

KINGDOM AIR CORPS

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BRBC Teen Bible Study Report

“Growing up, I used to play a kids game called “What time is it Mr. Fox.” Well, no longer is the question “what time is it Mr. Fox,” but rather what time is the Brooks Range Bible Camp Bible study! The answer to that question lies in what time zone one is located. Each Sunday night, the Bible Study starts at 5:00 pm Alaskan time. This isn’t your typical Bible Study, however, as it is done online via Google Meet and there are typically eight to twelve guys that have gathered from Alaskan, Mountain, Central, and Eastern time zones to study God’s word! It is awesome to see the computer screen light up as current campers, former campers, Kingdom Air Corps flight students and friends sign on to grow together in their faith in Jesus. Nothing beats being together in person, but this online Bible study is the second best thing as we trust that where two or three are gathered together in the Lord’s name, He is there as well. After finding out how everyone’s week has gone, Tim Borden gets us into the Word, which has currently been a study of the Gospel of John. Lastly, we spend time praying for each other. It’s amazing to see God at work in the lives of the participants of this Bible study.

We have seen several answers to prayer and look forward to how God will continue to work through us and in us and we share life together with our brothers in Christ in the Alaskan villages. Please pray that God would continue to bring guys out to this Bible study and that we would grow deeper in our faith in our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.”

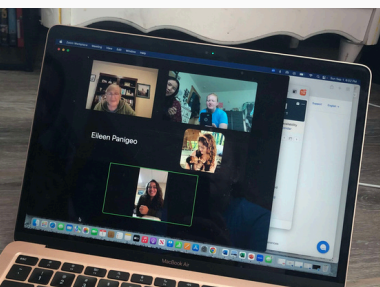
-Tim Cook, Director of BRBC

“It’s been such an encouragement to see some of the girls come regularly. They don’t always engage but it’s still so important that they even take the time to join the group. It’s also really cool because the more shy kids who don’t really



engage at camp are the most attentive at the Bible study, like it’s more comfortable for them.”

- Carolyn Taylor, Camp Counselor



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Winter Students:

KAC currently has 7 students training in Alaska this winter- they are studying for private, commercial, CFI, CFII and tailwheel ratings.

CONGRATULATIONS

CAROLYN

for soloing!



Meet the Gerwigs!

Chuck and Brolene Gerwig came on staff this fall. Chuck will be the Director of Facilities Maintenance. Chuck and Brolene are the parents of Joe Gerwig, our Director of Operations. This winter they will be working on raising financial support to join us full-time in the spring.



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“Since we started the week after camp we have had 17 different people join the Bible study with an average of 6 people a week. I find the Bible studies to be well worth doing even with limited turn out. We close the girls Bible studies with a "happy-crappy" from the week, and one of the girls said her happy from the week was the Bible study. She said she had not really been reading the Bible that week and the Bible study really helped her dwell on the Lord. There is a growing interest in older women who are mothers of our campers about the Bible study, too. My prayer in the study is that we meet the campers where they are at, encouraging them in the Lord and those who want to come are able to find a way to come.” -Tiffany Gerwig

Fall Follow-Up Trip

In early October, and group of seven headed north to do a follow-up trip to reconnect with campers of Brooks Range Bible Camp (BRBC). The plan was to visit with folks in Anaktuvuk Pass and Allakaket for the weekend. Weather and a minor mechanical issue kept us from our plans, but God still had a fruitful plan for the weekend in Fairbanks. We ended up spending some time with campers, meeting them at Walmart and a few at their house. We were even invited to stay for supper where they told family hunting stories as we ate! An invitation from one of our team members offered to take the teens to a local Native Bible church where they don't normally attend. To our surprise and excitement, they came as a family and asked about their kids attending youth group!

Please join with us in praying for this family that the Lord would continue to draw them and grow them towards a personal relationship with Him.

-Andrew Gudeman, KAC flight instructor



The team ready to leave



Playing games with the kids



Arriving in Fairbanks

Student Alumni Report from the Condon Family:

The Condons trained two years at KAC before joining Samaritan Aviation as missionaries to Papua New Guinea.

