

Mennonite Camping Association

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JOB OPENINGS

CAMP UPDATES

Hidden Acres Mennonite Camp and Retreat Centre, New Hamburg, ON, a long-established, year-round Christian ministry, is seeking an Executive Director to guide development of the overall ministry of the camp and oversee program, personnel, facility, public relations, fundraising, and administration. Deadline is February 6. For more information, visit www.hiddenacres.ca/opportunities/year-round-employment

Laurelville, Mount Pleasant, PA, is looking for a full-time Program Director. Qualified candidates must have a passion for Christian service and have a minimum of one-two years of experience. Visit www.laurelville.org/about-us/employment/ to learn more.

Camp Luz, Orrville, OH, is in search of a qualified individual to serve year-round as Program Director. This position is critical to the ongoing mission of Camp Luz. Details and qualifications can be found in the job description at camppluz.com. Interested candidates should send their resume and 3 references to camp director, Andrew Michaels, at Andrew@camppluz.com.

Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp, Divide, CO, www.rmhc.org

New Program Changes at RMMC

Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp has the opportunity to enhance its program offerings from guest group events that are now facilitated and operated by the camp.

Last summer, Colorado Roots Music Camp I (June) and II (August) were successfully held and facilitated as an official new program of the Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp ministry. Many comments from participants expressed appreciation for the seamless behind-the-scenes transition they experienced. The community atmosphere of good people (participants, staff, volunteers) and good music carried on. Both weeks of camp represented a total of 150 participants and utilized all the facilities camp has to offer.

A casual conversation from a group of women in early 2018, turned into an idea for a Women's Retreat at RMMC. This idea has now taken shape as a new RMMC program scheduled for March 15-17, 2019. A new retreat matched perfectly with RMMC's desire to include new programs for different audiences. The hope is to offer a retreat to reach women who desire to gather for fun, fellowship, and rejuvenation. A variety of activities (hikes, coffee, games, beekeeping conversations, etc.) will be offered with worship sessions led by Anita Amstutz on the theme of "Soul Tending and Bee-ing." Read more about the retreat at rmhc.org/womens-retreat.

The Scrapbook Retreat held annually at RMMC and facilitated by Michelle Van Wie for the past 13 years, is now transitioning into a formal camp program. Michelle stepped down from leadership, giving the camp the opportunity to continue this great program. Set aside dedicated time to save those memories and join the fun at the retreat on January 18-20, 2019. Online registration is now open, so register today!

CHRISTMAS AT CAMP

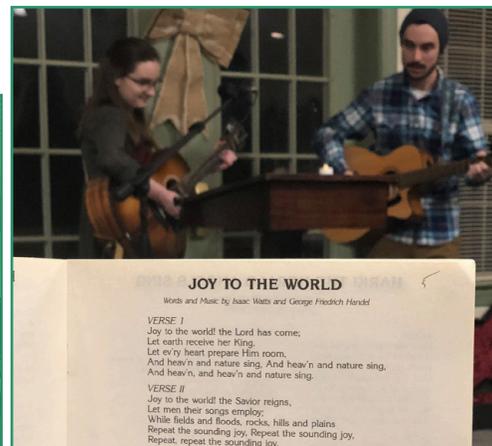


Shekinah Retreat Centre celebrated the season with "A Very Shekinah Christmas." This annual event filled the Timber Lodge hall to the brim and featured singing from local choirs Sonrisa and A Bunch of Guys. As one attendee expressed, "It is not Christmas until I have attended A Very Shekinah Christmas!"

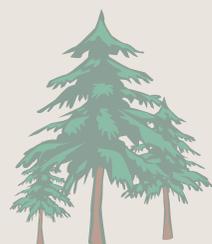
Camp Mennoscah summer staff decorate cookies together.



Hidden Acres Retreat Centre



Williamsburg Christian Retreat Center



JOY TO THE WORLD
 Words and Music by Isaac Watts and George Friedrich Handel

VERSE I
 Joy to the world! the Lord has come;
 Let earth receive her King,
 Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room,
 And heav'n and nature sing, And heav'n and nature sing,
 And heav'n, and heav'n and nature sing.

VERSE II
 Joy to the world! the Savior reigns,
 Let men their songs employ,
 While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains
 Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat the sounding joy,
 Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.