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PARENT'S GUIDE TO SWAT 2021

STUDENTS WITH A TESTIMONY

Swat Vision

Our vision at Calvary Bible Church is Making Disciples Together.

SWAT is an acronym for Students With A Testimony. Every disciple of Jesus has a story. It is our vision that each high school student experiences their own story of following Jesus. So much so that they want others to experience the same.

So what marks a disciple of Jesus?

A disciple is...

Missional: they go and share God's story!

Accountable: they pursue holiness.

Reproducible: they invite others to join.

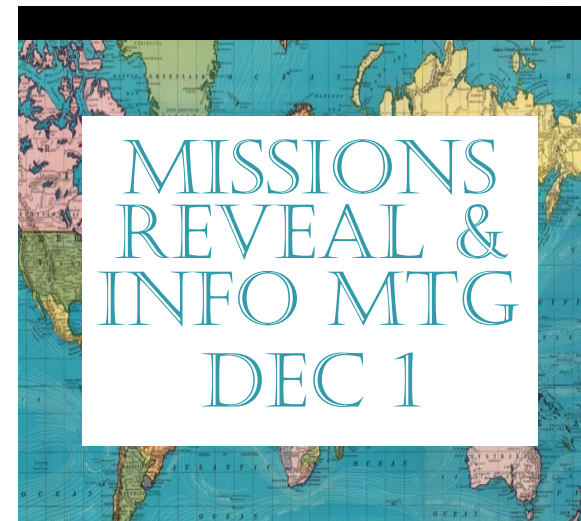
Communal: they go through life together.

Scriptural: they seek to know God.

It is our desire to see the **MARCS** of a disciple in every high school student that joins our SWAT family.



WE'RE HEADED TO
LAKE
MICHIGAN ON
TUES. AUG 3.
COST IS FREE!



Mission Trips

Mission trips are amazing, life-altering experiences and you won't want to miss one--so check out the possibilities! Pick up an application and get ready for God to do great things!!! Watch for details on the Summer 2022 Swat mission trip to be revealed on Dec 1st. We will be having a brief meeting directly after Swat.

Fundraisers:

SWAT Lunches (1 Sunday per month Jan-May), Vande Walles Candy Bars, Kwik Trip Script Cards, and Threads of Hope are just a few of the ways students can earn money to help cover the cost of their Swat Missions Trip. Swat lunches are a great time of fellowship as well as a time to earn money towards your summer mission trip.

SWAT RULES

1. EVERYBODY DOES WHAT EVERYBODY DOES: YOU ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND ALL MINISTRY ACTIVITIES UNLESS A LEADER SPECIFICALLY SAYS THERE ARE OPTIONS AVAILABLE.
2. LEADER'S WORD IS LAW. LEADERS MUST BE OBEYED AT ALL TIMES.
3. NO P.D.A. (PUBLIC DISPLAYS OF AFFECTION)
4. THE USE OF ENERGY DRINKS IS PROHIBITED
5. CELL PHONE USE IS PROHIBITED FOR THE FOLLOWING SWAT FUNCTIONS:
 - SUNDAYS FROM 9:30-10:30 AM FOR SWAT SUNDAY SCHOOL
 - WEDNESDAYS FROM 7:00-8:30 FOR THE SWAT EVENING PROGRAM
 - ALL RETREATS AND SPECIAL EVENTS UNLESS SPECIFIED

IF STUDENTS ARE FOUND USING THEIR CELL PHONE WHEN IT IS PROHIBITED, A LEADER HAS THE RIGHT TO CONFISCATE THE PHONE UNTIL THE EVENT IS OVER
6. STUDENTS MUST REMAIN IN GROUPS OF 3 OR LARGER.
7. RESPECT THE PROPERTY OF CALVARY BIBLE CHURCH.
8. THE USE OF ANY ALCOHOL, TOBACCO, OR NON-AUTHORIZED DRUGS WILL RESULT IN AN IMMEDIATE PHONE CALL HOME SO YOU CAN BE PICKED UP.
9. UNWHOLESOME TALK SUCH AS SWEARING, PERVERSE OR DISCRIMINATORY LANGUAGE, AND "PUT-DOWNS" ARE PROHIBITED.

****HAVE FUN****

MEET YOUR LEADERS!

