



# HEMLOCK HAPPENINGS

*Berwick Camp 2023*

*Pre-Camp Edition*

*Berwick Camp, by the grace of God, seeks to be a haven of spiritual renewal by providing an environment where all can nurture and be nurtured by God's love, among God's people, in God's place together.*

---

Hello fellow campers!

Isn't it a bit surreal that we will soon be walking the familiar paths of Berwick Camp, believing at least in some small way, that we can freeze time and remain at camp beyond our allotted ten days? If only...what a wonderful world that would be. Our time sensitive community is a place of renewed friendships and spiritual revitalization. It is the most perfect of places for family memories and growing up with camp buddies. We look forward to seeing familiar faces next door and miss those who never return. We marvel at the beauty of our space and the energy of our staff. We listen to music and hear messages that seem to flow effortlessly, day after day. We enjoy food that magically appears in the dining hall and deli. We partake in Fun Day, the Auction, Hemlock Review, and Trivia Night. We hop on the taxi as needed and live on "Berwick Time".



The magic of Berwick Camp is real, but it isn't Disney magic. The magic is that so many do so much to keep the love alive for the rest of us. The magic means that some campers may need a helping hand to keep things running smoothly. All the things we love about Berwick Camp are things that can use extra hands and hearts. Volunteering is a great way to meet other campers and grow your love of camp!

We are once again blessed with leaders who will offer full days of challenging thought, inspired teaching, musical talent, and opportunities to rejuvenate our faith. Thank them when you get a chance!

If you are new to Berwick Camp this year – WELCOME! We are so very happy to have you with us and hope you return year after year after year. Don't worry if this place seems a bit weird at first. It may appear that we all know one another, but most of us only "camp know" each other and truthfully know very little about everyone's "other" life, the life that happens beyond the gate. You see, the outside world seems to stop when we arrive at camp. You will come to find that one of the most attractive details about Berwick Camp. Having chosen to attend Berwick Camp is a life-changing decision and I mean that literally. Once you give it a chance, yearly commitment is not far behind. It becomes part of who you are, a place you speak of with love, and a cherished second home. May you always feel welcome,

Cynthia Wood  
Berwick Camp President



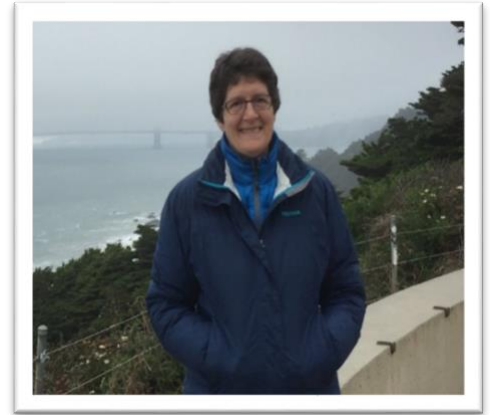
## Program and Worship

---

### ***Nancy Steeves – Minister in Residence***

Nancy's early life was shaped by the land where the confluence of indigenous, anglophone and francophone peoples made their homes along the Restigouche River in northern New Brunswick. She was ordained and served in the Presbyterian Church of Canada, then returned to school to study law at University of Alberta in 1986. She worked as a crown prosecutor and opened her own practice in criminal and civil law. Returning to the ministry, she now provides full time leadership with Southminister-Steinhauer United Church.

Nancy received a Doctor of Ministry degree in Preaching from Chicago Theological School focusing on "Setting a Spacious Table: A Model for Preaching an Expansive Theology." Nancy and her spouse, Dawn, celebrate being part of a progressive, questing spiritual community that is home for a wide diversity of spiritual seekers. They are delighted to be part of the Berwick community in 2023 as we engage the wisdom of the natural world and find our way to live more respectfully and responsibly as cosmic citizens.



### ***Wendy Evans – Leader, Theology for Today***

Rev. Wendy Evans is an ordained UCC minister in Montreal where she serves in an adjunct faculty role at United Theological College and as board chair for Montreal City Mission, a United Church community ministry. Wendy has been actively involved in faith and justice contexts at local, national, and global levels for many years and was a UCC delegate at the UN Climate Change Conference in 2019. She is currently a co-coordinator for the newly formed Montreal GreenFaith circle and a member of the BTS Center's research collaborative for organizational ecological imagination. Wendy is passionate about the 'heart work' of relationship building in response to the climate crisis and her favourite place to feel connected is in the forest, often accompanied by her spouse, children, and puppy named Moxie.

