

# MAHAFFEY NEWS

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

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# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **TUESDAY, JULY 23**

(Mahaffey Camp T-Shirt Day)

1-3pm Cottage Tour (self-guided with

pre-registration)

2:15pm Cool Breeze Seminar (Dining

Hall)

8:30pm Family Game Night (Dining

Hall)

# **WEDNESDAY, JULY 24**

2:15pm Cool Breeze Seminar (Dining

Hall)

6:30pm Children's Ministries Penny

Parade (starts at Children's

Ministry Building)

# **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 Meeting10:00am Morning Service7:00pm 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)

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 restroom facilities, including showers. Limit water use in every camp area.

#### CHILDREN'S PENNY PARADE ON WEDNESDAY

Established twenty-five years ago, the annual children's project here at camp is to raise funds for the Children's Ministry Building. In recent years, our Children's Building has allowed us to grow in year-round ministry through many different programs. EVERY PENNY COUNTS is our newest campaign to raise money for the final portion of this project - an attached pavilion. This outdoor space will give us even more room to grow.

The children will again *March the Mile* on Wednesday evening, gathering offerings as they strive to continue to promote this project to the camp. All parade participants should meet at the Children's Ministry Building entrance area at 6:15 on Wednesday evening. Children of all ages are encouraged to attend, bringing banners and signs proclaiming the value this project has created for expanded camp ministries. The parade will begin promptly at 6:30 prior to the evening service. Every mile of pennies = \$840 and helps to secure funds to finish the building.

Note: For the safety of all who are in the parade, please adhere to the golf cart regulations. We encourage carts to be decorated and in the parade, but only the registered driver is permitted to be behind the wheel. **No bicycles, scooters, etc. or four wheelers are permitted to be ridden in the parade.** We ask that for the safety of the children, no candy is thrown at the children or from carts.

# ALLIANCE MISSIONS IN ACTION

Head to the old Country Craft Shoppe building to walk through and see displays from some of our Alliance workers, both domestic and abroad. Learn more about their work and how God is changing lives through their ministries! Opening each day at 11:30am, displays will change throughout the week, so be sure to check through the building often.

# SUPPORT ENVISION ATLANTA

Wendy Baum from Envision Atlanta will be in the Alliance Missions in Action building in person on Tuesday and Wednesday from 2-4pm to share about their ministry. She will also be selling goat milk products (candles, soap, and lotion) made at Envision Acres Farm.

# MAHAFFEY CAMP BAPTISM SERVICE

There will be a baptism service on Saturday, July 27 at 3pm at the river, just north of the Camp Director/Developer's House. If you are interested in being baptized, please pick up an information sheet at the Welcome Center and return it to Rev. Paul Cope, Pastor Alan Petke, or Pastor Brian Greenleaf by Wednesday night.

# **DINING HALL MENU**

# **TUESDAY DINNER (5pm)**

Spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic breadsticks, cream puff dessert.

#### WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST (8am)

Baked oatmeal, cereal, yogurt, cantaloupe.

#### WEDNESDAY LUNCH (12pm)

Tacos and toppings, potato wedges, tossed salad, celery sticks with peanut butter, Rice Krispy treats.

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**

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

**Dinner**: 4:30pm - 6:00pm **Late Night**: 8:30pm - 10:00pm

#### **TUESDAY STORE SPECIAL:**

Meatball sub

Saturday milkshake total: **514** Monday milkshake total: **332** 

#### **BIBLE HOUR MEMORY VERSE**

"Jesus answered, 'I am the way and the truth and the life. No man comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6 (NIrV)

#### FAMILY GAME NIGHT TONIGHT

Join us tonight at 8:30 in the Dining Hall for fun with friends and family! Bring your own board games or choose from ours, and bring snacks or drinks if desired. Kids ages 12 and under must have a parent or guardian present.

#### PAINTING PARTY

Limited spots are still available for the Painting Party on Friday, July 26 in the Children's Building. Cost to register is \$27 per person, including all supplies and instruction to create an 11x14" canvas painting. All proceeds benefit the Children's Building Pavilion Fund. To register, sign up at the Welcome Center.

#### THE CREATION CENTER

The Creation Center is open every day! Come visit this awesome nature-based play space, designed for kids ages birth through 12 years. You'll find lots of hands-on, imaginative areas to play and explore the beauty of God's creation. Located on the hill above the North RV lot, it features a teepee play shelter, sensory walk, climbing rope, slide, sand pit, sound wall, chimes, and more. Toys and play tools are located inside of the Center's shed for your family to enjoy.

# CHILDREN'S LIBRARY

Visit our Children's Library for a way to pass the time at camp! Quality picture books, chapter books, Bibles, and puzzle/activity books are available for check out (up to a week) in the Children's Ministry Building foyer. Connect with your little ones during downtime, quiet time, or rainy days during Family Camp!

#### MAIN TAB MESSAGE RECORDINGS

Recordings of the Main Tab messages will be available for purchase on thumb drive and by digital download (available 1 week after Family Camp). Order thumb drives by Friday, July 26 to avoid the late fee. Orders can be submitted before and after the service each night at the Main Tab sound room. More information is available at the sound room.

Welcome to our local coffee shop from Punxsutawney - **Groundhog Grindz**! They will be available at camp with coffee, smoothies, frappes, and more. Stop by and give them a try!

**REMINDER FOR ALLIANCE WOMEN'S GROVE:** If your church is participating as a group in the Grove, please be reminded that no canopy or table is permitted to be placed there until <u>after the conclusion of the Wednesday evening service</u>. Also, all tables and canopies must be removed no later than 1:15pm on Thursday afternoon.

**NO PARKING** from the bridge to the store area. For safety purposes, this area is blocked off from all traffic, including golf carts. **FIRST AID STATION** (located at the Welcome Center): 9:00-11:30am, 1:30-3:30pm, and 6:30-8:00pm. 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, first aid staff, or 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.

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#/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.

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