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Bethany College Volleyball Camp a Great Success!



Volleyball Campers, Coaches and Staff 2012



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The 2012 edition of Bethany Sports Camps (BSC) Volleyball Attack/Elite camp was an amazing experience for athletes and staff alike. Sixty four young men and women, ages 11 -17, participated in the five day camp. The theme of this year's camp, "Live...Move...Be", was taken from Acts 17:28. God's presence was evident each day as campers were challenged, on and off of the volleyball court, to do everything for His glory. When asked why Bethany Sports Camps were important to them, one athlete's response was, "At the Attack/Elite camp, I can learn how to live out my passions of playing volleyball and serving God at the same time ...how my faith can be part of everything I do."

Campers spent up to six hours each day training their volleyball skills through practice and game sessions. The athletes and coaches all arrived at camp with a sense of expectation and enthusiasm for a great week and none were disappointed. Despite training through some incredibly hot and humid weather, the positive attitude and exceptional work ethic of the campers needs to be acknowledged. Every camper grew in their technical, physical and strategic components of the game of volleyball. "I learned more about playing volleyball in this one week than I had in my previous years of competing...thank you, coach!" was a comment overheard at the closing program.



In Bethany Place



On the beach court

One of the highlights of the week was "Coach's Corner" just after lunch each day. During this time, coaches had the opportunity to share their own personal testimonies and faith stories. These stories told of how God called each one to Himself, carried them through peaks and valleys in their lives, and shared the mercy and grace He extends to each of us. The stories told, and life lessons learned by the coaches were then emphasized each evening during Chapel and Dorm Time where campers had the chance to consider their own relationship with Jesus Christ.

For more information and updates about Bethany Sports Camps, please go to <http://bsc.bethany.sk.ca/> and click on the link to the Bethany Eagles Facebook page!

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