

Camp Findley is available year round as a Retreat and Conference Center.

OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, June 1st
2-5 p.m.

Tours, music and
activities provided

- Annual Family Bible Camp
- Adult & Youth Retreats
- Confirmation Retreats
- Spiritual Formation
- Personal Retreats
- Alpha Groups
- Summer Camps
- Family Reunions
- Church Picnics
- Winter Weekends
- Family Get-Aways
- Outdoor Education
- Christian Music Events
- Work Camp Opportunities
- Challenge Course / Initiative Programs
- Team Building / Life Skills Workshops



CAMP FINDLEY
Christian Camp
& Retreat Center

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*A place for spiritual renewal and physical
 refreshment surrounded by the wonders*

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Summer Camps
2008

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Summer Camp Theme: Handle With Care



Our curriculum this year deals with the story of creation and our relationship with God, one another and God's creation. Campers will explore how we keep and break promises, barriers to trusting God, identify the gifts God has given them and explore ways to proclaim in word and in action the new life revealed to us in Jesus Christ.

Each week there is a page with the **Basic Camp** and **Specialty Options** listed. If you choose an option, that option will be your focus for part of each day. You will still do most of the Basic Camp Activities such as swimming, campfires, snacking in the snack bar and playing games. Each camp will attend chapel and have Bible study daily based on the theme **Handle with Care**. If you choose an option, it is for the entire week. You cannot change options during the week.

WEEK 1 June 29— July 4	201: 1-3 Grade Event (6/29—7/2)	202: 5-8 Grade Fishing Camp (6/29—7/2)	203: 7-12 Tent Camp	204: 1-4 Grade Day Camp (6/30—7/4)
WEEK 2 July 6— July 11	205: 4-8 Grade Event	206: 6-8 Grade Horse Camp		
WEEK 3 July 13— July 18	207: 4-8 Grade Event	208: 6-8 Grade Horse Camp		
WEEK 4 July 20— July 26	Family Bible Camp			
WEEK 5 July 27— August 1	209: 6-8 Grade Event	210: 9-12 Grade Event	211: 8-12 Grade Horse Camp	
WEEK 6 August 3— August 8	212: 1-3 Grade Event (8/3—8/6)	213: 4-6 Grade Event	214: 8-12 Horse Camp Part II	
WEEK 7 August 10— August 15	215: 4-8 Grade Event	216: 1-4 Grade Day Camp (8/11—8/15)		

What to bring to Camp:

- Clothing appropriate for a Christian camp setting—enough changes for the length of your camp.
- Comfortable shoes (2 pair—sneakers recommended.)
- Warm clothes for evening activities
- Modest swim suit (one piece please), beach towels
- Personal care items (soap, toothpaste, brush, comb, etc.)
- Bath towel and washcloth
- Sleeping bag or blanket and linens, pillow
- Laundry bag
- Any medication that will or may be needed—prescription or over-the-counter (Upon registration, all medication must be turned in to the camp health director in its original container with the camper's name and dosage instructions on it.)
- Bible
- Book for "quiet time" reading
- Notebook and pens / pencils
- Stationery / postcards / stamps for letter writing
- Cash for Snack Bar & Gift Shop (all cash will be deposited with Snack Bar Manager during Registration Process)
- Camera
- Flashlight
- Insect repellent
- Sun block / hat

You will be informed of any necessities for Specialty Camps and Options before camp begins.

What NOT to bring to Camp:

- MP3 Players, CD Players, Cell Phones, Lap Tops, and other electronic devices
- Candy or food items not turned in to nurse or kitchen staff
- Cigarettes or tobacco products
- Firearms, ammunition or fireworks

Sending mail to campers:

Camper Name
Camp or Event #
Camp Findley
2334 Sunnyside Rd.
Clymer, NY 14724

Mail is passed out once daily.
Please be sure to mail early enough in the week so your letter will arrive at camp on time!

Sending email to campers:

campermail@fairpoint.net
Include Camper Name &
Camp or Event # in the
subject line.

Email is passed out once daily.
Messages with attachments, pictures or graphic files will not be printed. Forwarded messages will not be printed. Messages may be filtered for content.

Campers are not able to make phone calls or send emails while at camp. If you need to get an emergency message to a camper, please call the camp office at 716-769-7146, If you have questions or concerns about your child's camp experience you may call the camp office anytime.

Week 7

Aug 10 - Aug 15

8/10—8/15 4th—8th Grade Camp Happening:
Basic Camp (CF215) \$325

Culinary Option (CF215A) + \$25 / Pioneer Option (CF215B) + \$25

8/11—8/15 1st—4th Grade Day Camp I (CF216A) \$50 / (CF216B) \$75

4th—8th Grade Camp Happening

Basic Camp (CF215) Spend a whole week at Camp Findley seeing old friends and making new ones! Spend your days playing games, making crafts, swimming in the lake, hiking to the tree house, enjoying treats in the snack bar and having campfires. You will get to learn new camp songs, sing old favorites and gain a new understanding and appreciation of God's creation and our need to "Handle with Care."