### ***Shawn Redden - Morningside Leader***

Shawn has camped at Berwick since her daughter was a pre-schooler, and now is delighted to bring her two grandchildren to play under the hemlocks. She enjoys accompanying people along their spiritual journey, deepening their relationship with the Sacred, through creative worship, retreat leadership, and faith formation with all ages.

Shawn ministers with Visions United (Moncton), a new ministry initiative located at the 'Community Hub on Joyce' that includes affordable housing, community engagement and outreach. She holds a D.Min. in Spiritual Leadership (Chicago Theological Seminary).

Join Shawn for Morningside each weekday, as we greet the morning with prayer and open our hearts to listen deeply: "A Divine Voice Sings Through All Creation."



**Debra Mooney – Music Leader**



Debra is the choral director and one of the pianists/accompanists at Southminster Steinhauer United Church in Edmonton, Alberta. She has led adult and children's choirs in United Churches for over 35 years.

Debra loves singing, especially creating rich harmonies, and has sung in several classical and jazz groups. Her passion is nurturing singing in community, building connections and expressing spirituality through music.

She has recently retired and is delighted to have this opportunity to spend time in the Maritimes at the Berwick camp.

**Catherine Stuart – VBS Coordinator & Ukulele Church Leader**

An Ordained Minister in The United Church of Canada, Catherine hails from Glace Bay, NS, but currently lives in Riverview, NB, serving as the Regional Minister for Children, Youth and Young Adults for the three Atlantic Regions.

A liturgical dancer, Ukulele player, singer and liturgist, Catherine loves to bring together all of these things in her ministry. She shares this adventure with her husband, The Rev. Scott Stuart and their son, Ethan. She is excited to spend any time that she can under the hemlocks!

Catherine will be joined by *Linnea Good* who will lead the VBS music, Linnea Good is a composer, performer, worship leader, accredited biblical storyteller and Christian educator.



**Linnea Good - Ukulele Church/ VBS Music**

Linnea Good is a composer, performer, worship leader, accredited biblical storyteller and Christian educator. She and drummer-spouse David Jonsson live in Summerland BC, where they strike an un-balance between Linnea's local and online music teaching, and their work in concerts, conferences, missions and worship animating for the wider Church. The most fun of those ministries is the United Church Atlantic regions' "Ukulele Church" - a worshipping community that combines ukulele learning with bible telling and devotion. She and David have been blessed to travel regularly to India where they have shared in music ministry and biblical storytelling instruction with Christian leaders.



**Shannon MacLean – Youth Group Coordinator**

One of Shannon's favourite places on earth is Berwick Camp and she has always loved doing youth ministry! She is really excited to build a program around the theme Engaging Our Elemental Wisdom Guides: Water, Earth, Fire and Air. Shannon will be joined by Silas Dunham, who will bring his along his guitar and share his musical talent with the youth.

Shannon is the congregational minister at St. Andrew's United in Truro. She shares a home and life with her partner Kevin, Julia, Anne and their three wonder dogs. She loves it when the other four young adults, come home to complete the family!



## There is Music in the Air

---



### **Berwick Camp Choir**

Please consider joining the Berwick Camp Choir this year! This will be an opportunity to learn some new anthems, hymns, and enjoy time singing together.

The choir will start with a meet and greet on Sunday, July 30 at 4 pm at the Open Pavilion, and then will meet daily (same time and place). The singers will lead the hymns during the worship services and, if possible, will provide special music each day.

If you are interested in singing or have questions about the choir, please contact Deb Mooney, at [deb.mooney58@gmail.com](mailto:deb.mooney58@gmail.com) by July 14<sup>th</sup> and let her know which part you would normally sing (SATB). This will help her choose the best arrangements for the group and ensure that there are enough copies for everyone.



### **Berwick Music: Instrumentalists**

It would be wonderful to have instruments playing along with the hymns during the Worship Services each day. If you would like to play, please contact Deb Mooney at [deb.mooney58@gmail.com](mailto:deb.mooney58@gmail.com). If there is interest, we could also organize an informal jam session!



