

# Nathan Follmann's Update Letter

## Intro:

Hey everyone, it's Fall season at camp. I hope you all had a great Summer and have a wonderful Fall!

## Ministry update:

We have ended summer and now have started our fall retreats. During this summer I led our custodians, and it was a blast. It was awesome having conversations about Christ or just life. I also got to counsel for a week which was so much fun! It was a blessing because it reminded me why I am doing custodial at camp; which is to eliminate distractions so campers and guests can be immersed in the Gospel and not have to think about if something is gross.

After summer I started helping with maintenance projects. The maintenance team, with the help of Sowers, worked on trenching on lower camp by the ranges and upper camp out at the ballfield to put in some more lighting. Now the maintenance team is working on the cabin project. In case didn't know we are building a new cabin in the S cabin loop.



## Support Update:

Thank you everyone for your support either through financial support or through prayer. I made it to \$7,799 out of my goal of \$20,000, from August to August. I am looking to keep my goal the same this year. I have been blown away by the generosity of God's people and I am looking forward to seeing how God is going to supply the rest of my funds. For those who don't know, our paychecks are made possible by financial donors. By staff salaries coming from donations instead of camper fees, we can offer camps at lower costs, so families of varying incomes can come to LLBC to experience the Gospel.





## Personal update:

During this Summer I went down to see a friend in Iowa in the middle of July for a long weekend; then went to see my parents in Illinois on my way back to camp. It was an amazing time to reconnect a little and see friends and family.

At the end of summer some of the guys got together and went out camping; some in hammocks and others in their trucks. We just spent time together and worshiped God through song and community.

The first week of September I drove down to Texas with my mom and our neighbor. On the way my mom and I got to see a few friends too. When we made it to Texas, it was really nice to spend time with talking and catching up with my cousins. While there. I got to play with my cousin, Leilani. The whole time there I was trying to get her to say my name. By the end of the week she did! It was so cute; we would be running around, and then I would hide and she would start saying out loud "Nathan Nathan...". It was also

quite funny how she thought my mom, her Aunt Barbara, was her Nanna. We also went out to a few different coffee shops which had some yummy coffees. Then we went to the park and some places in Santino, TX. But most of the time we hung around the house talking and just living life together for that week. It was a blessing to be down there with family.

When I got back from Texas, I started roasting coffee beans again to try some Hawaiian beans and to learn the roasting process better, which was enjoyable.



## Prayer Requests:



- Prayer for the outreach of camp to our guest
- Prayer for health, I am working through some health issues
- Prayer for wisdom for the doctors



This was a stop at the Hot Springs in Arkansas

