

# CAMP MACK 2023

Events, Retreats, & Summer Camps



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Did you know that there are nine fruits of the spirit? (Galatians 5:22-23). If you know a young person who has been to Camp Mack in the last few years, I'm guessing they do! In fact, they may be able to tell you exactly what they are – and aren't.

One of the favorite camp songs each summer is *The Fruit of the Spirit*, a fun and entertaining song teaching that the fruit of the spirit is not a banana, watermelon, or peach. Instead, the fruits of the spirit are the behaviors that create community and focus our lives on God's purposes.



This summer, campers will explore *FruitFULL Faith*, an opportunity to learn about and practice living as God calls us to live. Just think what our world would be like if everyone shared love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. And Jesus provides the model for our campers to follow as they play, swim, boat, hike, and pray together in the beauty of God's created world.

I invite you to explore the many ways you can participate in the programs and ministry of Camp Mack by carefully reading through the volunteer opportunities, retreats, Get-A-Way Days, and summer camp experiences listed in this brochure. There truly is something for everyone!

Find a way to connect with old friends, make new friends, walk the trails, swim in a sparkling lake, attempt the challenges of the ropes courses, watch a sunset, discover the beauty of nature, and make time for listening to the Word of God. Live in community as you practice FruitFULL living; connect with God; experience the beauty God gives us; be part of a community of faith; find sanctuary at Camp Mack!

Gene Hollenberg, Executive Director



# Color Code



**Summer Camps**



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Camp Mack programs, retreats, and camps are subject to all restrictions mandated by the CDC, Indiana Department of Health, and Kosciusko County Health Department. Additional precautions may be taken to protect the safety of participants and camp staff. All registrants will be informed of any specific requirements prior to the start of their program.

## 2023 CALENDAR

Camp Rep Meeting .....	Jan. 14
Winter Spiritual Retreat .....	Jan. 27–29
Snow Camp .....	Feb. 4
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Camp Mack Festival .....	Oct. 7
Pastor's Sabbath .....	Oct. 9–10
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Father Son Retreat .....	Oct. 14–15
Volunteer Work Days .....	Oct. 16–18
Fall Quilt Retreat .....	Oct. 18–22
Scrap and Craft Retreat .....	Oct. 19–22
Annual Dinner .....	Nov. 4
Camp Rep Meeting .....	Jan. 13, 2024



## Booking Your Retreat, Conference, & Special Event

In addition to the events that Camp Mack schedules throughout the year, we have the facilities and overnight accommodations to host almost any event that you or your organization would like to plan, such as:

- Business Meetings
- Conferences
- Community Events
- Educational Classes
- Church Retreats
- Youth Gatherings
- Family Reunions
- Weddings
- Picnics
- Outdoor Education Classes
- Homeschool Group Events
- Banquets/Catered Events
- Team Building (led by our certified instructors)

For more information about scheduling your event (space is limited), please contact our office at (574) 658-4831 or [info@campmack.org](mailto:info@campmack.org) for current availability and pricing.

### TEAM BUILDING

Camp's qualified instructors will lead your group through a variety of team building activities to increase your group's effectiveness. In addition to high-interest, low-impact activities, we offer: a low ropes course; 32-foot climbing tower with multiple levels of difficulty; a 350-foot zip line from the top of our climbing tower; and a multi-level high ropes course.

### SWIMMING & BOATING

Certified lifeguards supervise all waterfront activities including: sailing, canoeing, kayaking, row-boating, and swimming. Swimming is available Memorial Day through Labor Day, and boating is available May through mid-October.

### OUTDOOR EDUCATION

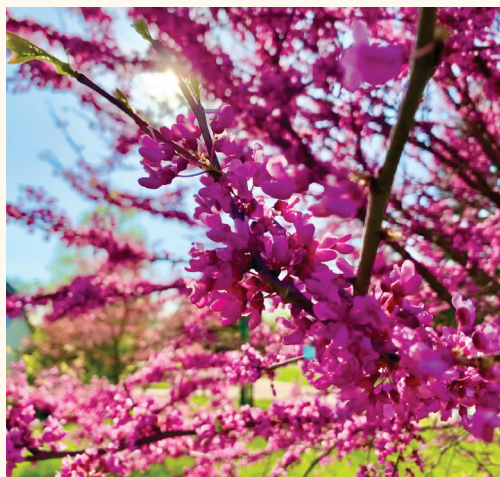
We offer more than 30 field study options tied to state standards that include optional pre- and post-lessons for back in the classroom. Field studies include adventure, environmental science, and outdoor skills options. We offer day and overnight programs, custom-built to your school's learning objectives. Fall and spring sessions are available. Call or email for details.

