

SNO CAMP

ELEMENT (Sr High) WINTER RETREAT
At Snocamp, students get to enjoy all of what Muskoka Woods has to offer while also being immersed in worship and teaching from God's word. Snocamp is a major highlight for our students and youth leaders every year.

 **February 23-25, 2018**
Muskoka Woods
(4585 Hwy 141, Rosseau, ON)
Speaker: Kevin McGlade
Band: Brooke Nicholls
Cost: \$155

*Drop off at West Highland:
Friday, February 23 at 4:15 P.M.*

*Pick up at West Highland:
Sunday, February 25 at 6:00 P.M.*

*To register, contact Abigail Stairs at
elementwhbc@gmail.com.*

*All forms (with payment) must be received
by **January 31** to secure a spot.
Registration forms and other details can be
found at www.westhighland.org/youth.*

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Natural Church Development

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing." (John 15:5)

Growing a Healthy Church

One of the agenda items at our leadership conference was church growth and a decision has been made to engage the Natural Church Development process.

What is Natural Church Development?

It is a long-term strategic process to progressively improve a church's health. This involves an annual survey to assist us in getting a "snapshot" of the health of our church, to assist us in focusing our attention on those areas which require immediate attention. It is a process designed to help churches get up-to-date insight as to what is going on within.

The feedback from these surveys will assist us in identifying barriers to growth and development. From the feedback, we will be developing strategic plans to focus on critical areas and address any barriers identified. We will be sharing these plans with you on an ongoing basis.

Approximately 30 to 35 participants will be required for the first survey. However, there is a role for everyone to assist us in growing a healthy church and becoming the best we can be in Christ.