



# MAHAFFEY NEWS

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

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### SATURDAY, JULY 20

1:00pm *Tree Talk* (Creation Center) - see page 4

### SUNDAY, JULY 21

3:00pm *Beautiful Butterflies* (Creation Center) - see page 4

### MONDAY, JULY 22

1:30pm *Parenting Gen Z Seminar* (Children's Building)

2:15pm *Cool Breeze Seminar* (Dining Hall) - see page 4

2:30-4pm *District Pastors' Wives Connection* (Camp House)

3:00pm *Teen Craft Event* (Children's Ministry Building Tent)

## DAILY SERVICES

### Main Tabernacle (Adults)

8:45am Prayer & Healing Service

10:00am Morning Service/Missions

7:00pm 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 TAB SPEAKERS DR. RON & ANITA MORRISON

**Dr. Ron and Mrs. Anita Morrison** are our opening speakers in the Main Tabernacle services. In 1995, the Morrises planted Hope Alliance Bible Church in Maple Heights, Ohio, where they continue to serve today.

Before planting Hope Alliance Bible Church, Pastor Ron served in the U.S. Army and worked for the Lincoln Electric Company in Cleveland for 21 years. In addition to being the Senior Pastor at Hope Alliance Bible Church, Pastor Ron founded the Alliance for Family Hope in 2008. He also served on the Board of Directors of the C&MA for sixteen years. Ron is the Urban Ministries Coach for the Central District of the C&MA, serves on the LO&CC, and is the President of the African American Association of Pastors of the C&MA. He also assists urban pastors, churches, and schools in raising up African American leaders for Kingdom Advancement.

Anita Morrison has been a member of Hope Alliance Bible Church for over 28 years and holds both a bachelor's degree in social work from Cleveland State University and a Master of Education from John Carroll University. Anita worked for 12 years with families struggling with chemical addiction. Since then, she has enjoyed teaching in many capacities and currently works with the tutoring program at the Alliance for Family Hope. Anita leads worship, teaches an adult women's bible study, has been in a women's accountability group for 35 years, and has taught the Word of God at women's retreats. She also has the occasional privilege of team teaching with her husband.

*You can read more about the Morrises by visiting the camp website at [mahaffeycamp.com/family-camp-information/](http://mahaffeycamp.com/family-camp-information/).*

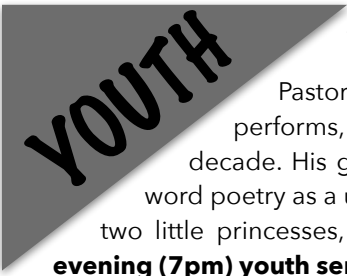
**The Morrises will be speaking during the morning (10:00am) services through Sunday, July 21 and the evening (7:00pm) services through Tuesday, July 23.**

## PARENTING GEN Z SEMINAR

If you're the parent of a teen or you work with teens, you won't want to miss this highly informative seminar taught by Micah Marshall of the Refuge Youth Network. Together, we'll look at ways to make genuine, Biblically sound connections with teens in today's culture. There will also be time for Q&A! Join us in the Children's Ministry Building on Monday, July 22 at 1:30pm for the seminar.

## 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.



## YOUTH TAB SPEAKER PASTOR JOE LE-MON

Pastor Joe Le-Mon is foremost the beloved of God through Christ! Beyond that, he preaches, performs, writes, disciples, trains, develops, and pastors. Pastor Joe has been in Youth Ministry for over a decade. His greatest passion in ministry is preaching the Scriptures. He also loves to perform his spoken word poetry as a unique way to connect with audiences. Beyond those things, though, he is a husband, a dad to two little princesses, and an avid sports fan. **Pastor Joe will be speaking during the morning (10am) and evening (7pm) youth services through Tuesday, July 23.**

## YOUTH TEAM SPORTS

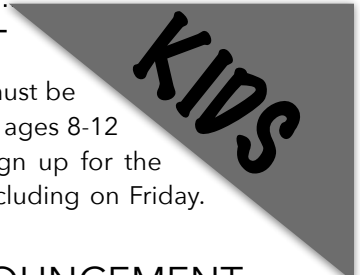
Youth pickup sports are under the direction of Pastor Eric Ross. The tentative schedule for sports this week includes ultimate frisbee on Monday, basketball on Tuesday and Wednesday, and volleyball on Thursday and Friday. Please attend the Youth services for all the exciting details of what the feature of the day is.