### DINING FACILITIES

The Kate Warstler Dining Center, located in the John Kline Welcome Center, has dining for up to 300 guests with flexible rooms to accommodate various group sizes. Dining Room A alone has space for 180. Dining Rooms B and C each have a capacity of 60 people. Call for catered event details.

### MEETING AREAS

The Turkey Creek Meeting Room is a fully equipped conference room in the John Kline Welcome Center. Additional three-season meeting spaces include: Shultz Chapel—a quiet lakeside spot for worship, meditation, and special gatherings accommodating up to 65; and Quinter Miller Auditorium for larger groups and special events of up to 750 guests. Call us to find out how we can accommodate your needs.





## Retreat & Rental Accommodations



**JOHN KLINE WELCOME CENTER** This building houses the Manly Deeter Office Center and the Kate Warstler Dining Center. As you enter the main entrance, a spacious gathering area greets you with a fireplace, comfy chairs, a fish tank, pianos, and a library. Just off the gathering area are restrooms, the Gift Shoppe, and the John Kline Meeting Room. The large dining room can be divided to accommodate three groups. Serving options include buffet line, family style, or banquet style. Dining capacity: 300+.



**SARAH MAJOR LODGE** As multi-level lakeside lodging, Sarah Major Lodge includes: a spacious meeting room with views of the lake on the main floor, a wood-burning fireplace, and a kitchenette; recreation/meeting area and kitchen located on the lower level; three bedrooms on the main level and five bedrooms on the upper level; and centrally located restrooms and showers. This lodge is heated. Overnight capacity: 64 summer setup/47 most of retreat season (35 are lower or single twin beds).



**ULRICH HOUSE—NEWLY RENOVATED! (Remodeling completed by March 2023)** Ulrich House is a newly remodeled, multi-level retreat lodge filled with rustic charm and includes: a main floor meeting space with a kitchenette and a wood-burning fireplace; a main floor conference room connected to a kitchen; recreation/meeting area located on the lower level that walks out to a covered back porch; 14 total bedrooms on the main and upper levels; and restrooms on the main and upper levels. A new elevator connects all three floors. This lodge has heating and air conditioning. Overnight capacity: 33 with one person per bed/48 with two people per full size bed. No bunks.



**WAMPLER RETREAT CENTER** This lakeside retreat lodge includes: a cozy meeting area with a kitchen and a wood-burning fireplace; four carpeted bedrooms; centrally located restrooms and showers; and a wood deck with a view of the lake. This lodge is heated. Overnight capacity: 20 (12 are lower or single twin beds).



**MISSION VILLAGE YURTS** The Mission Village wooden yurts are three-season retreat lodging that include: a central meeting yurt that can accommodate up to 45 people; heated restrooms with showers; and five lodging yurts all connected by a central boardwalk. Four yurts have ten beds, and one has three to six beds. Overnight sleeping capacity: 45



**SEASONAL CABINS** Six three-season cabins include accommodations for up to 60 guests (W Cabins). These have heating capabilities and twin beds, not bunks. There are fifteen cabins available from May–September (E Cabins and Letter Cabins). One of the Letter Cabins has single twin beds; the rest have twin bunk beds. These cabins accommodate up to 150 combined. Each area has a centrally located bathhouse (restrooms and showers) and a nearby campfire circle.



## Your Place for Supporting/Volunteering

### VOLUNTEER CELEBRATION

We celebrate the many volunteers that make Camp Mack possible. Our guests enjoy fellowship, entertainment, and great food. *Invitation Only*

**Date:** Saturday, March 4.  
Appetizers begin at 4:15p, dinner begins at 5p.

### VOLUNTEER WORK DAYS

Volunteers will work with Camp Mack's staff as we make preparations for the summer camp and winter seasons. We have planned work tasks for all skill levels and ages.