“Samaritan Aviation shows God’s love in practical ways by serving the people of the East Sepik Province in Papua New Guinea by providing free emergency medical evacuations that save lives. What is normally a 1-3 day canoe trip down river takes less than an hour with our float planes. After meeting a physical need, our team meets their spiritual needs by daily visiting them in the hospital giving them a chance to hear a clear gospel message, which in turn gives them a chance for life here and eternity. Our patients all go home with a solar audio Bible, which also contains worship songs, Bible studies, and our Biblical resource King of Glory.

Matt recently flew back-to-back flights to rescue three venomous snake bite victims from three different locations. All three patients would have died had they not been recipients of our free services. They all received anti-venom, and all survived the venomous bites. God is good and He uses us to serve and love the people here in Papua New Guinea. Our plan is to return to Papua New Guinea after a six month home assignment.”

Matt,
Jeannine,
Elora
and Patrick





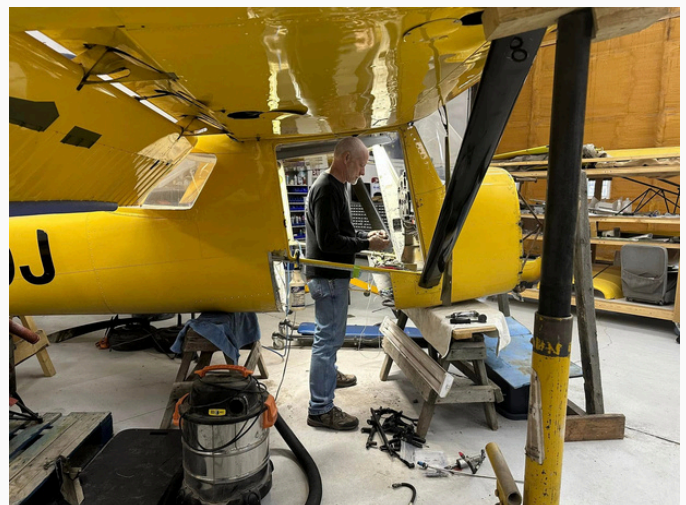
Note from Operations Director

As 2024 draws to a close, we are grateful for all the many ways we have seen God at work. Hearing from Alumni serving in missions, using the skills they received through training here at KAC; participating in Brooks Range Bible Camp, watching the Gospel of Jesus Christ change lives; having a great group of mission-minded flight students at KAC, watching them gain a greater sense of the type of ministry God is calling them to; God clearly directing KAC towards growing our capacity to train, many work teams coming to help the facilities side of that goal; airplanes being donated to help train pilots, and many more ways!

Kingdom Air Corps started in 1999, so this was our 25th year! We could not have operated this year, or any other year, without God's direction and provision, and we are grateful. God continues to direct us, and He is leading us towards growing. Exactly how big, and exactly how fast, we are not entirely sure, but we are excited to continue to follow His leading and find out! Please join us in praying about this!

As we approach this growth, one thing remains unchanged; our purpose: To train missionaries and missionary pilots to evangelize the isolated with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. As we carry out this God-given purpose, please join us in praying about the future. Pray that God will bring mission-minded flight students. Pray that our alumni will be faithful in serving the Lord within their calling. Pray that God would provide for this growth that we feel He is leading us towards. Pray for staff unity. Pray for overall safety.

We are excited about this coming year! We are glad to have you at our side, both on your knees, and in person. We plan to continue pursuing the purpose God has for us, and we could not do it without you. Thank you for the part you have in Kingdom Air Corps! -Joe Gerwig, Director of Operations





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Matching Grant Opportunity

Friends! The Lord wants to multiply your gift! We are excited to tell you about a matching grant opportunity; this month, your gift of ANY AMOUNT, given towards the much-needed expanding of KAC's facilities, will be DOUBLED when the total donations reach \$100,000! That's \$200,000 towards finishing the triplex, the new well system, the auto shop, and more! Will you consider being a part of this amazing opportunity to see God multiply your gift?

Scan this code and
select 'Matching
Grant' in the drop
down list.



Please designate your donation for the 'matching grant' when writing a check, or visit our website and click 'Give' then select 'matching grant'. THANK YOU!

Christmas Wish List

Other areas you can give toward to keep KAC running include...

- Operations
- Aircraft Maintenance
- Hospitality
- BRBC
- Facilities (other than matching towards expansion)
- International Scholarship
- Administration