## TEEN CRAFT EVENT

Teens ages 13-18: join us in the Children's Ministry Building on Monday, July 24 at 3:00pm for a fun craft time. Supplies are limited; first come, first served.

## 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 for ages 8-12 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 camp playground in the East area is staffed daily from 12:45-5:00pm. All other times, parents should accompany and supervise children. The playground is for children 10 and under.

## CRAFTS ANNOUNCEMENT

We will be painting on Monday, July 22 and Wednesday, July 24 at Children's Crafts. Please have your children dress for a mess on these days! (Big Tent: ages 5-7 at 9:30am, ages 8-12 at 10:30am.)

**BIBLE HOUR MEMORY VERSE: "Jesus answered, 'I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.'" John 14:6 (NirV)**

**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 know 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 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.*

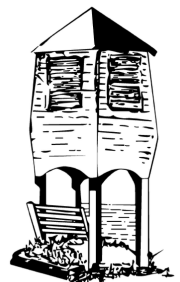
## MAHAFFEY FRIENDS: PRAYING \* PROVIDING \* PROMOTING \* PLANTING

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 by completing a Mahaffey Friends flier.**



## DINING HALL MENU

### **SATURDAY DINNER - 5pm**

Lasagna, tossed salad, garlic bread, jello salad, French silk brownies.

### **SUNDAY BREAKFAST - 8am**

Egg, cheese, & sausage or bacon biscuit sandwich, cantaloupe, oatmeal, cereal.

### **SUNDAY NOON DINNER - 12pm**

Chicken & stuffing, noodles, mashed potatoes, corn, coleslaw, rolls, pumpkin dessert, angel food cake.

### **SUNDAY EVENING LUNCH - 5pm**

Taco salad, potato wedges, fruit cup, rolls, orange dreamsicle dessert.

### **MONDAY BREAKFAST - 8am**

Pancakes, sausage, strawberry yogurt parfait with bananas, oatmeal, cereal.

### **MONDAY LUNCH - 12pm**

Toasted cheese sandwich, tomato soup, carrots, celery sticks, pudding parfait.

*Daily meal counts in the Dining Hall have been prepared based on average attendance in previous years. We apologize in advance if the serving line must close early on any date due to diminished supply.*

## CAMP STORE

Offering burgers, chicken sandwiches, hot dogs, nachos, ice cream, candy, and more!

**Lunch:** 11:30am - 1:00pm

**Dinner:** 4:30pm - 6:00pm

**Late Night:** 8:30pm - 10:00pm  
(no late night on Sunday)

### **MONDAY STORE SPECIAL:**

Pulled pork sandwiches

**ANSWER TO FRIDAY'S TRIVIA:** In **1999**, **724** milkshakes were made and sold on the second Saturday of camp!

**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.

*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.*

## EMERGENCY WATER CONSERVATION NOTICE

Due to a water leak, **emergency water conservation is in effect until further notice.** Please do not wash cottages, cars, etc. Please limit water use in the restroom facilities including showers. Limit water use in every area. This is in effect for all camp areas.

## STATEMENT FROM THE SEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE MAHAFFEY CAMP BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

We have been prayerfully and faithfully working for the last several months to seek God's will for the person who will be the Executive Director of Mahaffey Camp. We have conducted interviews and have narrowed the field. While we do not have a name to report at this time, we hope to be able to announce a decision by Fall. **Please join us in prayer for God's leading as we seek His direction.**

## TOTAL MINISTRY HEALTH FOR LEADERS

Ministry leaders, are you coming to Mahaffey Camp worn out, discouraged, or even thinking about stepping out of ministry all together? If so, or if you simply want to talk, take time to set up an appointment with Scott Ream. Scott, one of our own district workers, has experienced these same feelings. He is the founder and director of Total Ministry Health, Inc. (TMH). Total Ministry Health is a non-profit organization which provides ministry health/burnout assessments, coaching and mentoring services for healing, restoration, and greater effectiveness. Scott is available to meet with you Monday through Friday of camp. Text or call him at 814-442-7882 or find him at cottage #95 (just a few up from the bridge).