**Ages:** Workers of all ages. Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**Dates:** March 20–22, April 3–5, April 15, and October 16–18  
Come for a few hours or all three days. No charge for meals and lodging. Please contact our office for reservations.

### SHINE ALL OVER CAMP MACK—GIVING DAY

Be a part of making a difference by contributing your gift toward the purchase of equipment, so Camp Mack can keep going through power outages. Spend the morning volunteering for various projects at Camp Mack. Tune into the Facebook livestream with stories of Camp Mack. Come to Camp Mack and enjoy an ice cream social with friends.

**Date:** Saturday, April 15th

### CAMP REP. MEETING

January 14, 2023  
August 2023, TBA



## CAMP MACK 2023 | SUPPORT / VOLUNTEER

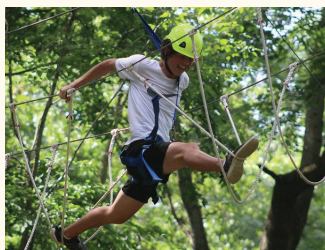


### 5K RUN/WALK

Grab your family and run or walk around beautiful Camp Mack. The course is mostly flat as participants make their way north of camp around the countryside and back to finish at Camp Mack. Kids' Fun Run takes younger runners around Camp. Prizes for all ages. Entry gifts for early registrations only. Sponsorship opportunities are available.

**Registration:** \$25 for 5K, \$10 for Kids' Fun Run, \$100 for 5 registrations. Add \$5 late fee to registrations after April 15.

**Date:** Sunday, May 7. Kids' Fun Run at 2p. 5K begins at 2:15p.



### CAMP MACK CHALLENGE—NEW!

Grab a friend to race through the Camp Mack challenge course. Climb up the wedge and ship's shroud at the climbing tower. Run through both levels of the high ropes course. More information coming mid-2023.

**Date:** Saturday, August 5th.



### CAMP MACK FESTIVAL

Food, fellowship, and fun for the whole family. Enjoy a wide range of entertainment, demonstrations, crafts, food, and other activities. Shop the auction for artisan crafts and unique experiences. Handicap parking and transportation are available.

Free admission and parking. Festival proceeds support the mission of Camp Mack.

**Date:** Saturday, October 7, 10a–2p.



### ANNUAL DINNER

Spend an evening with friends new and old, enjoying the finest Camp Mack has to offer. Learn about the continuing impact that Camp Mack has on the campers and guests that find sanctuary here. Limited space available.

**Registration:** A donation of \$50 per person, \$375 for a table of six, or \$500 for a table of eight

**Date:** Saturday, November 4.  
Hors d'oeuvres at 5:15p; dinner at 6p.





## Your Place to Get-A-Way

Everyone needs a break, time to get-a-way, learn something new, or do something they really enjoy. Get-A-Way Days offer a “mini retreat”...so come, let your soul be renewed, refreshed, and revived! Make a new friend or reconnect with an old friend as you choose from a wide variety of programs. Please note that several events are planned for the same day. Bring your whole family, bring a friend or just come to Camp Mack for the day!

**For more information check out the Camp Mack website or Get-A-Way Day brochure.**

### Nature

#### February 18 – Eagle Watch

Travel to Mississinewa to view migrating bald eagles and end your day at the roost.

**Fee:** \$35

#### April 30 – Wildflower Walk

Explore and ID the spring wildflowers at Camp Mack as the forest floor comes alive with a palette of color. **FREE**

#### August 6 – Prairie Walk

Walk through the five acres of prairie at camp and discover the plants within. **FREE**

#### October 22 – Fall Nut & Tree ID Walk

Explore and ID the trees in the Camp Mack woods. Crack and sample nuts along the trail. **FREE**

#### October 28 – Prairie Restoration

Cut autumn olive and other invasive brush in the prairie and help return it to a healthy prairie. **FREE**

#### November 18 – Sandhill Cranes Trip

Travel to Jasper-Pulaski FWA to see over 10,000 Sandhill cranes along their migration route. **Fee:** \$35



