

MAHAFFEY NEWS

Mahaffey Camp & Conference Center: A Christian Center for Spiritual Growth

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UPCOMING EVENTS

MONDAY, JULY 19

- 2:15pm Cool Breeze Seminars begin (Monday-Friday in Dining Hall)2:30pm District Pastors' Wives
- Connection (Camp House)

TUESDAY, JULY 20

- 1-3pm Cottage Tour
 1:30pm ReImagine: Forum with Dr. Stumbo
 2:00pm Party Club with CEF
- 3:15pm Cool Breeze Seminar

DAILY SERVICES

Main Tabernacle (Adults)

8:45am Prayer & Healing Service10:00am Morning Service/Missions7:00pm Evening Service/Missions

Youth Tabernacle (Ages 13-18)

- 9:30am Prayer Meeting
- 10:00am Morning Service
- 7:00pm Evening Service

Children's Ministry Building Area

- 9:30am Bible Time (ages 8-12) Crafts (ages 5-7)
- 10:30am Bible Time (ages 5-7) Crafts/Basketball (ages 8-12) Preschool Corner (ages 2-4) 7:00pm Evening Services (ages 5-12)

MAIN TABERNACLE SPEAKER DR. STEVE ELLIOTT

Dr. Steve Elliott has spent the past 40 years in the pastoral work of leading churches into a new day. He had the common sense to marry his wife Marilyn 46 years ago and together they have served three churches in the Alliance in a 'turnaround ministry' ... bringing renewal, growth, and health to churches in difficulty and decline. Recently retired, Steve currently serves on the Board of Directors of the C&MA and in wider ministries of mentoring and leadership development, preaching, and spiritual foundation.

Dr. Elliott will be speaking during the morning (10:00am) and evening (7:00pm) services through Tuesday, July 20.

REIMAGINE TOUR: A FORUM LED BY DR. STUMBO

Join Dr. Stumbo, the President of the C&MA in the Dining Hall on Tuesday, July 20 at 1:30 pm for an open forum and discussion time. New York City, Nyack, Colorado Springs ... Columbus? As you may have heard, the National Office of The Christian and Missionary Alliance is moving to Ohio. Our president, Dr. John Stumbo, and his wife Joanna will be with us to tell the story of what is happening. It is a much bigger story than just relocating an office. God is stirring something new and John is eager to share it with us!

CREATION CENTER DEDICATION POSTPONED

The Dedication Ceremony for the brand-new Creation Center, originally scheduled for Saturday, July 17 at 4pm, has been postponed due to weather. Stay tuned for the rescheduled ceremony date and time.

OUR MISSION

The purpose of Mahaffey Camp is to reach others with the Gospel and teach them about the Lord. The camp serves to evangelize, disciple, and provide fellowship so that individuals of all ages may experience a vital relationship with Jesus Christ.

Mahaffey Camp's vision is to see God's Kingdom expanded through the ministry of Youth Camps, Family Camps, and year-round retreats.

OUR VISION

YOUTH TAB SPEAKER MICAH MARSHALL

Micah Marshall is the Founder/Executive Director of Refuge Youth Network based in Altoona, Pennsylvania. Micah has been working with teens for the last 12 years full-time and loves inspiring the next generation! He is married to Bethany and they love having fun with their dog, Timber. **Micah will**

be speaking during the morning (10am) and evening (7pm) youth services through Tuesday, July 20.

YOUTH SPORTS TOURNAMENTS BEGIN MONDAY

Sports tournaments will be available for basketball and volleyball during the week of Mahaffey. They will begin on Monday, July 19 and end on Friday, July 23. Pick-up soccer will also be offered throughout the week on the soccer field.

BASKETBALL 3-on-3 age groups: 6th-8th grade & 9th grade and up (including adults). Maximum of 6 on a team. Typical basketball rules will be followed.

VOLLEYBALL: 3-6 players may play on a team at a time. Rally; best of 3 games. Typical volleyball rules will be followed.

*Sign ups for basketball and volleyball will be located in the Youth Tab beginning Friday evening and ending 9am Monday morning. There is a cost of \$5.00 per team to register. There will not be any changes, substitutions, or additions once registration is received.

TEEN CRAFT EVENT

Teens ages 13-18: join us in the Children's Ministry Building on Monday, July 19 at 3:00 pm for a fun craft time!

PARTY CLUB WITH CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP

Kids ages 5-12 are invited to a great big PARTY celebrating the Good News of God's Love! Child Evangelism Fellowship will be hosting a "Party Club" right here at Family Camp on Tuesday, July 20 in the Children's Ministry Building. The party will feature music, activities, games, and more; the timing works in conjunction with scheduled recreation.