### **Ceilidh Party**

We are excited to invite you to the Berwick Camp Irish Ceilidh. There will be dancing and toe tapping for all ages, led by Patrick Loughnane. Patrick, who lives in New Minas, is a wonderful Irish set dancer who will help us learn some of the simpler Irish dances. The Ceilidh will be held on Saturday August 5<sup>th</sup> in the Youth Pavilion from 8:30-10:30 pm.

### **In need of a Pianist**

A **pianist is needed** to accompany the choir during their singing of anthems during the Worship Service so that our Music Director, Deb Mooney, can direct the choir. Please contact Julia Cottingham at [julia@cottingham.ca](mailto:julia@cottingham.ca) if you can help.

A **pianist is also needed** to accompany the UCW event/worship on Wednesday at 2pm in the afternoon. Please contact [julia@cottingham.ca](mailto:julia@cottingham.ca) or [macdebbie.hawkins@gmail.com](mailto:macdebbie.hawkins@gmail.com) if you can help.

## What else is Happening under the Hemlocks?

---

### **Annual Camp Meeting**

The Annual Meeting of The United Church of Canada Camp Meeting Association (Berwick Camp) will be held on Thursday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> at 2 p.m. in the Covered Pavilion. Copies of the Annual Report will be distributed electronically. There will be a limited number of paper copies available. All are welcome to attend.

### **Just say No to Pot! (Potted plants that is!)**

We have been advised by our biologist consultant for the hemlocks, to not bring hanging baskets or potted plants onto the grounds. Apparently, there is a growing red ant problem. Their bite stings and they are virtually impossible to get rid of on a property our size. We will have to enjoy the beauty already there! Thank you!

## Berwick Camp Promo Video

Many people, even those who are active members of a United Church in the Maritimes, don't know about Berwick and all it has to offer. As we all know, Berwick is difficult to explain but we would like to get the word out to those who would embrace this sacred place that offers both spiritual growth and fun. Ideally, it would be good to attract more day campers and those who would be comfortable staying in tents, trailers, or dorms. We created a video this year with lots of pictures as well as voiceovers showing and explaining what Berwick is all about. It was sent out to United Churches and was well received. Here is the link to show to friends and family who you might consider inviting to join us this year...

<https://youtu.be/bBXIZoO0Flw>

We are hoping to go a step further this summer and create a short video that shows what a day at Berwick looks like for all ages from the early morning until night. We are going to try to gather some impromptu footage of various programs and activities, collect a few testimonials, hopefully capture the spirit of Berwick Camp, and then have it edited all together.

So just a heads up that you might see us with a tripod and camera. Don't be shy. Any creative suggestions are welcome.

Nancy Creighton and Sue Cuthbertson

## Book Club

Book Club will be happening as usual on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. We are so happy that Frances MacKnight will be leading it again this summer. Thank you, Fran!

She has carefully chosen books that fit in with our theme and discussions about environmental issues and how to live respectfully and responsibly in creation. Here is the information from Fran about the book selections...



I have selected "Ducks" by Kate Beaton as a reading choice for this year's theme for Berwick Book Club. The second choice for this year's book club is BRAIDING SWEETGRASS by Robin Wall Kimmerer (Indigenous Wisdom, Scientific Knowledge, and the Teachings of Plants). "Everyone who cares about the environment-and everyone else, period-should have Braiding Grass on their table. It captures the true reverence between Native Americans and the earth, the relationship that we need to survive." This is an amazingly wonderful read to foster respect, caring and concern for our world, full of wisdom, wit, and passion. Whether one reads one chapter or the whole book it is a worthy effort and poses much food for thought and discussion. A third I am going to suggest, also, is "The Sleeping Car Porter" by Suzette Mayr.



## I♥Cribbage

We are happy to announce that there will be CRIBBAGE happening again this summer at camp! Interested? We will gather Monday to Friday in the dining hall around 1:30 pm. If weather permits, we will play out front of the hall on the picnic tables. EVERYONE WELCOME!

... Brian Affleck, Cabin 91 & Tracy Wygiera, Fireside Dorm Room B

### Yoga

Come join Jenny for a gentle yet energizing flow that returns us to the sacred rhythms of our breath and body. Monday/Wednesday/Friday at 2 pm in the Open Pavilion. All levels of ability welcome.



**The Event Schedule/Calendar** for the 10 days of Berwick is constantly being updated. You can view it on the Berwick Website <https://www.berwickcamp.org/> under the Programming tab or you can download it using the QR code posted in various spots around Camp. The daily Hemlock Happenings will make every effort to be as current as possible.