Culinary Option for 6th—8th Grades (CF215A) Do you like to cook? Do you like to eat good food? Do you want to learn how to make great food for yourself and your family and friends? Come and learn how to prepare some of your favorite foods while you're also learning how to be safe and have fun in the kitchen. You get to make and eat your own dinner each day!

Pioneer Option (CF215B) Do you like spending time outdoors? Do you sometimes wish you had been born back in pioneer times? Come to Pioneer Camp to learn some outdoor living skills, hike in the woods, cook over an open fire and learn from some artisans with skills from that time period.

1st—4th Grade Day Camp (CF216) Come to camp after breakfast for days filled with games, swimming, hiking, crafts and singing. Have a great time making new friends and playing in God's creation. Cost: \$50 (bring a lunch from home) or \$75 (lunch provided by camp staff).



Registration Procedures

- A. Please use a separate Registration Form for each camper. Feel free to reproduce these forms as necessary.
- B. Fill out Registration Form completely.
 1. Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Many camps fill up quickly; please list a second choice. Registrations must include a \$50 deposit.
 2. Grades listed for each camp refer to the grade campers are in as of September 1, 2008. Please ONLY request camps for the camper's age group.
 3. Have parent/guardian sign the registration form. Indicate Local Church and WNY Conference District if you have one. (Ask your Pastor about local church Camp Scholarship information. For CCRM Campership information go to the Conference Camping website: www.wnyumc.org.)
 4. If you have registration questions, please call Kelly at the Camp Registrar's office: 716-564-2316. For questions pertaining to camp policies, staff or program issues, contact the camp office: 716-769-7146.
- C. Send complete form and deposit to:
CAMP REGISTRAR, 131 John Muir Dr., Buffalo, NY 14228-1147
Make Checks payable to: WNY CONFERENCE
- D. Payment
 1. Payment in full at time of registration makes everyone's bookkeeping easier and reduces possibility of confusion.
 2. If paying with a Credit Card (Visa or Mastercard only) the full amount of the camp cost must be paid at the time of registration.
 3. Payment of any balance due is to be sent to the Registrar's Office at least 2 weeks before the beginning of camp.
 4. There will be a \$25 charge for all checks returned due to Insufficient Funds.
 5. There will be a \$10 late charge for balance due not paid in full within 7 days of the end of the camp session.
- E. Cancellations and Refunds:
 1. Cancelled by us—full refund. If the camp you register for is full or cancelled, every effort will be made to place you in another camp. If this cannot be done, you will receive a full refund.
 2. Cancelled by you—If the Registrar is contacted at least two weeks prior to the beginning of the camp you will receive a refund of all by \$50. If the Registrar is contacted less than two weeks prior to the beginning of camp there will be NO refund. Exceptions to this policy (less \$50) will be made only for certified illness or death in the immediate family. Cancellations and refund requests must be made in writing.
 3. All refunds will be processed as soon as possible after the Camp Registrar is notified of a cancellation.

Week 1

June 29 - July 4



- 6/29—7/2 1st—3rd Grade Camp Happening:
Basic Camp (CF201) \$125 / Nature Option (CF201A) + \$25
- 6/29—7/2 5th—8th Grade Fishing Camp (CF202) \$200
- 6/29—7/4 7th—12th (Graduating Srs. Inc.) Grade Tent Camp (CF203) \$325
- 6/30—7/4 1st—4th Grade Day Camp I (CF204A) \$50 / (CF204B) \$75

1st—3rd Grade Camp Happening

Basic Camp (CF201) Enjoy camp for 4 days and 3 nights. Meet new friends, have fun playing games, making crafts, sliding on the Slip 'n Slide, swimming in the lake, hiking in the woods, enjoying treats in the snack bar and having a camp fire. You will get to learn some new camp songs and sing your favorites and gain a new understanding and appreciation of God's creation and our need to "Handle with Care."

Nature Option (CF201A) Explore the woods and learn about different plants and animals that live there by hiking the nature trail, playing in the creek and checking out the garden. Learn how to love and care for God's amazing creation.

5th—8th Grade Fishing Camp (CF202) Are you hooked on fishing? Are you new to the adventure? Either way, there's a place for you at this camp. You can fish from the docks or from a boat. You'll learn to cast, retrieve, net and release your fish. You'll gain first-hand experience in tying knots, choosing lures and discovering where the fish are biting. Sunrise to sunset—fishing is the focus!

7th—12th Grade Tent Camp (CF203) Experience outdoor living and learning as you explore God's ever-changing creation. Spend time in the woods, at the lake and around the campfire. Learn outdoor cooking skills as you prepare some of your own meals each day. We'll worship at the Chapel in the Woods, hike the trails and try our hand at GPS tracking. Just bring your sleeping bag and a comfortable camp chair; we'll provide the tents and equipment.

1st—4th Grade Day Camp (CF204) Come to camp after breakfast for days filled with games, swimming, hiking, crafts and singing. Have a great time making new friends and playing in God's creation. Cost: \$50 (bring a lunch from home) or \$75 (lunch provided by camp staff).

