

Orenda Springs

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Experiential Learning Center

December 2009



The **Events of 2009** were very rewarding. We had about 4,800 participants, an increase of 1,000 over last year, from 74 different organizations! We are now hosting "Jump Over It!", a 4H Club, and CREW 66, a Venture Post. We also added new high and low elements, acquired more mountain bikes, skis and even some more fish. On a sadder note, we lost Ralph, our fun-loving, head-butting goat.



Thank you for all your letters, emails and **Guestbook** entries throughout the year. They inspired us!



"The Character Traits, LIFESKILLS, that were taught to our students will enable them to become really great Leaders!"



"This was the best day of my life!"

"My lifeskill was courage and I never gave up!"



"Where else can you....
Race down a zipline, soar like a flying squirrel, grow green peppers, eat red tomatoes, talk with a friendly horse, and kiss a fish and like it? Orenda Springs of course! "

"Thank you for sharing your "adventure-for-life" with our family. My experience was beyond everything I had hoped for. Everything was simply spectacular! "

"I loved it!"

"AWESOME!"

"We all eventually became a family."



"You showed me I had courage to sleep in the snow cave."



Ways you can support us and change lives:

\$30 sponsors a student for a day or feeds a pony for a week.

\$50 buys a climbing harness or riding helmet.

\$100 purchases a climbing rope.

\$750 sponsors a class.

\$1,500 helps build new challenge course elements.

\$5,000+ liability insurance.

Donations can also be accepted online at:

Orendasprings.com/donors.htm

Contributions of any amount will be gratefully accepted.



Have you given yet to your favorite charity before the taxman comes? Orenda Springs is a 501(c)(3) organization and donations are tax deductible. Any donation over \$50 will also get you a great T-shirt.



Please specify shirt size and color.

Checks can be sent to:

Orenda Springs

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