### Fun Day Help Needed

The Public Worship and Programming Committee is searching for an individual or team of two to coordinate the **Fun Day on the last Saturday morning of camp, 9:30 to 11:30am**, weather permitting. You do not have to come up with ideas for the activities as Bethany Gjesdal and Susan Cuthbertson have done the brainstorming for you, although your ideas are very welcome also. The Fun Day is located in the field near the upper parking lot and the Nursery and VBS aged children move from activity to activity. Teens are asked to volunteer to assist children at the stations. We hope that water play can be part of the Fun Day Event this year. There are usually popsicles or freezies distributed at the end. If you would like to coordinate this event, please contact Susan Cuthbertson at [ccuthbertson@hotmail.com](mailto:ccuthbertson@hotmail.com).

## TRIVIA

Berwick Camp's annual Trivia Night will take place Wednesday evening at 9 pm in the closed pavilion. Join in and challenge your knowledge of all things trivial and work with your teammates to show what you know. Teams of up to 5 people will compete in this friendly competition. Make your own team or come alone and be added to one of the awesome teams that will be made on the spot. All are welcome! Come and share some laughs while competing for the coveted prize of free ice cream cones from the canteen and bragging rights in the Hemlock Happenings!

### Board Games Night

In response to requests for some sort of program/social activity for young adults in their 20s and 30s, there will be a Board Games Night held on Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup> starting after the worship service at approximately 8:15 pm. It is a drop-in and will be held in the upper room of the old seniors' apartment building, Although it is technically being run as a chance for young adults to connect and share some laughs, board game enthusiasts of any age are welcome to drop by. There will be games of strategy like Settlers of Catan and Carcassonne, as well as party games like Apples to Apples, Telestrations, Exploding Kittens, Taco Cat Goat Cheese Pizza, Ticket to Ride, Clue, Mysterium, Scattergories and Codenames. If you have a favourite game, feel free to bring it along and join the fun!

## Horseshoes and Washer Toss

We are excited to announce that Peter Vaughan is not only organizing tournaments for horseshoes but is also hosting washer toss tournaments this year!

### Washer Toss Schedule

Adult - Tuesday morning at 9 am

Youth (ages 13 to 18) - Tuesday at 1:30 pm

Kids (12 and younger) - Wednesday at 1:30 pm



### Horseshoes Schedule

Adult - Wednesday at 9 am

Youth (ages 13-18) - Thursday at 1:30 pm

Kids (12 and younger) - Friday at 1:30 pm

## Pop-up Activities

Is there an activity that you would like to see offered at Berwick Camp this summer? If so, it isn't too late for you to organize it and add it to our schedule. Please contact Sue Cuthbertson at [cccuthbertson@hotmail.com](mailto:cccuthbertson@hotmail.com) with your ideas.

## Knitting Ladies

I am finally getting back to Berwick this year and would love to invite the knitting ladies back to the doorstep of Cottage 41 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm if someone else hadn't already taken over the group. Susan Robinson

## Cookie Cottage



Berwick is fast approaching. This year I will be looking for help with the cookie cabin in hosting as well as providing cookies. This worked so well last year. There were such energetic volunteers of all ages that added so much joy to the cabin and cookies arrived galore. Chignecto Presbytery will be providing some cookies but with aging and declining numbers, it is hard to fulfill the full request. If you can bake another dozen or 2 to add to the pot, that would be greatly appreciated by everyone.

I will have a sign up sheet at the cabin for you to fill in the spot that suits you the best. There will be a host staying in the cabin that will be helping with this task but will not be arriving until Monday so will need some extra help on the weekend.

If anyone has any questions, please feel free to email me. I will have the sign up sheet at the cookie cabin so that once people get to camp and figure out their schedule, they can fill where it suits them.

Let's look forward to another wonderful week under the hemlocks where hospitality, friendship and good conversation happens always.

Thanks for your help. Sincerely Joan Fraser. Email [joanfraser9@gmail.com](mailto:joanfraser9@gmail.com)

**UCW Afternoon Wednesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023**

At 2 p.m. on this day, we plan to hold a very special afternoon at Berwick Camp. The afternoon will be hosted by your Co-Presidents and, along with the enlisted help of other UCW members who are available, we will bring you news of the Maritime UCW, share in a Worship/Devotion time which will include the dedication of a Bench in memory of Ruth Rudderham. Refreshments and social time will follow at the *Cookie Cottage*. Plan now to attend for this fun and meaningful afternoon “under the hemlocks”.

