



# CAMP & MENTORING CLUB FACTS 2017

## PEOPLE

Number of Campers ..... 8,665  
 Number of Adult Volunteers (US only) .. 13,278  
 Number of Teen Volunteers (US only) .... 1,176  
 Number of volunteer hours (US only) 1,706,117  
**Equivalent # of full time volunteer workers: 910\***

## DOLLARS

Total raised by US Camps ..... \$7,933,569  
 Avg. raised per US Camp ..... \$39,082  
 Avg. raised by 1<sup>st</sup> Year Camps.....\$31,418

## PLACES

Number of Camps ..... 233  
 United States ..... 203  
 International ..... 30  
 Average # of campers per US ..... 43  
 Average # of campers Internationally .... 25  
 Number of States represented ..... 41  
 Number of International Countries ..... 6  
 Number of church denominations ..... 23

## BIG PICTURE

Social Capital\*\* .....\$40,196,117  
 Returning campers as volunteers ..... 213  
 Adoptions because of Camp and/or Mentoring Club ..... 26  
 Foster Parenting because of Camp and/or Mentoring Club ..... 99  
 College Students who changed their course of study because of service w/ RFK....96  
**Total Campers served since 1985 ..... 119,254**

## MENTORING CLUBS DATA 2016/2017 School Year

Mentoring Club KIDS ..... 809  
 Adult Staff & Mentors ..... 1,416  
 1 Year Successful Mentor Match ..... 92%  
 Number of Mentoring Clubs ..... 46  
 U.S. .... 48  
 International (Australia & South Africa) ..... 3

## **Outcomes and Benefits**

### Campers/Mentoring Club KIDS:

Provides life changing moments where kids can just be kids  
 Shows a picture of family life for those who haven't experienced it  
 Replaces missing elements in their lives (i.e. attention, affirmation, happiness, positive memories, "basics" such as food, clothing, and emotional connectedness)

### Community:

Brings the church and state together for a noble cause  
 Community sees the church in a new light, as a giver and a servant  
 Gives caregivers a respite break

### Church:

Gets people involved - "out of the pew and involved with a purpose"  
 Builds faith in the members involved  
 Expands the church into the community

\* Total number of volunteer hours divided by 2000 which represents an approximate number of full-time non-paid yearly workers

\*\*Social Capital is the number of volunteer hours multiplied by the IRS volunteer services in 2013 at the rate of \$23.56..

[http://www.independentsector.org/programs/research/volunteer\\_time.html](http://www.independentsector.org/programs/research/volunteer_time.html)

# CHILDREN REACHED IN 2017

Location	Number of Camps	Number of Campers	Percentage Served
Nebraska	11	484	38%
South Dakota	3	109	25%
Colorado	8	354	24%
Idaho	2	79	18%
Washington	12	527	16%
Oregon	10	378	15%
Alaska	3	138	15%
Alabama	5	181	12%
New Hampshire	10	30	11%
Utah	2	86	11%
Wisconsin	6	240	11%
Ohio	10	419	10%
Iowa	4	169	10%
Wyoming	1	36	9%
Illinois	11	455	9%
California	31	1448	9%
Kansas	6	222	8%
West Virginia	3	134	8%
Louisiana	4	120	8%
Michigan	6	278	7%
Texas	11	718	7%
Arkansas	3	89	6%
New Mexico	1	56	6%
Oklahoma	4	198	5%
Tennessee	3	119	5%
Minnesota	4	121	5%
Virginia	2	63	4%
Pennsylvania	5	186	4%
Connecticut	1	38	4%
Georgia	2	140	4%
Indiana	6	215	4%
Arizona	3	195	3%
Maine	1	16	3%
North Carolina	2	88	3%
Missouri	4	104	2%
Florida	4	166	2%
Montana	1	23	2%
New York	3	138	2%
Massachusetts	2	58	2%
Nevada	1	18	1%
New Jersey	1	23	1%