

The journey to Royal Rangers Camporama is not for the faint of heart. Gravel roads, complete with hills and hairpin turns reminiscent of a roller coaster, wind through the woods of southwest Missouri, ending at last at an open, 1,400-acre spread known as Camp Eagle Rock. For four days every four years, this campground is the gathering place for more than 5,000 Royal Rangers and their leaders, all eager to experience the adventure of a lifetime.

And adventure is what missionary Doug Marsh, national Royal Rangers director, intends for them.

“Adventure calls us to confront our fears, abandon the familiar and develop strength we don’t currently have,” he says.

Standing atop the campground’s climbing tower, Doug laughs as he overhears a child exuberantly yell while descending a zip line. The smiling faces of the campers leave no doubt that



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