

Name: Kelli LaVoie (Jensen)

How have you been involved with Lutheran Island Camp?

Staff, Volunteer, Camper

Please share with us one or more of your favorite memories at Lutheran Island

Camp. One of my favorite memories from camp would be my time as a counselor. It was during this time that I was challenged mentally, physically, and spiritually; the outcome though, was a stronger me. It was also during my time as a counselor that I met my husband Mark. I have God to thank for everything.

Tell us how God has worked through camp in your life.

God has worked through camp in my life by providing a place for me to grow and be comfortable with who I am and who God has made me. God is still working through camp in my life by continuing to provide a place where I can now bring my students to learn and grow.

Please feel free to share a personal update with other alumni in the space below.

In March of 2009 Mark LaVoie (we worked together at camp!) and I were married. Shortly after we were married, I was called to Crown Christian School and Zion Lutheran Church as a teacher. There, I teach everything, except music, for grades 5-7. We currently live in Brooklyn Park, which is a "half-way point" for our jobs. Mark works in Edina for a reinsurance broker, Guy Carpenter. We love our home and are constantly discovering new things about one another.

What year(s), if any, were you on the LIC staff?

2005, 2006

If you served on staff, what position(s) did you hold?

counselor (horse camp mainly)

What year(s) were you a volunteer at LIC?

What year(s) were you a camper at LIC?

1994-2003

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