Baptist Park Snapshots

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You're invited to the **Baptist Park Corporation Meeting** Friday, November 6, 2026, 6:00 p.m. at Mapleton Baptist Church, 1633 Main St., Mapleton. Come, learn what God did in 2026 and get a preview of 2027 plans.

What's Going On?

A lot of work, that's what's going on. Scott and faithful volunteers have been busy on the grounds at Baptist Park. Routine winter shutdown tasks are happening:

- Summer items are now indoors for the winter.
- The water system has been shut down and winterized.
- Firewood has been split and soon will be piled. Thanks again to Columbia Forest Products for their donation of six cords of block wood. And thanks to all who split and piled.
- Paper goods and cleaning supplies are stored for winter.

And "extras" have happened or will happen before the snow flies:

- A backhoe was loaned to us in September. Scott spent many days in it pushing back brush along roadways. It's amazing how good it looks! It will look even better next year when neatly mowed grass replaces the roadside brush we've looked at for decades. Thanks, Scott!
- The infield of Duncan Field is taking shape so we can "play ball" in 2027.
- Thanks to a generous donation, windows and doors were purchased for the dining hall. Lord willing, they'll be installed soon. Next spring new siding will be installed.

Director's Cut



I'm already planning for 2027. Please pray for the Board and I as we strive to craft a camping season that's faithful to the Bible, leading children and adults closer to Jesus.

Pray without ceasing (1 Thess. 5:17)



- Pray for God's ongoing work in those who were campers in 2026.
- Pray for the Board as they plan and prepare for the 2027 season.

Finances



We're happy to report that all bills are paid, and we've got some money in checkbook. We give thanks to the Lord and you, the ones He uses to provide for this ministry. Your faithful stewardship makes it possible to introduce people to the Savior. Those who come to know Him today are those He will use to change lives of generations not yet born. Your faithful support makes Baptist Park's "Life Changing Now and Forever" ministry possible.

We humbly ask for your donations through the winter. Winter giving fuels Spring work. You can give . . .

. . . ***Cash Donations*** Every gift counts, small, medium or large. Mail to: *Baptist Park, PO Box 498, Mapleton, ME 04757*.

. . . ***Returnables*** Take returnable bottles & cans to Presque Isle Redemption, 2 Washburn Rd., P.I. & donate them to Baptist Park.

. . . ***Donate Appreciated Stock*** Donate publicly traded stock or mutual funds. Call us for details.

. . . ***Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCDs)*** Individuals age 70.5 or older may be eligible to make a QCD directly from an IRA to Baptist Park. QCDs can satisfy a Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) and are generally excluded from taxable income. Call us for details.