2-2:45: ages 8-12 attend party; ages 5-7 have recreation. | 3-3:45: ages 5-7 attend party; ages 8-12 have rec.

(A parent/guardian needs to transport those in the 5-7 group from recreation to the party club if they are attending.)

JUNIOR 3-ON-3 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

It is time for kids to sign up for the 3-on-3 basketball tournament! To be eligible, children must be ages 8-12 and have had their hand stamped from that morning's Bible Hour. (Bible Hour is held from 9:30-10:30am, and basketball runs 10:30-11:30am.) Girls and boys may sign up for the tournament at Bible Hour on Saturday or Sunday, with games beginning Monday and concluding on Friday. Please see Steve Bannister for details.

CAMP PLAYGROUND

The playground in the East area is staffed daily from 12:45-5:00pm. All other times, parents should accompany and supervise children. Playground is for children 10 and under.

A CLOSER LOOK: KIDS' RECREATION

On Family Camp afternoons, kids can head to the Sports Field for a time of lively and energetic games and activities! Rec time is held from 2-2:45pm for ages 5-7 and from 3-3:45pm for ages 8-12.

Recreation is not held on Sunday. A donation bucket is available for contributions to help defray the cost of supplies. Take a water bottle for hot days!

Parents, grandparents, and others who are responsible for children age 5-12 here on the grounds: please be sure that your children are registered and <u>know</u> the location they are staying at: cottage #, RV site# (west, north, east), Dorm # and room #. This will assist the Children's Ministry Team greatly when needing to locate a family member. Toddlers that will be attending Preschool Corner or Mission Possible are to be registered also. *You can register your children at the first service they attend within the various children's ministry programs. Children ages 2-7 will be given wristbands identifying their camp guardian and location and are asked to wear the wristband the entire time that they are at camp.*

DINING HALL MENU

SATURDAY DINNER

Spaghetti with meat sauce, garlic sticks, tossed salad, brownies, jello salad.

SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Egg and sausage quiche, cantaloupe, rolled oats, cold cereal.

SUNDAY NOON DINNER

Turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing, California blend, coleslaw, cranberry sauce, dinner rolls, assorted desserts.

SUNDAY EVENING LUNCH

Taco salad or salad with chicken strips, rolls, cookie bars.

MONDAY BREAKFAST

Oatmeal and cereal assortment, muffins, yogurt parfaits.

MONDAY LUNCH

Toasted cheese sandwiches, tomato or vegetable beef soup, chips, tossed salad, sherbet.

Dining Hall meals are served daily at 8am, 12pm, and 5pm, as supplies last.

CAMP STORE

Offering burgers, chicken sandwiches, hot dogs, nachos, fruit cups, ice cream, and more. *Plus Mahaffey Milkshakes sold at Late Night!*

2021 Camp Store Hours

Lunch	11:30am - 1:00pm
Dinner :	4:30pm - 6:00pm
Late Night:	8:30pm - 10:00pm
	(no late night on Sunday)

FRIDAY'S MILKSHAKE TOTAL: 421

highest first Friday total in 20 years

NO PARKING will be permitted from the bridge to the store area. This area is blocked off from all traffic, including vehicles and golf carts. This is for the safety of young children and patrons of the camp store.

COOL BREEZE SEMINARS BEGIN MONDAY

Starting this Monday, July 19, Reverend Dick Jenks will be teaching a seminar series entitled **Making the Church Relevant through the Holy Spirit**. In order to be relevant and missional in these days of uncertainty and turmoil, the Church today must become as spiritually powerful as the New Testament Church was. Only a Spirit-filled church can be relevant in these times of adversity.

Cool Breeze Seminars meet in the Dining Hall Monday through Friday at 2:15pm. (On Tuesday only, the seminar will meet at 3:15pm.) All are welcome to attend! *Seminars provide Continuing Education credits for C&MA workers*.

INAUGURAL COTTAGE TOUR

On Tuesday, July 20th from 1-3pm, take a tour of six different cottages on the campground and learn a little bit about their history! Tickets are \$10; all proceeds benefit the Bridge Reconstruction Project. Tickets will be sold at the Information Table adjacent to the Welcome Center on Saturday and Monday from 10-11:30am and 1-2 pm as well as Tuesday from 10-11:30am. Check in at the Camp Office Parking Lot.

CANVAS PAINTING PARTY

A canvas painting party will be held in the Children's Ministry Building on Friday, July 23rd with two sessions: 1:00pm and 3:00pm. \$20 includes supplies and instruction for one 8x10 canvas painting, and all proceeds benefit camp ministries. All are welcome to attend; no experience is necessary. Pre-registration required; seating is limited. Register online at mahaffeycamp.com/family-camp-information/.

