



Another summer of youth camps in the books!



As we wrap up another incredible summer of youth camps at Zephyr Point, we can't help but reflect on the life-changing experiences our campers had. Over 700 young people joined us this summer, each getting the chance to spend an unforgettable week along the shores of Lake Tahoe. Whether they were swimming, kayaking, honing their archery skills, performing skits, singing, or getting creative with crafts, every camper found something special to take home with them. Our discussions on spirituality and the natural environment offered moments of deep reflection, fostering growth that goes far beyond the fun and games.

This summer, we were thrilled to introduce "Wilderness Adventure Camp," where campers embarked on an educational and thrilling backcountry backpacking trip into the Lake Tahoe wilderness. This program offered an opportunity for our campers to connect with nature and each other in meaningful ways.

Summer camps ended August 9th and we already miss the energy and joy that filled our campus. With thanks to our incredible Summer Staff, 30 Young Adults who gave generously

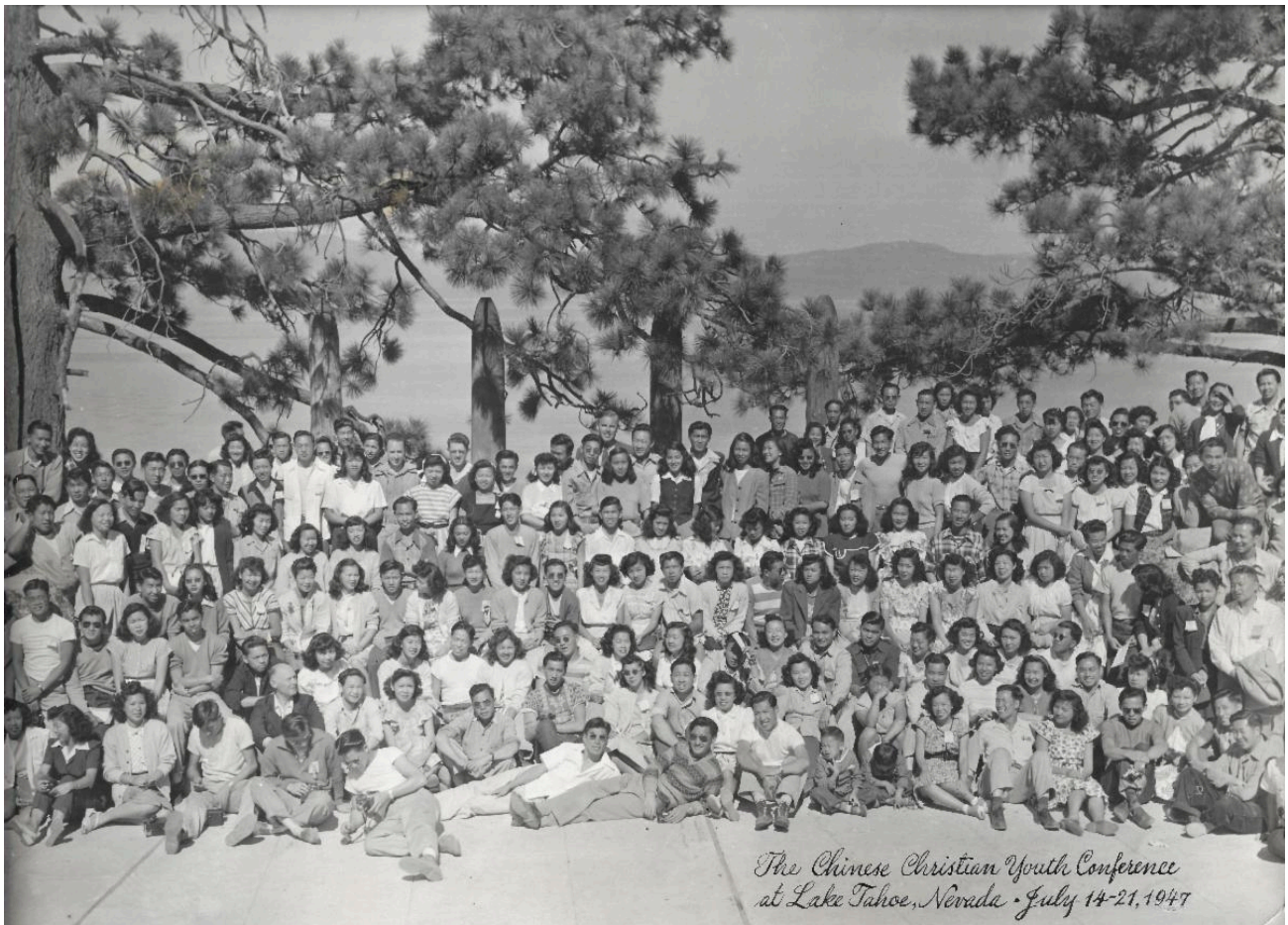
of their time, talent, and boundless energy, we are already looking forward to Summer 2025!