### Adventure

#### April 29 – Target Sports

Archery target shoot, let paintballs fly with a slingshot at a target, throw atlatls, and hear the music being made at the rock throwing range. **Fee:** \$25

#### August 12 – Sailing 101

Learn basic sailing and rigging techniques on a Sunfish sailboat. Take out a Laser sailboat for a little more fun. **Fee:** \$25

#### August 26 – Advanced Sailing

Advance your sailing experience during a camp sailing regatta with a variety of races and skills drills. **Fee:** \$25





## Hobby

### February 11 – Valentine Cookie Decorating

Using various techniques, create beautiful designs atop cookies already set with royal icing to enjoy for yourself or give to your friends and family. **Fee:** \$40

### February 18 – Board Games

From Chutes and Ladders to Settlers of Catan, gather with friends, new and old, for a day of your favorite board games.

**Fee:** \$25

### February 25 – Knitting and Crocheting

Learn to knit or crochet, share your skills with others, swap stories, and show off what you make. **Fee:** \$25

### February 25 – Scrapbooking

Finish a couple pages for your scrapbook, mingle with fellow scrappers, and find treasures at the swap table. **Fee:** \$25

### March 25 – Woodcarving

Carve cottonwood bark into a lighthouse or wood spirit face. **Fee:** \$30

### September 9 – Dutch Oven Gathering

Bring your Dutch Ovens and cast iron for a pitch-in meal and swap recipes and tips with others. **Fee:** \$25



### October 21 – Scrapbooking

Finish a couple pages for your scrapbook, mingle with fellow scrappers, and find treasures at the swap table. **Fee:** \$25

### October 21 – Knitting and Crocheting

Learn to knit or crochet, share your skills with others, swap stories, and show off what you make. **Fee:** \$25

## Christmas

### December 2 – Wreaths and Swags

Use fresh greens, fruits, ribbon, and other unique items from nature to make a beautiful wreath or swag to hang on your door. **Fee:** \$35

### December 2/3 – Christmas Cookies

Make four batches of cookies (around 12 dozen cookies). We prepare the ingredients; you mix up the dough, bake, and decorate. Best of all, we clean up the mess. Three sessions available.

**Fee:** \$55





## Your Place for Families



### GRAND CAMPS

Spend quality time bonding with your grandkids and making memories that will last a lifetime. This camp will provide a time for grandparents to make connections with their grandchildren through a variety of activities such as swimming, boating, hiking, games, campfires, crafts, storytimes, Bible studies, and maybe even a nap! Due to supervision limitations, we ask that you bring no more than three grandchildren for each grandparent attending this event. Registration opens February 1.

**Ages:** Grandparents of all ages and grandchildren ages 5–10

**Fees:** \$180 per grandparent and \$120 per grandchild.

**Dates:** June 11–13, July 30–August 1.



### COLONY FAMILY CAMP

Fun and fellowship for the whole family! Colony Camp is a great opportunity to experience some summer fun with your family before everyone heads back to school. Enjoy the planned group activities along with boating and swimming, or simply relax and spend quality time with family and friends. Bring your RV, tent, or use one of the cabins. Bring your own food and bedding, and enjoy a weekend at Camp Mack!

**Ages:** Families of all ages. Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**Fees:** \$105 per family. Camp lodging is available. No meals are provided by camp.

**Dates:** August 11–13, 6p Friday to 1p Sunday.



### LABOR DAY FAMILY CAMP

This popular camp offers something for the entire family! Swimming, boating, crafts, and community worship are available, along with age-appropriate classes and discussion groups.

**Ages:** Families of all ages. Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**Fees:** \$90 per family (\$100 after 7/14) for the full time program with options for other packages. There are additional fees for lodging and meals.

**Dates:** Labor Day Weekend, September 1–4, 6p Friday to 1p Monday.



## Your Place for Specialty Retreats

### MOTHER DAUGHTER RETREAT, "THE HERO WITHIN"

Discover the Hero Within through crafting, learning new skills, exploring, and sharing time together.

**Ages:** Mothers, daughters, sisters, grandmas, and women of all ages. Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**Fees:** \$60 per child ages 5–8, \$105 per person age 9 through adult. Includes lodging and meals.

