

**Our Membership year begins July 1.** Voting members are critical to the camp- in fact; they legally control every policy of the camp by electing the board of directors.

**Make Camp New Hope Even Better.**

If there's anything you would like to see improved this is your chance to have a voice. If you've dreamed of a new program you need for your child, this is your chance to build the dream.

Membership benefits include:

- ★ Monthly Newsletter.
- ★ Invitations to special events, outings, parties.
- ★ Updates on camp programs—Respite and Summer Camp.
- ★ You become a member of the group that runs Camp New Hope, Inc., eligible to vote for our Board of Directors, and to seek a Board position.

The Camp New Hope Parent group started a camping program in Mattoon in 1954. It has worked continuously to improve opportunities for disabled people in our community. It remains strong because of the passion of its members to meet the needs of people they care about who have developmental disabilities.

**Summer Camping, Year 'Round Respite and More**

Our Summer camping program is a learning experience; offering nature training, arts and crafts, music, swimming, waterfront activities, and much more. Our Respite program is a weekend at Camp New Hope, featuring camp style activities appropriate to each season, such as sledding in the winter. Best of all, the campers are supervised by a staff of knowledgeable, caring professionals that we, as parents, have full confidence in.

Membership dues are \$25.00/year per family after this year. Please use the enclosed envelope to mail dues to Camp New Hope.

Enclosed find \$25.00 Annual Parent Membership dues for My Family or myself.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

If family membership, names of other Family Members: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING.

I wish to be a non-voting member.

I will commit to keep informed about camp and attend the annual meeting in April 2010, and I wish to be a voting member. The name of the one family member who will be the designated voter for this family is \_\_\_\_\_