If you haven't checked out our amazing Zephyr Point Programs yet, [click here](#) to explore our adult and youth options.

The Fun Doesn't have to End With Summer!

Our Zephyr Point Programs Department is thrilled to announce three new school-year programs, each designed to provide fun and adventure for kids, along with relaxation and respite for parents. In our ongoing commitment to supporting the local community and beyond, we're offering "Parents Time Off" for parents seeking a well-deserved break, "Friday Club" for local homeschooled students looking for social, educational, and recreational fun, and "Winter Camp Zephyr" for kids eager to experience a winter wonderland over Christmas break.

For more information [click here](#).



*The Chinese Christian Youth Conference
at Lake Tahoe, Nevada • July 14-21, 1947*

Chinese Christian Family Conference since 1933

In 1933, a spirited group of young individuals gathered at Zephyr Point, embarking on a journey that would lay the foundation for a cherished tradition. This gathering, known as the Chinese Christian Youth Conference (CCYC), marked the beginning of what is now the longest-running conference at Zephyr Point Presbyterian Conference Center.

As the years passed, these youths grew into adults, and by the mid 1960s, they began bringing their own children to this beloved retreat. It was during this period that CCYC evolved into its current form, the Chinese Christian Family Conference (CCFC), reflecting the natural progression from a youth-focused event to a family-centric gathering.

Today, CCFC stands as a vibrant and inclusive community, where program activities weave together Christian teachings and Chinese cultural heritage. However, the conference has expanded its embrace, welcoming people of all ages, ethnicities, and backgrounds. This inclusivity enriches the experience for everyone involved with a mission that states “CCFC exists to affirm and promote a model of living together as an interfaith, multicultural family village.”

Some of the most memorable moments for the group are those spent in simple, joyful activities that foster connection and bonding. Cooking together, crowd fishing, and showcasing talents in the annual talent show are just a few highlights that bring the community closer, creating lasting memories and deepening friendships.

Zephyr Point has become more than just a retreat center for CCFC; it is a place where generations have grown, laughed, and connected. The enduring relationship between CCFC and Zephyr Point is a testament to the power of tradition, the beauty of shared experiences, and the strength of a community united in faith and fellowship.

The above photo is from the 1947 Youth Conference.



Looking for a peaceful getaway before the weather turns?

Not a snow person? Zephyr Point has end-of-summer and fall availability for our cozy cabin rentals, mostly during the quieter mid-week days. With the kids back in school, it's the perfect time to enjoy Lake Tahoe's beauty without the crowds.

Our historic, TV-free cabins are the ideal place to unplug and unwind from the stress of everyday life (though we do offer Wi-Fi for when you need to stay connected). And don't forget—Thanksgiving and Christmas are just around the corner! Our cabins are filling up fast, so be sure to book your holiday retreat soon to secure your spot for a memorable stay at Zephyr Point.

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