



2026 National Camporama



July 12 - 17

This epic event occurs only once every 4 years and will be held on **July 12-17, 2026**. Registration is open now.

National Camporama is event for boys and men at **Eagle Rock** camp in the Ozarks. RR campers from all 50 states, Canada, Europe, Central America, Africa and other countries will be in attendance.

Camporama is a grand event which includes games, swimming, large service concerts and much more. Special events include Lumberjack show, High Ropes course, Zip lines, paintball, FCF village and pin / patch trading. Boys must be 9 years and older (3rd grade) in July 2026 to attend. Registration is still open until June 22nd. Full event details and registration can be found at nationalcamporama.com.

The Michigan District will camp together in the Great Lakes Region Camp area.



Zach Clark (Brightmoor) is coordinating transportation options for Michigan outposts such as a local church vans and bus, and rental vans. Currently our agenda plans is to leave Michigan on **Saturday, July 11** and spend Saturday night at a local church in Missouri. Zach is also planning an agenda for special tourist visits along the route.

Please contact Zach (z.clark0821@gmail.com) for more information.



Michigan RR Director Frank Fenbert will be leaving early to Eagle Rock for Michigan campsite preparation. Frank will be driving a large trailer from **River of Life (Belleville)** and is offering all Michigan campers to drop off non-essential items. For example, tents, canopies and camp gear. This will allow your vans to have extra room. All items need to be labelled. These items will need to be delivered to ROL church by **Thursday, July 9th**.

When we return from camp, items will be able to be picked up on the following day, Sunday July 19th after church service.

Michigan District Summer Adventure Camp Changes



Every year, Royal Rangers from across Michigan meet together for a summer camping adventure in Gaylord. However this year we are challenged with our summer plans for National Camporama.

The planned schedule for both Camporama in July (12-17) and Summer Adventure Camp in July (reserved for July 30-Aug 2) makes it difficult to accommodate both in the same month in 2026.

After much discussion, it was decided to move our annual Michigan camping event to the Fall. Therefore we will combining the Metro Fall Camp and Michigan Adventure Camp for this year only. **Kensington Park** in Milford has been reserved for a great Fall camp on **October 1-2**. More details will be shared in the next months.



Junior Training Camps 2026



For boys in your outpost that are in **5th grade** and above, the Junior Training Academy is a great challenge in leadership, skills and spiritual growth. These camps provide a small group (patrol) environment to build teamwork and leadership.

Junior Training Camp (JTC) is the initial camp for basic skills and team building. It is the foundation for all other camps. Each camp has a strong spiritual emphasis and challenge. Cost is expected to be \$100 which includes all meals, camp shirt and ballcap. A young man that completes JTC, AJTC and 2 action camps can earn the Saber.

These camps will be conducted at **River of Life in Belleville** from **June 25th to June 27th**. Registration for these camps is open now and will be posted on the michrr.com website and also emailed.

Please contact Frank Fenbert at Fenbert99@aol.com for questions and details.

Saber Award



Award Ceremony at Greater Lansing



Outpost 18 in Lansing celebrated a special end of season ceremony to honor boys and leaders on May 31st.

Among the exceptional recognition were Gold Eagle Medalist Jayden Oberlin and Logan Allen. For Adventure Rangers, Parker Thelen earned the Adventure Gold Medal. Also recognized was David Egbendewe who will be graduating this year.

A surprise honor was given to **Commander Jonathan Allen** who was presented with the Outpost Leaders Award, District Service Award and District Leadership Award for his 35 years of service. District Director Frank Fenbert presented these awards to Jonathan and his church presented him with gifts including a flowering tree to remind him of the many lives that he has impacted.



Servant Hands is an outreach of the Michigan District Men's Ministry. They provide short term service projects to local churches in the Michigan Network.

All men are welcome, regardless of skill level or experience. Some projects need specialized skills, while most simply need willing hands and a servant's heart.

Upcoming Projects:

June 12-13, 2026

Good News AG, Marlette, MI

- Drywall repair
- Interior painting
- Possible demolition for phase 3

July 24-25, 2026

Torch Lake AG, Rapid City, MI

- Removing paneling from walls
- Patching and installing drywall
- Removing two doors
- Painting the sanctuary area
- Removing siding/roofing from shed
- Replacing siding/roofing

Contact Pastor Chuck Willis (chuck@ncalife.org) for more information and to volunteer.

Upcoming Event Reminders

June 25-27 JTC/AJTC Camp, Belleville, MI

July 12-17 National Camporama, Eagle Rock, MO

Oct 1-2 Michigan District Fall Adventure Camp, Kensington Park, MI

See also "2026 Mich RR Calendar" on michrr.com