NEW LOCATION FOR COUNTRY CRAFT SHOP

The Country Craft Shop is sharing space with the bookstore this year. Handmade quilts, the Mahaffey Camp 125th Anniversary Commemorative Book, the Mahaffey Camp Cookbook, new t-shirt and cap designs, sweatshirts, baby onesies and toddler tees, travel mugs, and water bottles are just some of the items offered this year. Stop in and take a look!

ALLIANCE MISSIONS IN ACTION DISPLAYS

We have a new feature on our campground this year: Alliance Missions in Action! Head to the old Country Craft Shop building to walk through and see displays from some of our Alliance workers, both domestic and international. Learn more about their work and how God is changing lives through their ministries!

ENVISION ATLANTA

Mark and Cheryl Grossoehme of Envision Atlanta will be on the campgrounds beginning Monday. Please make an appointment with them to learn about EA's work with refugees and kids and/or to play a game of Family Feud! Call to make an appointment: 814-289-5537.

FIRST AID STATION (located at the Welcome Center)

First Aid Station volunteers are available during the following hours: 9-11:30am, 1:30-4pm, 6-8:30pm.

The after-hours emergency number for first aid on call is 814-592-6814. Please only use this number in an emergency after hours.

In the event of an emergency where an ambulance is required, please dial 911, providing the address of Mahaffey Camp, Rt. 219, Mahaffey, PA. Immediately then notify security, the first aid staff or the office personnel who will then enact the emergency medical response plan, to open the gate and direct the ambulance to your location. Please be prepared to provide your complete location including a cottage #, RV site# (west, north, east), Dorm# and room#. If you are staying at a cottage, please be sure that all occupants know what number it is.

Mahaffey Camp will not be responsible for any accident or injury that may occur in the playground area or within the camp grounds. Children are to be supervised while playing so as to provide a safe and secure environment.

IT IS THROUGH THE GIVING OF MANY IN FINANCIAL SUPPORT AND DONATION OF TIME THAT MUCH HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED HERE AT CAMP. THANK YOU FOR GIVING TO THE LORD'S WORK HERE AT MAHAFFEY CAMP.

FLAGPOLE FUNDRAISER

Notice something missing around camp this year? The camp flagpole fell (literally) victim to a severe wind storm this past year. With the shortfall of funds due to no Family Camp in 2020, this is a project for replacement as soon as funding is available. Cost to replace is estimated at \$3,800.00. **Dumpsters** are located throughout the campground for your household refuse disposal. Please do not put cardboard, wood, building supplies, furniture, branches, etc. in the dumpster. During Family Camp there is no curbside pickup for leaves, branches or garbage. Leaves and branches may be placed at the mulch pile. Please do not dump items up at the soccer field hill.

Please help us keep the camp a beautiful and welcoming place. Parents, grandparents, and sponsors of youth here on the grounds, you will be held responsible for any damage or defacement of camp property caused by your teen or child. This includes graffiti in the rest rooms, dorms, tabernacles, etc. Your assistance in discussing this with those in your care will be greatly appreciated. Please explain the consequences of their unsolicited artwork and the extra expense it causes the camp to cover it up.

Notice about pets and bicycles: For the safety of all attending Family Camp, bicycles, scooters, etc. are not permitted. Also not permitted during Family Camp are pets. A complete list of the rules and regulations are available with your Family Camp billing or at the Welcome Center. Cottage owners are reminded to inform all occupants of your cottage concerning the regulations which are in effect year round.

Please be kind to the plants around the Tabernacle and throughout the grounds. If you are staying nearby and see they need a drink, please water them. Thanks!

Items submitted for Mahaffey News will not be published without the approval of the Director/ Developer or Program Coordinator. Due to space constraints, Mahaffey News is reserved to promote Mahaffey Camp events as well as District events. Submit announcements in writing to the Camp Office by 2 pm the day before you want them included.

MAHAFFEY FRIENDS: PRAYING * PROVIDING * PROMOTING * PLANTING

Partners in PRAYER, while PROVIDING the funds for camp support and future expansion projects, PROMOTING the camp ministries, and PLANTING the seeds of faith to future generations by encouraging them to come and grow spiritually.

Become a Mahaffey Friend today by:

- Praying for the camp daily.
- Providing at least \$10 per month in support to the camp for expenses.
- Promoting the camp ministries.
- Planting the seeds of faith by encouraging your family and friends to attend and support the camp.

Sign up today at the Welcome Center by completing a Mahaffey Friends flier.