**Dates:** March 11–12, 9a Saturday to 1p Sunday.



### FATHER SON RETREAT, "AROUND THE FIRE"

Find yourself Around the Fire for a week of cast iron cooking, whittling, and making tools for a weekend together.

**Ages:** Fathers, sons, brothers, grandpas, and men of all ages. Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**Fees:** \$60 per child ages 5–8, \$105 per person age 9 to adult.

**Dates:** October 14–15, 9a Saturday to 1p Sunday.



### SEASONED CITIZENS RETREAT

Join this group of life-experienced people who gather each year to meet old friends and make new ones. Special programs, crafts, vespers, and Bible studies will be offered along with plenty of free time for fellowship, "joke time," indoor and outdoor games, hiking, puzzles, and naps, too! Our facility offers handicap-accessible sleeping and meeting rooms, as well as dining options for those on special diets. Bring your special talent, humor, Bible, bedding, and games...and be refreshed at Camp Mack!

**Ages:** 55+

**Fees:** \$188 per person, or \$127 if not staying overnight

**Dates:** October 9–12





## Your Place for Craft & Hobby Retreats



### QUILT RETREAT

This is a unique opportunity for quilters of all ages to gather and share their expertise and love of quilting while enjoying the tranquil scenery of Camp Mack. Bring your sewing machine, UFOs (unfinished objects), and quilting supplies. All levels of quilters, from novice to expert, are invited! Due to facility limitations and distancing preferences, space is limited to the first 24 fully-paid quilters.

**Fees:** \$156 per quilter arriving Friday evening, \$168 per quilter arriving on Friday morning, \$208 per quilter arriving on Thursday evening, \$236 per quilter arriving on Wednesday evening (April and October). Fee includes housing and scheduled meals.

**Dates:** February 16–19, April 19–23, October 18–22, 3p Thursday (early arrival for April/October is Wednesday 3p) to 3p Sunday.



### SCRAP AND CRAFT RETREAT

Crop and craft 'til you drop with a weekend of crafting therapy. Bring the scrapbook and crafting projects you need to finish or may have been waiting for the perfect time to begin. Spread out your supplies and enjoy an uninterrupted time with fellow crafters. Bring your extra scraps, paper, stickers, and more to trade and swap at the swap table.

**Fees:** \$169 per crafter arriving Friday evening, \$187 per crafter arriving on Friday morning, \$212 per crafter arriving on Thursday evening. Fee includes housing and scheduled meals.

**Dates:** February 23–26 and October 19–22  
6p Thursday (early arrival) to 3p Sunday.



### BIRDWATCHING RETREAT

Enjoy the spring migration with birdwatchers of all ages. New and experienced birdwatchers will experience the various habitats and birds at camp. We will also travel to other locations to see birds not usually found at camp.

**Ages:** Birdwatchers of all ages. Anyone under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**Fees:** \$161 for 2 nights and 5 meals, or \$105 for 1 night and 2 meals.

**Dates:** May 4–6, 6:30p Thursday to 2p Saturday.





## Your Place for Children & Youth Retreats

### SNOW CAMPS

Snow Camp Jr. and Snow Camp are winter days filled with outdoor play, crafts, snacks, and a tasty lunch at camp. Please come with clothes to play outside in the snow and a spare set of clothes to change into if needed.

**Ages:** Snow Camp Jr, ages 5–12. Snow Camp, grades 6–10.

**Fee:** \$35, includes lunch, snack, and all activities.

**Date:** Saturday, February 4, Snow Camp.  
Saturday, February 11, Snow Camp Jr. 9a–4p.



### HOMESCHOOL OUTDOOR EDUCATION DAYS

Homeschool theme days are held every month from September through April. Spring themes include: dark & light, mythological madness, let's get dirty, and fields & flowers. Stay tuned for additional dates and next season's themes.

**Ages:** 7–14

**Fee:** \$20 (optional sack lunch provided by Camp for \$5)

**Dates:** January 9, February 20, March 13, and April 10.



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for updates, photos, and fun!





