YWCA Greater Harrisburg Camp Reily Newsletter

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The updates for the 2016 Camp Reily experience include:

- Fun new weekly themes with corresponding activities, guest speakers and field trips
- Fully online, user-friendly registration
- The ability to **choose which week(s)** you'd like to register for
- New Camp Reily logo
- May 19 Camp Reily Open House event



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For more information on Camp Reily or to register your camper online, please visit www.ywcahbg.org/campreily today!



Camp Reily is a **28 acre campground** that was gifted to the YWCA Greater Harrisburg by the Reily family in 1927. It is located off of **Fishing Creek Valley Road**, 15 minutes north of Harrisburg - close enough to be convenient, but far enough to feel like a whole different world. Camp Reily is truly an "out in the sunshine, under the trees" summer camp experience just minutes from the city!



The YWCA has been holding its **annual summer day camp** at Camp Reily for almost 90 years. Camp is always a flurry of excitement, from the time school lets out until the nights start getting cooler and school is ready to start back up. Campers are offered an **authentic camp experience** by a **professional staff** for an **affordable price**, with the average day consisting of camp songs, field sports, swimming, arts and crafts and so much more.

The YWCA has been lucky enough to make some much needed **improvements to our camp facility** over the past few years, due to generous grant funding. Camp Reily now has an enormous sports field, updated restrooms and a paved road to make your trip to camp more comfortable.



Along with these great facility updates, we've made exciting changes to our summer camp program as well! This year, we are rolling out an all new camp format that includes guest speakers and weekly field trips that correspond with new weekly themes! Parents may now also select the individual weeks they would like to register for, without the commitment of signing up for an entire summer. Finally, registering for Camp Reily is now easier than ever before, with the registration process entirely online for the first time.

Our updated summer program focuses on each camper as an **individual**. We have created a curriculum that involves **physical activity, educational components and personal growth.** We will also be taking **weekly field trips** to various Central Pennsylvania locations to expose our campers to all of the amazing experiences right outside of their door.

2016 is a big year for Camp Reily! We hope that you will take the time to come see the facility and consider what we may have to offer you and your camper.

Summer camp is available for ages 6 (completed kindergarten) through 12 years old. Please visit www.ywcahbg.org/campreily to view a list of summer camp FAQs, check out our fun weekly themes and register right online today!



Great Camp Amenities



Fun New Themed Weeks

This year, summer camp will be offered on a weekly basis, with interactive activities, field trips and guest speakers all corresponding with fun new themes every week! Some of this year's themes include:

Welcome to the Wilderness Messy Madness Love Your #Selfie The Amazing Race Wacky Water And more!

Visit www.ywcahbg.org/campreily/calendar to view the full list of weekly themes and register online today!

Camp Reily Open House



Please join us out in the sunshine, under the trees on Thursday, May 19 at 5:30 PM for free camp

food and refreshments, an ice cream bar, activities for the kids, information on summer camp and the musical stylings of <u>Shawan And The Wonton</u>.

Camp Reily t-shirts will be available for purchase at \$15 for one adult t-shirt, \$25 for two adult t-shirts and \$10 for children's t-shirts. If you register your camper at the Open House event, they take home a t-shirt for free!

We hope you're excited and will come learn more about our new and improved summer camp experience for 2016. <u>Click here</u> to RSVP for the Camp Reily Open House today!



Seeking Qualified Camp Counselors



If you enjoy being outdoors and have at least two years' experience working with children, we invite you to apply for a paid Camp Counselor position with The YWCA Greater Harrisburg's Camp Reily Summer camp program.

If you want to play a key role in the delivery of an incredibly positive camp experience, possess a minimum of a high school diploma (or GED) and are looking for a challenging and fun working environment, please <u>click here</u> to view the full camp counselor job description.

If interested, you can apply online at www.ywcahbg.org/employment; stop in our Harrisburg office to complete an employment application; or email your resume and cover letter to campreily@ywcahbg.org.