(From Deborah Hawkins)



**Auction**

**Donations:** The Auction and the Auction Shop runs on your donations, so start thinking about what items you might want to share! We take handmade treasures, baked goods, and even new and gently used items that need a new home. Plus, if you know of any businesses that might want to donate, please ask them (you can email us at [ali.ml.hebert@gmail.com](mailto:ali.ml.hebert@gmail.com) to get the Berwick Camp charity number for them). We are blown away every year by the talent and generosity of this community, so we can’t wait to see what pops up in the shop this year!

**Volunteers:** While we absolutely love running the Shop and the Auctions, we also love taking part in Berwick Camp activities. Last year we got a little too absorbed and barely left the shop, so this year we’re asking for some help. We would greatly appreciate volunteers to run afternoon shifts in the Shop. Specifically, from 1:30-5 on the first Friday, the first Saturday, Wednesday, Thursday, the second Friday, and the second Saturday. You would shadow us for an hour or two in the morning and then do the afternoon shift. We’re hoping to have at least two volunteers for each of these afternoons. Please email us at [ali.ml.hebert@gmail.com](mailto:ali.ml.hebert@gmail.com) if you are able to take a shift!

**AUCTION**

**Auction Shop Hours**

*\*\*Volunteers needed to cover these times.*

	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
	Christmas at Camp Auction Shop from 2:00-7:00	9:00-12:00 1:30-5:00	Silent Auction 2:00-3:00 Live Auction 3:00-4:00	9:00-12:00 1:30-5:00**	9:00-12:00 1:30-5:00**	9:00-12:00 1:30-5:00**	9:00-12:00 1:30-5:00** Night Market 6:00-9:00
	<i>Sunday</i> 9:00-12:00						





## Let's Talk...Meals and Accommodations

Join Paul Dillman and Susan MacAlpine-Gillis for an open conversation on Wednesday at 2:30 in the Fireside Room about the meals, menu and food options at camp. Do you use them, what's working, what suggestions do you have?

Join us again on Friday at 2:30 in the Fireside Room to talk about accommodations. How can we make room for more people to come and enjoy camp? How do you feel about the way accommodations are allocated? These conversations are not for making decisions. They are an opportunity to gather insights, ideas and perspectives on two important aspects of our camp. Please join us and "Let's talk."



Would those interested in volunteering for Fire Warden, please contact Brian at [high\\_wing\\_ca@yahoo.ca](mailto:high_wing_ca@yahoo.ca) Duties include being eyes and ears on safety and seek out a solution or find someone who can help.

Brief training session first Saturday of Camp - time to be determined / suspect 1PM in Seniors Building - check with Brian King at Camp.



### Berwick Taxi

Berwick taxi coordinator is needed. Responsibility would involve being the first point of contact with drivers. Please let Brian King [high\\_wing\\_ca@yahoo.ca](mailto:high_wing_ca@yahoo.ca) know prior to camp if this interests you.

As of right now we are not sure if the Red cart will operational, so we are limited to the smaller 4 seaters.

Please check in with Brian King at Camp if you wish to drive or would like to assist with being the coordinator.

### A few reminders regarding Parking

For the safety of everyone please remember the following:

- In the Cabin areas: Vehicles should only be parked beside cabins when loading and unloading and then move your vehicle right away. Getting groceries or doing laundry? Consider using the Berwick Camp taxi, instead of bringing your vehicle onto the grounds.
- In Campground area: As outlined in the camp registration, only tent sites (soft sided accommodations) are permitted to have a vehicle parked on the camp site. If you are not staying in a tent, then the same guidelines apply as with the cabins. Unpack/pack then move your vehicle right away! Those in violation will be asked to move their vehicles and repeat offenders may see their vehicle being towed away!



Everyone's assistance with this would be greatly appreciated!

## **A Welcome for New Campers**

New to Berwick or returning after a hiatus? Join us on Sunday, July 30, at 2:15 (or after the Fire Drill) in front of the Open Pavillon for a chance to meet each other and learn a little more about Berwick Camp and its history.