Michael Hansen



Dana Remington



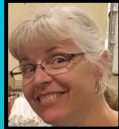
Brian Smith



Denise Hansen



Tracy Meyer



Shelly Smith



Allen Last



Danny Ozsvat



Deb Palmer



Zach Walkush



Julie Anderson



Ron Anderson



Ted Hansen



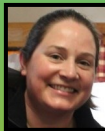
Amber Lewis



Kris Peterson



Sarah Barth



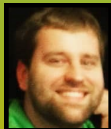
Josh Timmons



Sami Hansen



Brett Lewis



SWAT in the Park

Every summer SWAT moves to a new location for the months of June-August. We move to Smith Park on Doty Island in Menasha. (620 Keyes St.)

From 7-8 pm we usually can be found playing ultimate Frisbee, but there are tons of other things to do as well. Sometimes this “hangout” time is simply used to catch up with friends. From 8-9 pm we meet back at the pavilion for a time of worship and a message. Good times and a lot of new faces at Smith Park.



And don't forget to have your student join us on Aug. 4th at 5:30 pm for our Freshmen Welcome Picnic!



Swat Fall Campout 2021

This year's SWAT Fall Campout will be September 10-12th at Point Beach State Park. We'll be taking the bus on Friday after school and enjoying a weekend full of fun outdoors with worship time around the campfire. We'll camp in tents at a group site and spend time hiking, exploring and enjoying God's creation! The cost will be \$35 for the whole weekend. We will arrive back at church mid-afternoon on Sunday. Watch for a flyer toward the end of the summer with more details.

THINGS TO KNOW...

Medical Release

You can pick one up at SWAT or Sunday School or they are on the documents page of our church website and Facebook pages. We encourage you to get the two forms filled out and have your student bring it to SWAT or drop it at the CBC office as soon as you get the chance. You'll need it for any event your student wants to participate in off campus. We will keep them on file for 2 years and they will cover all the events. If you filled one out as a C-Teamer, these will follow your student up so no need to re-fill one out—unless Information has changed. If you filled out Medical Release forms for a mission trip—please be aware that these ARE NOT the same—they have different wording. If you have any questions about the forms please contact Michael or Dana. Please note new med release forms for 2020-2022

Social Media

"SWAT_CBC" - Facebook page

"CBC High School" Facebook Group is one of the primary ways we communicate with parents. We also post announcements and pics on our Instagram page "swat_cbc"

Remind Texts

In order to effectively communicate with both students and parents, we have found texting to be one of the most practical ways. If you are interested in getting updates and reminders of SWAT events, goings on, cancellations and other important info, please let Michael or Dana know you'd like to be added to the text alerts for SWAT.

WHAT CAN I EXPECT FROM A TYPICAL WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT SWAT?

Swat starts at 7 pm although many students do come to hang out earlier the Youth Room (212) we ask that all students use door # 15.

On any given night your student can expect to play a game, watch a funny video, worship with our student-led band and listen to a message from Pastor Michael or a guest speaker.

Swat messages are a combination of expository and topical.. Some of the subject matters are:

Love, sex & Dating (*choices, purity & boundaries*)

walking through the gospels

Media (*movies, social media & music*)

Science & God

Psalms/ proverbs

Swat is typically finished around 9 pm. We have soda, candy and chips available at our swat café. Students can be picked up anytime but we typically close the church at 9:30 pm.

JOIN US FOR PARENT'S NIGHT ON OCT 20



Cost is
\$35

MEYER CABIN
Laona, WI
April, 2022

Guys Retreat

Ladies Retreat



HANSEN COTTAGE
Crandon, WI

Same wknd as
the guys

SnowBlast 2022

SNOWBLAST IS SWAT'S BIGGEST RETREAT OF THE YEAR! WE WILL BE TRAVELING UP TO LAKE LUNDGREN BIBLE CAMP FEBRUARY 5-7, 2022 SAVE THE DATE! IT'S A FANTASTIC WEEKEND OF SPIRITUAL GROWTH AND TONS OF WINTER FUN! THEY HAVE TUBING HILLS, BROOMBALL, CROSS COUNTRY SKIING, ICE SKATING AND SO MUCH MORE TO OFFER DURING OUR FREE TIME. A SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER EACH YEAR AND WORSHIP MUSIC FROM OUR VERY OWN SWAT BAND! EACH YEAR WE OFFER A SPECIAL THEME AND ACTIVITIES FOR A TUBULAR WEEKEND! COST WILL BE \$105.



