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## SIX FLAGS



### SIX-FLAG TRIP

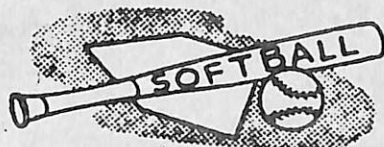
About 50 young people and their chaperones left last Friday on a trip to Six-Flags in Atlanta, Ga. They left at 4:00 p.m. on Friday and spent the night in the activities building of Weiuca Road Baptist Church. Saturday morning they were up bright and early and off for a big day at Six-Flags. They returned around midnight Saturday.

Many thanks to their chaperones; Ric Taylor, Art and Lynn Moss, and Judy Davenport. A great time was had by all.



### FALL ACTIVITIES PROGRAM

The Fall activities program is in the process of being put together. Perhaps you have a suggestion or idea of a program you would like to see offered. Any and all suggestions will be received with a great deal of joy. It is our aim in the Activities ministry not to provide activity for activity sake, but to provide a ministry to all who participate. Share your ideas. Let me know of your interest.



The Men and Ladies team at Beaver Dam have finished their season and tournament. The Men's record was 3 wins and 11 defeats. They lost two close games in the opening round of the tournament and were eliminated. Many thanks to their coaches, Barry Hambright and Don Wilson.

The Ladies team broke the ice and won their first game. They are still learning, but now that they have a taste of victory, they'll win some more. Their record was one win and 13 defeats. During the tournament they were without the services of three of their starters and star players, who were on the Choir Tour. But they played hard and scored lots of runs. Many thanks to their fine coaches Al Miller and Don Wilson.

The Men's team at Zion finishes in a tie for first place with Union Baptist Church. They beat Union 2 out of 3 games in regular season play. Their record for the season was 16 wins and 4 defeats. They were in the finals of the tournament before losing to Union 11-10. A big thank you to their coach, Rush Gold. These men and a few others are playing in the County Tournament, and play Monday night at 9:00 p.m. The game is at City Park. Come out and support these men.

It has been a great season for all. Over 55 people have been involved in Softball this year. First Baptist has been represented well. In the games I visited, a fine Christian attitude was displayed by all players. Congratulations to all.

### Editorial...

#### ATTRACTING PEOPLE TO THE CHURCH

What attracts people to a church? Some would say a dynamic pastor, a top-notch staff, inspiring music, a convenient location, or beautiful facilities. All of these could be considered as things which do attract people to the church.

The key element however in attracting newcomers, visitors and prospective members is warmth and friendliness among the people. Where there is a warm friendly dynamic membership with an enthusiasm that is contagious, visitors will usually come in large numbers.

A church can automatically have several advantages including comfortable buildings, trained leadership, top quality advertising, and a great program. But good old fashion friendliness of which the world is sorely in need comes only from the hearts of dedicated people who love the Lord and enjoy helping others to feel at home in their church.

Ours is already a warm friendly church. Perhaps though you could make it even more so - even in the Activities Building. Consider these suggestions: speak to the other person first; if you don't know the other person introduce yourself; wear a pleasant expression. If you have to be grumpy and sour do it somewhere else besides at church; be enthusiastic. Believe in your church and have a good word for your staff; remember your church is you. Reflect its spirit to those with whom you come in contact.

W. Glenn Davenport



# LOOK



## PUTT-PUTT CHAMPS

This past week we crowned the putt-putt champs. Competition was keen and the scores were close. The men's division found Ken Wilson the winner with a 54 hole total of 108 strokes. Richard Kelly was second with a score of 124. Ken played par golf as he averaged 2 strokes on each hole.

The ladies' competition was a little closer as Daisy Wylie edged out Judy Davenport for first place by a score of 156 to 160. Congratulations to these winners. Next year we hope there are enough children playing to have a children's division.

### ACTIVITIES/RECREATION

#### SCHEDULE

(August 25 - September 7)

- Sunday, August 25  
2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Monday, August 26  
2:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Open Gym  
9:00 p.m. - First Baptist vs. Casar Methodist at City Park
- Tuesday, August 27  
3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Wednesday, August 28  
Gym Closed
- Thursday, August 29  
3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Friday, August 30  
3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Saturday, August 31  
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Sunday, Sept. 1  
2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Monday, Sept. 2  
12:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Tuesday, Sept. 3  
3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Wednesday, Sept. 4  
Gym Closed
- Thursday, Sept. 5  
Gym Closed - Clean and Wax Floors
- Friday, Sept. 6  
3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Open Gym
- Saturday, Sept. 7  
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Open Gym

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### KEENAGERS VISIT CARL SANDBURG'S

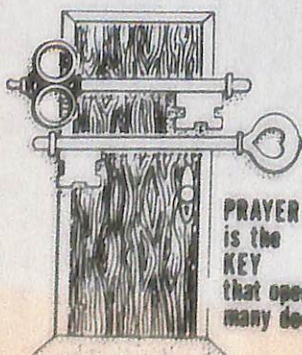
Tuesday, August 27, at 9:00 a.m. the Keenagers will leave to visit the home of Carl Sandburg. He is one of the world's most famous poets. All of our Keenagers look forward to visiting in his home. We will return about 5:00 p.m.

NO SMOKING  
in the  
Activities  
Building

GIVING  
ADDS JOY  
TO LIFE

\*\*\* TIDBITS \*\*\*

The Men's SOFTBALL TROPHY is in the display window across for the library, next to the office....Have you noticed the new Activities BULLETIN BOARD? It is located just inside the front door of the Activities Building on the right hand side.....Be sure to KEEP the Activities Building Clean. DON'T BE A LITTER BUG.....The JUNIOR OLYMPICS was postponed because of rain. We will re-schedule for later.



PRAYER  
is the  
KEY  
that opens  
many doors.