## Your Place for Spiritual & Fellowship Retreats

### SEASONAL SPIRITUAL RETREATS

Join in this adult retreat exploring faith and the unique activities available at camp. An outside minister and camp staff will work together to provide spiritual growth and camp fun in a relaxing environment. Come and explore your faith and play in the beauty and sanctuary of Camp!

**Fee:** \$160 per person for 2 nights and 5 meals.

**Dates:** January 27–29, 7:00p Friday to 1p Sunday.

August 18–20, 7:00p Friday to 1p Sunday.

### PASTOR'S SABBATH

The Sabbath experience at Camp Mack is a time of reflection, fellowship, personal meditation, and recreation for Church of the Brethren pastors. There's plenty of time for fellowship with a balance of structured and free time!

Guest leadership – To Be Determined

**Fee:** \$25 (Fee includes CEUs, lodging, and meals)

**Dates:** May 8–9, October 9–10.

Come for a few hours or both days.

### WOMEN'S CAMP

Enjoy time at the campfire. Attend sessions led by a guest speaker to grow in faith. Participate in Love Feast. Leave feeling refreshed and recharged together.

**Ages:** Women of all ages. Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**Fees:** \$175

**Date:** June 1–3, 4p Thursday to 1:30p Saturday.



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# RETREAT REGISTRATION FORM

## HOW TO REGISTER FOR A RETREAT

### Three ways to register:

1. \*Preferred\* Click the "Register Online" button at **www.campmack.org**. Use your existing account or see page 22 for account setup information.
2. To print a registration form, go to **www.campmack.org/retreats** and click on the form link under the retreat information.
3. You may also contact the camp office at **info@campmack.org** or 574-658-4831 for additional information.

### Retreat Registration Form *\*This form may be used for retreats and single-day events only.*

Retreat Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Retreat Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Needs / Accommodations: \_\_\_\_\_

#### IF PARTICIPANT IS A MINOR

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Emergency Contact (Required)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

#### IF OVERNIGHT EVENT

Roommate Preference: \_\_\_\_\_

Able to go up stairs: ☐ Yes ☐ No

#### WAIVER/RELEASE STATEMENT

I/We waive any claim for me/us or my/our child that may arise against the camp and/or employees as a result of participation in the program, except for those that are a direct result of gross negligence of the camp or its employees. I give permission for me/us and/or my/our child to be photographed and/or video taped for promotional purposes of the camp.

Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(If participant is a minor)

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### COST

Event Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

Amt. Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

(Make checks payable to Camp Mack)

#### Camp Mailing Address:

PO Box 158, Milford, IN 46542

#### FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Cash / Check # \_\_\_\_\_

# CAMP MACK 2023

Sign Up for Summer Camp Today!



## FruitFULL Faith

"The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control."

- Galatians 3:22-23a NASB



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## Your Place for Residential Camps

### **SAMPLERS:** Completed 1st or 2nd Grade

Samplers Camp is a fast-paced introduction to the overnight camp experience. Swimming in the shallow end, rowboating, crafts, campfires, recreation, and Bible Studies are all included.

**Fee:** \$213

**Dates:** July 9–11  
July 12–14



### **SEEKERS:** Completed 3rd or 4th Grade

Seekers Camp is the first time campers can come for a week. Campers rowboat, may take the swim test to swim out to the dive raft, do simple cookouts, have evening programming, take a night hike, and enjoy a moderately paced week.

**Fee:** \$504

**Dates:** July 9–14  
July 16–21



### **FINDERS:** Completed 5th or 6th Grade

Finders Campers continue their progression in camping by adding cookouts, using the diving board, canoeing, climbing, doing low ropes while keeping traditions of campfires, Morning Watch, Vespers, and more.

**Fee:** \$520

**Dates:** July 16–21  
July 23–28



# CAMP MACK 2023 | RESIDENTIAL CAMPS / 7TH – 12TH GRADE



## **FOLLOWERS: Completed 7th – 9th Grade**

Followers campers grow in their independence as they use the zipline, kayak, learn to sail, and choose from a variety of afternoon sessions that include waterfront activities, ultimate frisbee, crafts, and more.

