



## ASSOCIATION MEMBER AFFIRMATION STATEMENT

Bethany Birches Camp is a special place for many people and we are honored that you have a desire to help encourage and nurture many lives through this place. Please look over the statements below. If you find yourself encouraged by the ideas below, we would love to have you join the Bethany Birches Camp Incorporation!

Association membership carries the responsibility and benefit of ownership of Bethany Birches Camp and so I commit to the following:

1. I will continue to be fully supportive of our vision to conduct a Christ-centered ministry with an Anabaptist focus which promotes individual and communal growth in spiritual, physical, emotional, and relational ways (see mission statement below).
2. I plan to read the minutes from the board of directors meetings that will be sent to me via email and can be sent via postal mail if email is not available.
3. I hope to attend the annual association meeting held in January as I am able recognizing the importance of meeting together and continually learning about happenings at camp. If distance is an issue video and teleconferencing may be a possibility or at the very least a briefing after the meeting from board chair or executive director.
4. I plan to be a faithful participant in a Christian church.
5. I recognize that Bethany Birches Camp relies heavily on financial support to achieve its mission and I hope to contribute what I can within my means and willingness. All financial contributions are tax deductible.
6. I recognize that a broad base of support is important in carrying out the ministry of BBC and I hope to inform others about the camp's ministry. Ways to be involved include and are not limited to prayer, financial contributions, rental of the facilities, attendance at programs, working on staff and being a volunteer at camp.
7. If my life or heart changes and I cannot agree to the above, I plan to contact the president of the board about other ways I can be involved outside of the association.

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Name

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Date

**Our core mission is to help young people to develop their relationship with God, by providing a Christ-centered camping experience in a natural and nurturing environment.**