This “getting to know each other” time will culminate with the Welcome Tour of the Camp at 2:45, as we walk together to the Ice Cream Social. If walking the grounds is a challenge, please let us know if you would like to take the tour on one of our shuttles.

Returning campers are invited to join us for the chance to meet and welcome our new campers. If you have any questions, you can find me at Cabin 39. Elizabeth Brown-Shaw, Welcome Coordinator

## **Paint Night**

Come as you are or bring a friend and join Trina for a relaxing, full of giggles and fun evening at this year's paint night. Together we will be painting with more than just brushes to create “Flower Everywhere” Come join the fun Tuesday after the service in the Seniors Centre (behind Covered Pavillion).



## **Prepaid Dining Hall Meals and Passes**

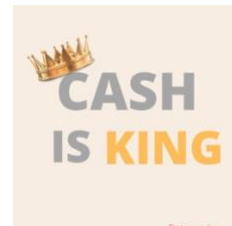
If you have paid in advance with registration for dining hall meals or if you are eligible for meals as part of your role at camp, please come to the Ticket Sales Office 4:30 on Friday. ~ *Ticket Sales Team*

## **Welcome Package and Hemlock Happenings**

This year, there will be a Welcome Package available at the Registrars' office on the first Friday of camp. It will include a lot of the same information as in this pre-camp edition and other information that is needed throughout the camp. We will avoid reprinting this type of information each day and ask that you hold onto the package and take only one copy for your room/site/cottage. For contributions to the welcome package or the first (Saturday) edition of Hemlock Happenings, please send your contribution to [hemlockhappenings@gmail.com](mailto:hemlockhappenings@gmail.com).

## **Money, money, money!**

We know that the real world has changed a lot over the last few years. Berwick Camp has changed, too, but NOT in every way. While you may not use many coins and bills in your normal life anymore, this is still the standard for regular camp purchases. Please remember to visit an ATM prior to camp so you can visit the canteen, dining hall, Duchess Debbi's and more. For camp donations, the Treasurer will be happy to take most any form of payment and will provide tax receipts. 😊



# CRAFTS WITH TRINA

---

## **Important Information**

Crafts will be held behind the VBS building in the playground.

All items are provided for each craft.

Adult or Older Youth helpers are greatly appreciated, especially for Tye-Dye Thursday. Please come talk to me at campsite 3 if you are available to help for any day.

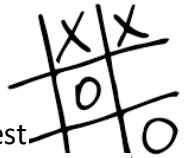
## **New This Year - Family Craft Time - Bonus Family Craft Hydro Dip Vases**

Saturday July 29, 2023 @ 10:00am

Come as a family and experience the fun of hydro dipping with a small triangle vase for you to take home. I will be there to supervise but this craft is designed to be learned and done together. Several dip stations will be set up to use, so waiting should be minimal.

Monday @1:30

**Tic Tac Toe Game Box** - Come paint game pieces and decorate a box for a fun game to play for the rest of camp and when you return home. This can be a messy craft. Little hands may need help with the picking up of items.



Tuesday @1:30

**Search & Find Balls** - Fill your ball with the items provided. This can be for a fun game to share with family and friends. Little hands may need help with the picking up of items and closing of balls.

Wednesday @1:30

**Wind Chimes** - Take your time to string beads, which are tied onto a plastic shape of your choosing. Take back to your campsite or cabin and hang for all to see. Little hands may need help with the picking up of items, stringing of beads and tying of knots.

Thursday @1:30

**Tye-Dye Towel** - Come make a lovely mini towel to take home. Can be a fussy craft. Little hands (and some big ones) may need help with putting elastics on a towel. Patience is needed while waiting in line.



Friday @1:30

**Plug Covers** - Decorate your very own plug cover with paint, stickers and more. A craft to take home to remember camp all year long. Can be a messy craft. Little hands may need help with the picking up of items.



## WHAT'S YOUR SIGN?

The youth program (entering grade 7 and older) this year is going to be AWESOME! So, come and explore our theme: WHAT'S YOUR SIGN? Water, Earth, Fire or Air? Each day we will explore one of the elements through story, activities and projects!

We will meet 10 AM-12 PM Monday-Friday. Come wearing our COLOUR of the day to get a prize!