### **FIRST AID STATION (located at the Welcome Center)**

First Aid Station volunteers are available during the following hours: 9-11:30am, 1:30-3:30pm, 6:30-8pm. This is on a limited basis when personnel are available. Nearby Urgent Care centers as well as Emergency Room services are located both in Punxsutawney and DuBois.

In case of an emergency during nonscheduled hours, contact security or call the after-hours emergency number for first aid on call at 814-592-6814. Please only use this number in an emergency after hours.

**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 including mattresses or furniture.

**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.

# THE ONGOING EVIDENCE of the Baptism of the Holy Spirit

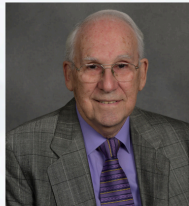
In the words of the iconic missionary to Japan, Mabel Francis, "Filled with the Spirit, then what." The infilling of the Holy Spirit is more than a moment in time, as wonderful as that might be. It is the beginning of an adventure between you and God. It is the wonder of working in the fullness of the Spirit to accomplish the revealed will of God. It is knowing that there is power to do whatever Christ is asking of you.



The initial evidence of the filling of the Spirit will be different for the individual seeker. The ongoing evidence will be the "Manifestation of the Holy Spirit revealing Jesus and His power in your ministries." You will be able to do, in His power, things you could never do in your own power and ability. Join us this summer as we seek a deeper walk in the Spirit and endeavor to manifest the presence of the Holy Spirit in our churches.

## COOL BREEZE SEMINARS

at Mahaffey Family Camp  
Monday - Friday, July 22 - 26  
2:15 PM | Dining Hall  
All Adults Welcome to attend.  
CE Credits available for C&MA Pastors.



Taught by Rev. Richard Jenks  
Pastor at Butler Faith Fellowship C&MA

# COTTAGE TOUR at Mahaffey Camp

Tuesday, July 23, 2024  
1:00 - 3:00 PM



Tour a collection of cottages on the campground and learn a little bit about their history. This year's feature will be an exclusive "back door tour" of the camp kitchen, hosted by our camp cook, with refreshments included.

**\$10/TICKET**  
(ages 12 and older; parental supervision required)  
All proceeds benefit Mahaffey Camp's Year-Round Ministries

Tickets sold at the info table adjacent to the Welcome Center:  
Saturday 7/20 | 10:00 - 11:30 AM & 1:00 - 2:00 PM  
Monday 7/22 | 10:00 - 11:30 AM & 1:00 - 2:00 PM  
Tuesday 7/23 | 10:00 - 11:00 AM

# CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

at the Creation Center  
Mahaffey Family Camp 2024



**TREE TALK**  
Saturday, July 20  
1:00 - 2:00 PM



Here at camp, we're surrounded by a lot of beautiful trees! How do these trees stand so tall, even in the wind? How do they make their own food? And why are they so important for humans? God designed trees for some very special purposes. Come learn about why trees are so special, and how we can identify some of the common ones on the campground. Through stories, songs, hands-on discovery and Bible study, we'll learn about God's beautiful creation of trees, and how they can remind us to stay "rooted" in Christ.

**BEAUTIFUL BUTTERFLIES**  
Sunday, July 21  
3:00 - 4:00 PM

We often see butterflies fluttering in our flowers at the Creation Center's Pollinator Garden. With such colorful wings and graceful flight, it's easy to love these amazing creatures! But butterflies can also teach us something important about being transformed through Jesus. Through stories, songs, hands-on discovery and Bible study, we'll explore the unique life cycle of butterflies, learn to identify some species you may see at camp, and discover how their journey reminds us of new life in Christ.

These programs are designed for kids ages 10 & under.  
All children must attend with a parent or guardian.

# Canvas Painting Party

at Mahaffey Family Camp

Friday, July 26 | 1:00 PM & 3:00 PM

Paint this beautiful design with step-by-step instruction from Corie Hartssock of The Painting Broad. Painters of all ages and experience are welcome.  
Event is held in the Children's Ministry Building.

**COST: \$27/PAINTER**

Price includes all supplies, materials, and instruction to paint an 11x14" canvas.  
All proceeds benefit Mahaffey Camp's year-round ministries.



**REGISTER AT**

[mahaffeycamp.com/family-camp-information](http://mahaffeycamp.com/family-camp-information)  
Deadline to register: Wednesday, July 24