meeting at the Columbine Pass Campground in western Colorado last week. Their



speakers, **Elizabeth Cornett** and **Stan Gilham**, brought beautiful lessons to encourage us on our walk with the Lord. If you love the great outdoors, this is a camp meeting for you!

Wilson, G.C. president, and other G.C. leaders in Montrose, Colo.

Sept. 20–22
Men's Advance
Redcloud Ranch
Lake City, Colo.
Contact Mary Olson for more information.



This week, we are attending the **Wyoming Camp Meeting** on the top of Casper Mountain at **Mills Spring Ranch**. There is a wonderful spirit here, and the Lord is blessing our two main speakers, **Ron Halvorsen Jr.**, senior pastor of College View Church in Lincoln, Neb., and **Mic Thurber**, Mid-America Union Conference ministerial director.



Next weekend, we will be at **Campion Academy** for the **Northern Colorado Camp Meeting** weekend. **Dick Duerksen**, official storyteller through words and pictures for **Maranatha Volunteers International**, will be the featured speaker for the weekend.

Happy Sabbath to all!

Elder Gary Thurber

Rocky Mountain Conference president

Lary Thurber

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Members can follow the link to sign up for weekly news and keep up-to-date on what's happening around the Rocky Mountain Conference.

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