- **Monday – Blue for WATER**
- **Tuesday-Green for EARTH**
- **Wednesday – Orange for FIRE**
- **Thursday – Grey/Silver for AIR**
- **Friday – Purple**

Each day will start with our big group-theme time and then youth can pick which project they want to go to for the week based on their interests (and space in each group). There will be sign-up sheets in the youth center or email this year's leader Shannon MacLean – [revshannonmaclean@gmail.com](mailto:revshannonmaclean@gmail.com) - to reserve your spot. You can pick from:

- **Music Creation:** Bring your instrument or voice and help create music that goes along with our theme!  
*Leader: Alyssa Rufo Location: Open Pavilion Stage*
- **Science with Dr Cool:** Come and learn about our theme through science! – *Leader: Maggie Austen Location: Senior's Centre (Across from Cabin 57)*
- **Collaborative Art:** Together we will create a tile mosaic to hang in our Youth Building on our theme.  
*Leader: Shannon MacLean Location: Youth Building*
- **Woodworking:** Come and create through woodworking. – *Leader: Silas Donham Location: Meet outside Youth Center*
- **Recreation Time:** Come and burn off some energy with recreation activities that go along with our theme! *Leaders: Christian Rufo, Ethan Mason & Jack Bowen-MacLean Location: Gazebo by parking lot*

Contact Shannon at Cabin 57 or by emailing [revshannonmaclean@gmail.com](mailto:revshannonmaclean@gmail.com) if you have any questions!

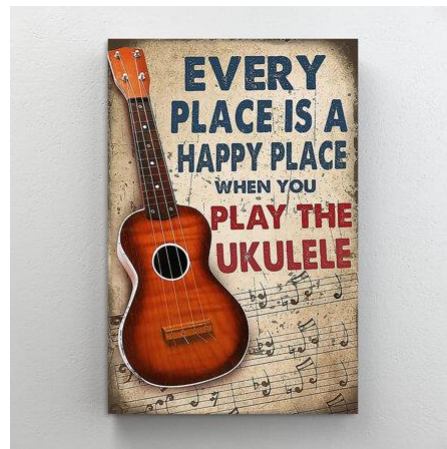
## Calling all VBS children!



This year, VBS at Berwick is called “Creation Celebration”, using themes like **Care, Share, Grow, Love and Celebrate!** From 9:30-11:30 each morning (Monday-Friday), children from Pre-Primary-grade 6 (entering your grade in the fall) will explore through music, stories, crafts, games, and more. Our guest musicians will be Linnea Good and David Jonsson! Don’t forget to join us for our closing on Friday late-morning in the Closed Pavilion. Early Registration is online here <https://form.jotform.com/231933322657255> but if you miss it, you’ll still be able to sign up at the Ice Cream social on Sunday afternoon.

## All ages – Ukulele activity

Join us at Ukulele Church! Whether you’ve been playing forever, or aren’t even sure what a ukulele is! It will be an hour and 15 mins of learning ukulele, exploring a Bible story using music and art, and an opportunity to put it all together in short and fun worship. This engaging event, led by Linnea Good and Catherine Stuart, is for all ages and stages, and will happen at the Fireside building each afternoon (Monday-Friday) from 1:30-2:45pm, with a closing on Friday afternoon. If you’re interested in more information, or would like to borrow a ukulele, please email [Catherine](mailto:Catherine). We’d love to know how many folks will be joining us. Please register here <https://www.berwickcamp.org/general-1-1>



# Duchess Debbie's Deli

Open daily 12:00 to 1:00p.m. from July 29<sup>th</sup> to Aug 4<sup>th</sup>. Not open during the last weekend.

## Sandwiches

Ham and Cheese.....\$4.00  
Tomato and Cheese.....\$3.00  
Turkey Salad.....\$5.00  
Egg Salad.....\$4.00  
PB & J.....\$2.00

## BBQ

Hot Dog.....\$2.00  
Smokies.....\$4.00  
Hamburger.....\$4.00  
Cheeseburger.....\$5.00

*Bread – White or Whole Wheat*

*Fix-ins – Mustard, Mayonnaise, Lettuce, Tomato*

*Add Cheese \$1.00*

## Other

Soup of the day with biscuit.....\$4.00  
Biscuit.....\$0.50  
Garden Salad.....\$5.00

## Drinks

Fruitopia, Five Alive, Water, Lemonade,  
Iced Tea.....\$1.00  
White Milk, Chocolate Milk.....\$1.50

## Dining Hall News

### Change in Time for Noon Meal and Meal Pick-up

#### Procedure

Change to dining hall only for the Dinner time meal (noon) 12:15 for the eating in people and new service of take out will start at 12:30. There will be signs but you will enter by the canteen area go through the hallway to the side/freezer door of the kitchen pick up you meal and exit by the parking area beside the kitchen building.

