

## NUMC Get-away-Gang

The Get-away-Gang was started in 1980 as the NUMC Camping group. The group had 12 participating families and of that five families are still participants. Further more nine families are still active members of our church. The highest number of participant families was 30 in 1988. The group currently has 11 participating families.

Do to lack of proper promotion we are not picking up new participants. In an effort to expand the group, the Camping Group name was changed to, Get-away-Gang. We have participants that don't enjoy the tent, camper, or RV, yet they participate staying in cabins, hotels or motels.

What does the Get-away-Gang do? We find a place to go and have fun. You can always count on coffee, pot luck, dinning, and cook outs. Often the horseshoes, golf clubs and/or fishing poles are required. Then there are the outings that allow visiting some neat sites such as the Bishops Castle or a ride on the train through the Royal Gorge. In addition the evenings are usually spent playing dominoes, cards or just telling yarns.

We know all participants can't attend all outings, but everyone is welcome to attend those they can.

We very much would like to get some young families participating. Would you believe of the original group, nine had their children in attendance, you see that was 27 years ago. We realize that many of the young families don't have RV's, but of the original 12 only two had an RV, the rest were pop-ups and trailers..

Our longest trip was the mission trip to UMCOR Sager-Brown in Baldwin Louisiana. Our shortest was to the church parking lot for a work weekend. The Majority of the trips are within a 1 to 2 hour drive from Northglenn.

So I would like to ask that you watch the announcements and plan to attend one or more outings. We try to have the summer schedule in place by the end of spring. A sign up sheet is placed on the round table in the gathering area.

If you would like to get more information a partial list of contacts:

Ashmore, Wayne & Carol  
Alexanders, Paul & Jean  
Benner, Jeb & Carol  
Boman, Howard & Diana  
Huckins, Bob & Sharon  
Eastom, Fred & Nedra

Johnson, Gale & Joan  
Koehn, Earl & Sue  
Zimmerman, Ron & Trudy  
Hodges, Ron & Pat  
Yates, Jim & Norma