**Fee:** \$520    **Date:** June 25–30

## **CIT CAMP: Ages 14-17**

Spend time at camp growing as a leader this summer as Counselors in Training. Spend time each day doing service projects, adapting Bible study for all ages, learning new crafts and recreation activities, working at team building, and enjoying all the regular activities camp has to offer.

**Fee:** \$520    **Date:** July 9–14

## **YOUTH CAMP: Completed 9th – 12th Grade**

**Theme: Don't be a sheep unless you're following Jesus**

"But you do not believe because you are not my sheep. My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one will snatch them out of my hand." –John 10:26–28

Exciting events include a dance, banquet, themed meals, counselor-led workshops, and all of your other favorite Camp Mack activities.

**Directors:** Ben Barkey and Austin Freels

**Directors in Waiting:** Andrea Miller and Seth Hendricks

**Youth Camp Council:** Aida Haynes, Brandon Kauffman, Ryan Shoue, Anna Shoue, Ayla Cashdollar, Katie Wagoner, Kadence Fox, and Ali Barkey.

**Fee:** \$530    **Date:** July 2–8







## Your Place for Specialty Camps

### **TARGET SPORTS: Completed 6th – 9th Grade**

Learn the sport of target shooting in this action-packed camp. Learn all the parts of a bow and simple techniques to become an accurate archer. Slingshot range, atlatls, and accuracy games round out this week. There are plenty of regular camp activities to make this an awesome camp experience. Max. 18 campers.

**Fee:** \$543    **Date:** July 2–7



### **SPLASH CAMP: Completed 5th – 8th Grade**

Water, water, water! We use it, drink it, play in it, need it, enjoy it, and depend on it. Join us for Splash Camp and experience water in new ways. Stream studies, swimming, fishing, snorkeling, canoeing, sailing, and more are all a part of this “waterific” week. Max. 16 campers.

**Fee:** \$543    **Date:** July 16–21



### **CULINARY CAMP: Completed 6th – 9th Grade**

Want to cook like a chef? Learn the basics of cooking – everything from food safety and proper measuring methods to garnishing as you prepare meals. Top the week off by preparing and serving a meal to your family Friday evening. There will still be plenty of time for all the fun camp activities! Bon Appétit! Max. 12 campers.

**Fee:** \$543    **Date:** July 2–7



### **CREATIVE ARTS: Completed 6th – 10th Grade**

Art, drama, percussion, music, building sets, painting, playing in a praise band: you can do it all! Share the spirit in new ways, explore your own creativity, and worship God. Learn what it takes to create a worship service. Work with a leadership team designed to challenge and support your creativity.

End the week with an art exhibit and worship service!

**Fee:** \$520    **Date:** July 9–14







## Your Place for Eco Camps

### **ECO-ADVENTURE: Completed 5th or 6th Grade**

This is the ultimate campout. Spend the week in the Camp Mack Wilderness Area while sleeping in tents, mastering your fire building skills, and cooking delicious meals over the fire. River canoeing, Bible study, worship, and minimal-impact camping are all a part of this outdoor camping experience. Max. 14 campers

**Fee:** \$540     **Date:** July 23–28

### **SURVIVOR CAMP: Completed 6th – 9th Grade**

Discover what it means to live close to the earth! Deepen your connection with God's creation. Build natural shelters, gather water safely, make primitive fires, and gather wild foods. Learn navigation skills and play awareness games. Survivor Camp will reawaken your relations with the Creator and creation! Campers from Brethren Heights will join campers from Camp Mack. Held at Camp Mack. Max. 20 campers.

**Fee:** \$545     **Date:** July 9–15

### **DADIRRI CAMP (Advanced Survivor): Completed 9th – 12th Grade**

Imagine being so attuned with God's creation that you can read the stories written on the landscape and hear creation's rhythm and songs. This is what it means to embody what aboriginal Australians called Dadirri. Experience how connection with creation deepens our worship, Bible study, and community. Dadirri Camp is a full mind-body-heart experience that will make God more real than you ever imagined. Campers from Brethren Heights will join campers from Camp Mack. Held at Brethren Heights.