#### Help Needed

There will be a sign-up sheet inside the white door (bathroom side) of the building and any and all HELP is needed. Even if you only have an hour or so to spend at only one point in the day it will make a huge difference in having the kitchen run smoothly. We have a PAID dishwasher position that has not been filled yet.....please contact June Wood at: [woodjm99@gmail.com](mailto:woodjm99@gmail.com)



## Canteen

Open Daily

7:00 am – 9:00 am

3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

8:00 pm – 9:00 pm (after  
the evening service).

Feel like scooping some  
ice cream or counting  
penny candy? See Lana  
at cabin 52 to sign up for  
a shift.

## Dining Hall Servers

Attention all youth! In order for the dining hall to operate, we rely on volunteers to make this happen. If you are 12 years or older, we'd love to have you join us as a server in the dining hall. This is an excellent way to give back to our beloved Berwick Camp! There will be a quick meeting Friday evening at 6:30p.m. to explain your responsibilities.

If you are interested, please complete the Google Form in the link: <https://tinyurl.com/berwickservers>

Thank you! Shawn Lynds (C#5) and Mel Miller (C#70)



# DINING

<b>Breakfast 8am</b>	Lunch 12:15pm	Supper 5pm	Full camp passes	Daily passes
Adult \$8	Adult \$16.50	Adult \$12.50	Adult \$280	Adult \$33
Child \$4.50	Child \$8.50	Child \$6.50	Child \$140	Child \$16.50

Menu subject to change. Tea and coffee served with every meal.

Buy tickets with cash or cheque at the ticket booth across from the meal hall up to 15 minutes prior to each meal.

Friday, July 28	<b>Supper:</b> sweet & sour meatballs; biscuits; fruit cup
Saturday, July 29	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; scrambled eggs; bacon; toast <b>Lunch:</b> bbq chicken leg; roast veggie; salad; hash brown; blueberries with milk <b>Supper:</b> hodge podge; rolls; rhubarb/strawberry cobbler
Sunday, July 30	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; egg benedict with ham & hollandaise sauce; toast <b>Lunch:</b> roast turkey; mashed potatoe; carrots & turnip; cranberry sauce; gravy; peaches & cookies <b>Supper:</b> cold plate; tea biscuits; ice cream with berry topping
Monday, July 31	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; scrambled eggs; sausage; toast <b>Lunch:</b> spaghetti with & without meat sauce; caesar salad; garlic bread; pineapple upside down cake <b>Supper:</b> chicken stir fry; rice; egg rolls (veg/meat); brownie pudding cake
Tuesday, August 1	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; baked eggs; toast <b>Lunch:</b> baked haddock; roasted potatoes; mixed fresh beans; mixed berry crumble <b>Supper:</b> quiche; dinner rolls; mixed salad; coleslaw; blueberry cake
Wednesday, August 2	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; poached eggs; ham; toast <b>Lunch:</b> roast beef; mashed potatoes with gravy; veggies; cake & ice cream <b>Supper:</b> seafood chowder; rolls; salad; strawberry shortcake
Thursday, August 3	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; scrambled eggs; sausage; toast <b>Lunch:</b> lasagna; caesar salad; garlic bread; gingerbread <b>Supper:</b> shepard's pie; vegetarian w/bulgur; bread pudding with brown sugar
Friday, August 4	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; french toast; bacon; toast <b>Lunch:</b> corned beef & cabbage; boiled potatoes; carrots & turnip; carrot cake <b>Supper:</b> chili with nachos; cole slaw; maple pudding; cake
Saturday, August 5	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; blueberry pancakes; sausage; toast <b>Lunch:</b> chicken stew; dumplings; salad; rolls; cherry cheesecake <b>Supper:</b> fish cakes; tartar sauce; broccoli salad; assorted desserts
Sunday, August 6	<b>Breakfast:</b> juice/fruit; hot/cold cereal; poached eggs; corned beef hash; toast <b>Lunch:</b> Chef's Choice; assorted desserts