WE LOVE GIVING STUDENTS
OPPORTUNITIES TO LEAD!
WORSHIP TEAM
EMCEE
EVENT TEAM
WELCOME TEAM

SUNDAY SCHOOL

C-Team and Swat, our middle and high school youth groups meet every Sunday together in the youth room.

We meet during the middle hour from 9:30 to 10:30 AM. During this time, we study God's word through guided discussions and interactive lessons. We will also have opportunities for students to get to know one another, worship through music, and pray for one another.

A fun tradition on Sundays that occur around the holidays is to have pancake breakfasts!

We provide Bibles to all students who attend, but always encourage students to bring their own Bible!



**SUNDAYS
MIDDLE HOUR
9:30-10:30
YOUTH ROOM**

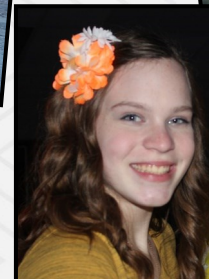
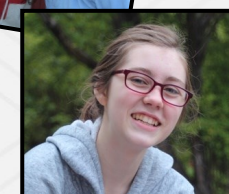


LADIES BIBLE STUDY

WHAT BETTER PLACE FOR LADIES TO CONNECT WITH EACH OTHER AND WITH GOD THAN AT BIBLE STUDY? JOIN US THIS FALL FOR OUR STUDY ON THE BOOK OF PHILIPPIANS AS WELL AS FUN ACTIVITIES!

THE LADIES BIBLE STUDY GROUP MEETS TWICE A MONTH, USUALLY SUNDAY NIGHTS FROM 6-830PM. LOCATIONS AND DATES ARE LISTED BELOW FOR THE FALL. WE ADVERTISE ON THE "CBC HIGH SCHOOL" FACEBOOK PAGE AND INSTAGRAM, AS WELL AS EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT. WE ALSO SEND OUT MASS TEXT MESSAGES THROUGH REMIND. PLEASE SIGN UP IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE INCLUDED ON THESE TEXTS.

SEPT 19
OCT 3
OCT 17
NOV 7
NOV 21
DEC 5
DEC 19



GUYS BIBLE STUDY

THIS FALL, JOIN OUR GUYS AS THEY
LEARN THE IMPORTANCE OF
DISCIPLESHIP THROUGH STUDYING
THE SCRIPTURES, PRAYING FOR
EACH OTHER, EATING TOGETHER,
AND INVITING OTHERS TO JOIN US!

WE MEET FROM 6:01 - 8:32 PM ON
THE SUNDAY EVENINGS LISTED
BELOW. LOOK FOR FACEBOOK,
INSTAGRAM, AND REMIND TEXTS
FOR UPDATES!

SEPT 19 NOV 7

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OCT 17 DEC 5

DEC 19



d-groups

making disciples together

d-groups are how we as leaders can disciple students beyond the wednesday night gathering. a leader will meet with 3-5 students (gender specific) on a weekly basis. we will read scripture together, memorize verses, journal what god is teaching us, pray for one another, and share the highs and lows of life. this is a great opportunity for accountability in spiritual disciplines as well as building close and healthy relationships with other believers.

meet weekly to
build friendships

read and memorize
scripture

pray for one another

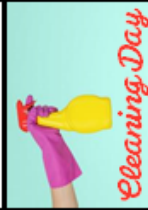
journal god at work

SWAT CALENDAR

SUN MON TUES WED THUR FRI SAT

1

MISSIONS
PANEL



29

Family
Service



26

BIBLE
STUDIES

100



AT
SBR

Tracy's
Birthday

2

9

16

23

30



Ron's
Birthday

Josh's
Birthday

SEPTEMBER

4

11

18

Julie's
Birthday

1



Shelly's
Birthday

17

24

31

7

14

21

28

5

12

19

26

2



5

12

AUGUST

26

Danny's
Birthday

9

16

23

30

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14

21

28

4

Denise's
Birthday



21



27



24

1

8

OCTOBER



SWAT SERVING AT THE
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
DINNERS

Amber's
Birthdays

7

21

4

FALL
CAMPOUT



25

HUNT
FOR
RED
OCTOBER

9

OCT



SWAT SERVING AT THE
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
DINNERS

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