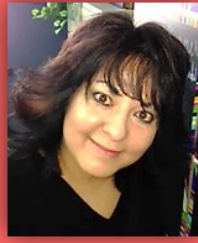


# Volunteer of The Month



Barbara Allen has volunteered for CYFC for the last 3-4 years. Barb has not only given of her time but has also supported our events and helped us with our annual Love in Action Outreach. She

loves gardening and recently crafted a lot of plants and items for our patio and garden sale. She has always been very supportive and we are so grateful for Barb's commitment to the Lord and generosity to CYFC with her time, talent and treasure. Thank you Barb for all you do!



One of the Five Essentials of Youth for Christ is "Loving Relationships" -- We consistently pursue lost kids & encourage them to develop life-long relationships with Jesus !

Donte Young has been coming to the Link for almost 4 years. We have watched him grow up so fast. His mom is a single parent and finds comfort knowing Donte is at the Link. She expressed that she knows Donte is in a safe, accepting environment whenever he comes to the Link. Donte spent a



lot of time at our indoor skatepark during the fall and winter months. We believe spending time at the Link has helped fill need for a father figure in Donte's life through spending time with Carl House our Ministry Director. Although we build relationships with many youth in our community, if the Link was in existence for this one young man alone, it would still be worth all the effort. Many youth in our community are directionless and harassed by the enemy. CYFC exists to direct them to the great Shepherd of their soul who safely guides their lives and leads them down a righteous path. Thank you for supporting Casper Youth for Christ.

*"When He saw the crowds, He had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd."*  
Matthew 9:36

Sharon Lockwood, Executive Director



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**You can make a difference in the lives of Youth! Volunteer at CYFC!**

Yes, I want to volunteer at Casper Youth for Christ!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Outreach  Office  Fundraising

***Needs for Lunch at the Link!***

***Spaghetti Noodles***

***Elbow Macaroni***

***Hot Dogs and buns***

***Tortillas***

***Condiments***

Friday: August 18

FREE Eclipse Glasses  
With Ticket Purchase

ECLIPSE IN MOTION



Interesting Seminars Luncheon Seminar...\$25  
Dr. Dale M. Sides Evening Seminar.....\$20

TICKETS: By Phone! Online! At Door!



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# Update on Matching Grant Challenge

We met our \$45,000 this month Matching challenge this month. A special thank you to everyone who dug deep and gave generously. We so appreciate your commitment to advancing the Kingdom of God. Our goal is to fund-raise less while increasing our monthly donor base for the purpose of spending more time sharing the Gospel with youth in Christ-sharing relationships. If you haven't already, would you consider becoming a monthly donor to help us reach our goal to impact more youth in our community. Thank you so much for your support.



**Yes, I want to help CYFC minister to the needs of hurting youth in our community:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

\$25    \$50    \$100    \$200

\$500    \$\_\_\_\_\_ or go online:

<http://casper.yfc.net/donate/>

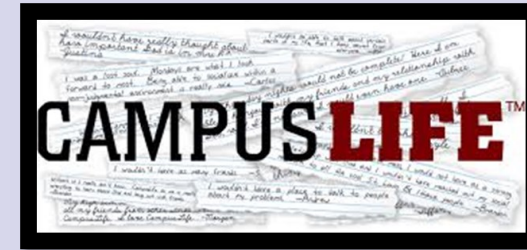
## A Local Teacher Shares.....



I am a local middle school teacher in our community. I encounter youth daily during the school year. Many youth today have so many crisis situations; meaningless distractions, and are in desperate need of help. Casper Youth for Christ (CYFC) is helping our community and we so desperately need it. Our culture is raising our kids to be more self-absorbed (i.e. the Kardashians) and less focused on others. There are so many local news stories of kids on meth, overdosing on drugs, drunk driving, car accidents, sexual assaults and abuse. The answer to these problems is Jesus. The root of this behavior is the result of the Supreme Court cases back in 1962 and 1963 where first prayer was taken out the public-school system and then a year later the Bible was taken out of schools. It has drastically affected our nation. Our morals and values have gone downhill. There is no absolute truth and everyone is doing what is right in their own eyes. We need Jesus back in our schools so that His truth prevails. As a teacher, I desire to pray for students who are in desperate need but can't pray because of those two Supreme Court laws. CYFC is a much-needed ministry. I am thankful that CYFC is in the trenches helping some of those kids. I am grateful for student driven afterschool programs such as CYFC Campus Life where there is opportunity for youth to receive prayer in a safe, loving environment. Also, I went down to CYFC one day and was so excited to see former students there eating and so many kids getting a healthy delicious lunch. So many youth are hungry and I believe CYFC is not only feeding the body but also the spirit. I encourage people to support this great organization that is helping youth in our community. I really love the staff and volunteers at CYFC. I am so thankful for their generosity in so many ways to youth in our community. Please prayerfully consider supporting the outreach ministry programs of CYFC as they impact youth for eternity.

Shannon Homolka, Middle School Teacher in Natrona County

## Are you called by God to Minister to Youth in the Public Schools?



Campus Life High School ministry combines healthy relationships with creative programs to help young people make good choices, establish a solid foundation for life, and positively impact their schools. Like every ministry of CYFC, Campus Life seeks to engage these young people wherever they are found to become lifelong followers of Jesus Christ.

**Position Title:** Campus Life Teacher-helps young people establish a solid foundation for life that impacts their schools.

**Position Location:** located at different schools throughout Casper

**Training Requirements:** Orientation, on-line YFC Videos, quarterly training meetings

**Length of Position:** School Year Term

**Hours per Week needed:** 1-3

**Prep Time:** 1-2 Hours Weekly

**Volunteer Position**

Call us at 307/235-6650 for more info.

## CYFC Outreach Updates !

At Casper Youth for Christ we are able to minister and show the love of God to many youth who will never visit a church in our city. Throughout the school year we are able to show the Love of God to hundreds of youth that come to our free lunch at the Link every day of the week. We also get to pray for many of the youth that came to our free lunch.



Satan will do his best to bring all the anti-God and anti-Jesus information to the youth of our city that he can. He will use everything he can to stop the Gospel from coming to the minds of our youth. The youth of our city are the next generation of pastors, teachers, prophets, evangelists, and apostles who God needs to carry on the preaching of the Gospel. Satan knows that if he can stop our youth, then he can stop the future of the Gospel from going forward. I have said before that, we here at Casper Youth for Christ may be the only love of Jesus that many of the youth will ever see. We will continue to share God's love and His Word with many youth and we pray that someone will come and water and harvest those seeds so that all these youth will find their purpose in God and continue to spread the Gospel of Christ to this city and the world.

Carl House, Ministry Director