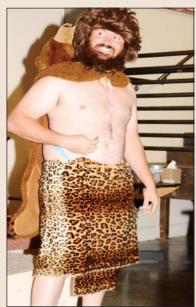
## Life is good at 'Young Life'



Ever since Young Life started in Albany in 2012, the organization has grown in numbers. From hilarious skits, to fun games, to learning about Christ, students enjoy coming together every Monday night at 7:47.

Young Life, which is held at the Feed Store, starts with students singing songs and playing games. The leader of Young Life, Grant Zeller, then teaches the students about Jesus. Young Life also sponsors trips that students can attend, like a ski trip to Colorado and Young Life Camp at the beginning of every summer. The location of the camp changes to various states. This year the camp is set to be held in Arizona. A handful of students will have the chance to experience the camp for a week. After a student goes to one camp, they can never go back, unless they convince five more students to go the following year.

Young Life also hosts theme activities. Mr. Christmas Tree is the most popular. A boy representative from each grade competes in a "beauty" pageant including categories such as talent, swim wear, the question, and the lighting of the Christmas tree.

Young Life attracts students from other places as well. Students from Moran make the journey to attend Young Life.

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Students of all classifications in high school (top) join together to sing songs during Young Life before the Bible study and games. Students gather every Monday night to have fun and learn about Jesus. Sophomore **Lindsey Lucas** and junior Kaleigh Clevenger (right) belt out the words to a popular praise song.





Seniors Lori Davis and Tobi Nall (below) let loose and dance with other students during a meeting of Young Life. Kevin Rogers (far left) plays Hercules in a skit that was also performed during a Monday night club meeting. Rogers, and other community members help Zeller with Young Life.





Sophomore Henry Kelly, senior Michael Cotter, and Grant Zeller lead students at Young Life in songs. Grant Zeller (left) educates the students from Albany and Moran about the Bible every Monday night. Zeller has been in Albany since 2012. Since then, Young Life has made a name in town and has grown in numbers. The weekly meetings are open to any high school students.