



## VALLEY OF THE SUN YMCA CAMPING SERVICES

# Sky-Y Adventure Habitat for Humanity New Mexico 2008 Summer Itinerary

**Check in:** YMCA Camp Sky-Y in Prescott AZ, from 1-3:00pm. Campers do have the option of taking the bus from The Christown YMCA for an additional fee of \$ 60. Check in at the Christown YMCA begins at 11:00am

**Check out:** YMCA Camp Sky-Y in Prescott AZ, from 9 - 11:00am. Campers can also take the bus back to the Christown YMCA and Pickup is at 11:30.

**Christown YMCA:** 5517 N. 17<sup>th</sup> Ave., Phoenix, Arizona

### TRIP ITINERARY: July 20<sup>nd</sup> – July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008

#### Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup>

We will begin our camp with an Adventure Camp Orientation, have dinner, attend Camp Sky-Y Opening Jamboree, and prepare for our week together.

#### Monday, July 21<sup>st</sup>

After breakfast we will pack up our gear and food, and head on our Journey to New Mexico's Blue Water Lake State Park. We'll set up camp at the park, cook dinner on our camp stoves, play some games and enjoy the Lake.

#### Tuesday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>

We will continue our Journey to Taos, New Mexico. In the afternoon we will meet our the Volunteers from Habitat for Humanity, receive an orientation and start work. In the evening we will be spending the night in a nearby Church basement which has a full working kitchen for our cooking needs.

#### Wednesday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> ; Thursday, July 24<sup>th</sup> ; Friday, July 25<sup>th</sup> ; and Saturday, July 26<sup>th</sup>.

We will spend each day the worksite of a Habitat for Humanity house. Be prepared to get dirty, sweaty, and use a little elbow grease. After each day of work, we will shower at the Taos Youth Center, and then have dinner at our base camp. Evening we will explore what Taos has to offer. Activities may include ice skating, roller-skating, bowling, or exploring Historic Taos.

#### Sunday, July 27<sup>th</sup>

We'll spend the entire day rafting with Far Flung Adventures on the Rio Grand.

#### Monday, July 28<sup>th</sup>

We'll pack up our gear in the morning, and head to the Habitat work site for our final goodbyes to the Habitat staff, and finish up any work we can that morning and early afternoon. In the late afternoon we'll head back toward our campsite at Blue Water State Park for the evening.

**Tuesday, July 29<sup>th</sup>**

We'll finish our journey back to Camp Sky-Y in Prescott. Campers will have an opportunity to participate in activities that the Camp has to offer. These may could possibly include: High Ropes course, Giant Swing, Climbing Tower, Swimming pool, Paintball, Mountain Biking, or Mountain Boarding.

**Wednesday, July 30<sup>th</sup>**

Campers can be picked up at Camp Sky-Y from 9:00-11:00am, or take the bus back to the Christown YMCA, and be picked up around 11:30am.

***ITINERARY IS TENTATIVE AND SHOULD BE CONSIDERED FLEXIBLE***