**Prerequisite:** Attended Survivor Camp and/or proficiency in selected wilderness skills

**Fee:** \$545     **Date:** June 11–17



# SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION INFORMATION



## New Registration Details for 2023

Registration for summer camps and Grand Camps will open February 1st, 2023

### DEPOSITS

To be fully registered for a summer camp, a non-refundable deposit of \$75 must be received. If a deposit is not received, your spot for the camp is not reserved. Full payment is expected by June 1st.

To be fully registered for a retreat or event, fees must be paid in full to reserve your spot.

### REFUND POLICY

Any cancellations received 30 days prior to your camp start date will receive a full refund minus the \$75 deposit. Cancellations received less than 30 days prior to your camp start date will receive a refund of ½ of the registration minus the \$75 deposit. If a child does not arrive for camp, all registration fees are forfeited.

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR SUMMER CAMPS

Camp Mack offers several ways to help cover the cost of summer camp. Payment Plans break down the cost of camp into automatic monthly payments for up to a six-month period. Camperships (camp scholarships) for up to half of the registration fee are available through the camp for families needing financial assistance. Please contact the camp by calling (574) 658-4831 for more information.



### FIRST TIME CAMPER DISCOUNT—NEW

**Campers coming to Camp Mack for the first time can receive a \$50 discount on their camp fees. Campers must be registered by May 1st to be eligible for the discount.**

### PERSONAL CONDUCT

Church camp is about living in Christian Community. In an attempt to provide an atmosphere where children can live together in that community, campers are expected to: participate and cooperate in activities, respect one another, use no profanity, wear modest and appropriate clothing, and have behavior that is not disruptive to the program. The camp reserves the right to send home a camper who is unable to function within these guidelines.

### GET READY FOR A GREAT TIME AT CAMP!

Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis, determined by the space available. Rules for acceptance and participation in the program are the same for everyone regardless of race, color, sex, national origin, disability, or religion.





# CAMP MACK 2023 | ONLINE REGISTRATION INFORMATION



## ONLINE REGISTRATION

Online registration is the best way to secure your desired camp(s) for this summer. Contact the camp office at (574) 658-4831 or [info@campmack.org](mailto:info@campmack.org) to retrieve your login information.

## ACCOUNT SETUP

Go to [www.campmack.org](http://www.campmack.org). Click the "Register Online" button at the top right of the page.

**Existing accounts,** enter your login information. This will take you to your dashboard. Select from available campers in your profile, and click the green "Add New Program" button. For new campers, click the green "Add New Camper" button, then use the green "Add New Program" button to register them.

**Need an account?** Go to the right side and click "Create New Account."

- Fill in the required fields on the next page and click the white "Save/Next" button on the green strip at the bottom of the page.
- ***If you receive a validation message, please contact the camp before creating a new account.***
- Follow the instructions to create your profile.



## ONLINE REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

- Select the program you wish to attend. Click on the "Details" button for more information.
- On the next page, select an Emergency Contact from the dropdown or click "Add New Contact."
- Open and complete "Camper Profile Sheet."
- Return to your dashboard and click the "Make a Payment" button in the financial section to pay for camp.
- A \$75 deposit is required to be registered for camp and to guarantee a spot in your chosen program.

## CHURCH TRANSFER CODES

Does your church cover the cost of attending camp? Ask your camp representative for your church's transfer code to automatically remove the amount your church is paying from your balance.

Call (574) 658-4831 for questions.





# Who We Are

## Experiencing God, Community, and Nature



Camp Mack is a Christian camp, conference, and retreat center located in Northern Indiana, affiliated with the Church of the Brethren. Our summer camp program is intentionally designed to provide campers with life-changing experiences that lead to the formation of personal faith within a safe Christian community. Our leaders are trained to focus on physical and emotional safety, skill development, and age-appropriate programming that is exciting, educational, and enriching. In addition to training, our leaders have a heart for ministry and kids and a love of summer fun that they share with the campers. A progression in programming makes each summer at Camp Mack more exciting and challenging than the last.



### OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

Camp Alexander Mack provides a sanctuary where people connect with God, experience creation, and build Christian community.

*This institution is an equal opportunity provider.*



Camp Mack is accredited by the American Camp Association, a member of Christian Camp and Conference Association, and a member of the Outdoor Ministries Association of the Church of the Brethren.

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