

# CAMP TO BELONG GEORGIA WINTER NEWSLETTER

December 2008

## YEAR IN REVIEW

We've had a lot of time now to reflect on last year's camp—what a success it was! We made a difference in the lives of 22 children, brothers and sisters who had the opportunity at camp to enrich their relationships with one another. **We could not have done it without each and every one of you.**

We have learned and grown so much in the last year, not only having hosted our first, phenomenally successful camp but also having navigated the waters as a new

nonprofit organization with your support. Our counselors' personalities and talents all complemented each other this summer, and our camp was so special because of it. Our donors and partners have been ongoing, avid supporters, and we are constantly encouraged and energized

by their excitement about Camp To Belong Georgia. Thank you so much for all that you have done to help. Your involvement is what makes Camp To Belong Georgia possible.



## FCHS HOLIDAY EVENT

CTB-GA and Fellowship Christian High School have partnered to bring separated siblings together during the year. FCHS hosted a Christmas party in November and provided a shopping trip to Target, a Chick-fil-A lunch, cookie decorating, card making and air brushed t-shirts with all of the kids' names on them. Everyone had a WONDERFUL time. FCHS will be hosting a Valentine's party in February 2009 (Date TBD). Please contact Debby Carty-Campbell at 770.345.0630 if you would like to join us as a chaperone.



## Upcoming Events

### February TBD:

Valentine's event with FCHS

### June 27 - July 3:

Camp To Belong  
Georgia's Summer Camp at  
Camp Twin Lakes

### September 25:

3rd Annual Swing for  
Siblings Golf Tournament to  
Benefit  
Camp To Belong Georgia



## THANKS FOR PLAYING

The 2nd Annual Swing for Siblings Golf Tournament was a magnificent success, with over twice the number of players from the previous year. Thanks to your participation, CTB-GA raised over \$6,000! Save the date for next year: September 25, 2009.

## CAMP WILL BE HERE SOON!

Camp to Belong Georgia will host its 2nd Annual Summer Camp for siblings in care at Camp Twin Lakes from Saturday, June 27, 2009, through Friday, July 3, 2009. We are in the process of beginning camp planning for CTB-GA 2009.

This year we will be sharing the Camp Twin Lakes facility with Camp Kudzu, which is a camp for children with diabetes! We are hoping to double our camper numbers this year. Please spread the word to family and friends who might like to volunteer or whose families or friends may have children who qualify to attend camp. We have a huge need for male counselors. If you are interested in volunteering as a camp counselor or day helper, please contact Debby Carty-Campbell at 770.345.0630 or cartcamp@aol.com.

## FULTON DFCS HOLIDAY EVENT

CTB-GA had the opportunity to host a holiday party for a group of six separated siblings in foster and adoptive care and their families on Saturday, December 13th, at a local bowling alley. The brothers and sisters, who have lived apart for over nine years were thrilled to see each other, and the families were overjoyed at the opportunity to interact and rekindle relationships. Many thanks to DFCS for helping us arrange this wonderful outing!

Happy Holidays  
from all of us at  
Camp To Belong Georgia!  
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