

NEWS RELEASE

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RE: CAMP COURAGEOUS OMELET BREAKFAST AND OPEN HOUSE SET FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 27TH.

MONTICELLO, IA --The annual Camp Courageous of Iowa Omelet Breakfast and Open House is set for Sunday, April 27, 2008 from 7:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Camp Courageous began serving individuals with disabilities during the summer of 1974 with campers totaling 211. Today the camp is open year-round and the campers number over 5,000!

Grand opening of the new Beckwith Dormitory will be featured during this year's Open House. The Dixie-Notes-Plus will perform in Sill Barn, playing big band music of 20s, 30s, and 40s at 10 AM, 11 AM, 12 PM. An inspiring presentation about the camp as well as new camp merchandise can be found in the camp's main office.

In the lodge, omelets will be prepared to the individual's choice by one of 30 trained volunteer omelet cooks to keep the line moving quickly. Camp recommends the public come early. The cost is \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children under 12. Other events during the open house include tours and a live WMT broadcast from the camp's main lodge by Honorary Board Member Leo Greco.

Camp Courageous of Iowa is run on donations, without government support, without paid fundraisers, and without formal sponsorship.

The camp encourages everyone to come and see firsthand the dream that is made possible by the support of thousands of caring individuals. The camp is located five miles southeast of Monticello off Highways 151, Exit 65 or 38.

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We appreciate your help in promoting this event!