

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25th 2:00-3:15pm**All In the Same Boat: Yarns of Passages, People, and Places – Linford and Janet Stutzman Pine Grove**

This workshop will include storytelling and snapshots of reality: encountering strangers, voyaging with guests, and stress on marriage. Conversation time about anything.

Life is Better at the Lake – BW Staff Lake

Head down to the Lake and choose from canoeing, pedal-boating, and stand-up paddle boarding to get out on the water or stay on shore for fishing and observing. Lifeguard provided.

Watz' in the Woods – Tyler Simmers, Linetta Alley Start/End at Mountain Lodge Parking Lot

Join camp's Property Manager and Executive Director for a tour of camp's ground and facilities.

Ducks in a Row: Getting Your Affairs in Order – Mary Ann Stripling Leadership Center Basement

The best gift you can leave your loved ones is an organized estate at your journey's end. While the topic is serious, the approach is lighthearted, productive, and fun to help you get your Ducks In A Row.

Bullseye! – Alec Surrett Cherry Hill

Camp's certified staff will provide orientation, instruction, and supervision for beginner or experienced archers to hit the target! Come see why this growing sport is so popular for all ages.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25th 3:45-5:00pm**Make a Splash! – BW Staff Pool**

Dips your toes in, float around, or do a cannonball as we cool off in camp's recently renovated swimming pool. Lifeguard provided.

Fireside Chat - Larry Glick, Doug Phillips, Linetta Alley Mountain Lodge (main room)

Join the past and current directors of Brethren Woods, plus a first-year camper, for stories of camp's history, mission, and impact. We hope you'll bring your stories of camping and outdoor ministry – at Brethren Woods and beyond – to share!

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From Eder to Everence – Nevin Dulabaum and Everence Rep Leadership Center Basement

Come to learn about the transition of Eder Financial's employee-based services for pastors and church workers to Everence Financial. If you are a pastor or represent an organization that uses Eder's services, you'll want to attend this session to learn how to transition from Eder to Everence.

Craft Project(s) – Bob and Bev Armbruster Craft House

Description TBD

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26th 3:45-5:00pm (cont. on back)**Continuing Conversations and Heifer International Today – Peggy Reiff Miller Pine Grove**

Join Peggy for a Q & A opportunity, additional input about Heifer International's work today, and a showing of Heifer's short "12 Stones" video.

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Dutch Oven Delights – Linetta Alley and Alec Surrett Mill Creek

Learn the skill of cooking with a Dutch Oven as we make several different desserts – like Pineapple Upside-

Down Cake, Easy Triple Chocolate Delight, Lazy Peach Cobbler, Apple Crisp, and Almost Pumpkin Pie - to add to our dinner meal.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26th 3:45-5:00pm (cont. from front)

Many Hands Make Light Work – Tyler Simmers, Catherine Lantz Outside & Leadership Center Basement

Join together to make a difference with outdoor work projects to care for Brethren Woods or indoor projects to put together hygiene kits for Disaster Response.

District and Denomination Updates – Shenandoah District Leadership

Mountain Lodge

Description TBD

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27th 9:45-11:00am

Will the Future Have a Church? – Paul Munday Pine Grove

Much of the church as we've known it is in decline. For baby boomers and older, it is painful to see the church, in which we've invested so much, apparently, fade away. How do we grieve yet still have hope, recognizing the church in new expressions and forms? Scripture: Isaiah 43:14-19 (New English Bible)

Climbing Tower – Alec Surret

Climbing Tower

Challenge yourself to rise to new heights on camp's 3-sided climbing tower. Trained facilitators provided.

Digital Photography and Drones – Tyler Simmers

Mountain Lodge (meeting room) and Field

Description TBD

And It Was Good – Stewardship of Creation – Staunton CoB

Mountain Lodge (main room)

How can we be better stewards of God's gift of creation? "The earth is the Lord's and everything in it, the world and all who live in it" (Psalm 24:1). Join us in discussing how we can be better stewards of God's creation. All are welcome to share how they are working together for this goal.

Navigating Aging Together – Beth Bland, VPAS Executive Director

Leadership Center Basement

An overview of Valley Program for Aging Services programs and services, eligibility requirements, and examples of the many ways that VPAS can help older adults remain living independently in their homes and communities.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27th 1:00-2:15pm

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Lake

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Take a Hike – Tom Holland

Meet at Walnut Creek

Enjoy a nature hike around Brethren Woods to explore and learn with "Nature Tom", the summer camp Nature Director, retired from the US Forest Service. Bring a water bottle and binoculars, if you have them.

Supporting People Living with Dementia and their Family Caregivers –

Kathy Guisewite, VPAS Caregiver Outreach Coordinator

Mountain Lodge (meeting room)

Workshop participants will learn basic and valuable information about interacting positively with people who are living with dementia and how to best support caregivers and families who are on this journey. Becoming a Dementia Friend will be part of this experience.

Motivation and Mindfulness for Falls Prevention –

Mountain Lodge (main room)

Marissa Lutz, VPAS Program Support Manager and Joyce Nussbaum, Program Director

Workshop participants will participate in discussion designed to change and expand the way we think about

preventing falls, and learn some basic Tai Chi for Arthritis and Falls Prevention movements and other balance exercises.

Tech Tips and Tricks – Alec Surrett

Leadership Center Basement

Technology can be a wonderful tool—but it can also be frustrating! This interactive session will help you feel more confident using everyday technology with practical tips for managing your smartphone, tablet, and other devices. Bring your device and let's work through it together in a relaxed, supportive environment!