Week 6

Aug 3 - Aug 8

- 8/3—8/6 1st—3rd Grade Camp Happening:
Basic Camp (CF212) \$125
- 8/3—8/8 4th—6th Grade Camp Happening:
Basic Camp (CF213) \$325 / Aquatic Option (CF213A) + \$25
Creative Arts Option (CF213B) + \$25 / Nature Option (CF213C) + \$25
- 8/3—8/8 8th—12th Grade Horse Camp II (CF214) \$440

1st—3rd Grade Camp Happening

Basic Camp (CF212) Enjoy camp for 4 days and 3 nights. Meet new friends, have fun playing games, making crafts, sliding on the Slip 'n Slide, swimming in the lake, hiking in the woods, enjoying treats in the snack bar and having a camp fire. You will get to learn some new camp songs and sing your favorites and gain a new understanding and appreciation of God's creation and our need to "Handle with Care."

4th—6th Grade Camp Happening

Basic Camp (CF213) Spend a whole week at Camp Findley seeing old friends and making new ones! Play games, make crafts, swim in the lake, hike to the tree house, enjoy treats in the snack bar and have campfires. You will learn new camp songs, sing old favorites and gain a new understanding and appreciation of God's creation and our need to "Handle with Care."

Aquatic Option (CF213A) This option is all about the waterfront: hanging out on the beach, swimming, learning how to canoe, kayak and paddle-boat. You will also have time to go tubing or skiing (or learn how to if you don't already know). Try a morning polar bear swim to the island and back! There may be some time to work on improving swimming skills, but it is preferred that you already know how to swim if you take this option.

Creative Arts Option (CF213B) Do you like to scrapbook or want to learn how? Do you like to use stickers and stamps to decorate things? Do you like to make your own cards to give away? Then Creative Arts is for you. You will take home whatever you make during this hands-on art experience.

Nature Option (CF213C) Explore the woods; learn about different plants and animals. Hike the nature trail, play in the creek and check out the garden. Learn how to love and care for God's amazing creation.

8th—12th Grade Horse Camp II (CF214) NEW THIS YEAR—If you attend week I of Senior High Horse Camp, you now have the option to extend your stay for a second week! Ride more, learn more and have more fun! This is ONLY for those who are registered for Senior Week I since the experience is intended to build on what's already been taught. NO EXCEPTIONS!

Week 5

July 27 - Aug 1

7/27—8/1 6th—12th Grade (Graduating Srs. Inc.) Camp Happening:
Basic Camp: 6th—8th Gr. (CF209) \$325 / Basic Camp: 9th—12th Gr. (CF210) \$325
Aquatic Option (CF209A or CF210A) + \$25 / Golf Option (CF209B or CF210B) + \$25
Target Skills Option (9-12 ONLY) (CF210C) + \$25

7/27—8/1 8th—12th Grade (Graduating Srs. Inc.) Horse Camp (CF208) \$440

6th—12th Grade Camp Happening

Basic Camp: 6th—8th Grades (CF209) & 9th—12th Grades (CF210)


Come to camp for a week to meet new people and rekindle old friendships. Spend your time playing games like volleyball, kickball and of course, 4-Square. Go swimming and boating in the lake, hike in the woods, enjoy treats while hanging out in the snack bar and have campfires. Learn new camp songs, sing old favorites and gain a new understanding and appreciation of God's creation and our need to "Handle with Care."

Aquatic Option (CF209A or CF210A) This option is all about the waterfront: hanging out on the beach, swimming, learning how to canoe, kayak and paddleboat. You will also have time to go tubing or skiing (or learn how to if you don't already know). Try a morning polar bear swim to the island and back! There may be some time to work on improving swimming skills, but it is preferred that you already know how to swim if you take this option.

Golf Option (CF209B or CF210B) Do you enjoy golfing? You will get to travel to some of the local golf courses to practice your skills and play each day. Bring clubs, balls and tees if you have them.

Target Skills Option for 9th—12th Grades ONLY (CF210C) Practice your archery and air-riflery skills; spend time target practicing and participating in a rifle safety class. Work on improving your aim with games and challenges. How well can you hit a target with a ball? Can you throw a football through a tire? Can you hit a mark with a Frisbee? Come and find out!

8th—12th Grade Horse Camp (CF211) Love horses? Want to spend your days riding? Come and enjoy riding twice a day, everyday—once on the trails around camp and once in the arena of a nearby stable. You will be challenged at your level, no matter whether you're a beginner or are experienced in horsemanship skills. We ride Western style at camp, but you can choose between English and Western at the stables. Bring your boots, your love of horses and your helmet if you have one.

 Come to the Senior High Horse Camp this week, and have the option to stay for the second week! See the description for Horse Camp under Week 6 for details!



Week 2

July 6 - July 11

7/6—7/11 4th—8th Grade Camp Happening:
Basic Camp (CF205) \$325 / Nature Option (CF205A) + \$25
Aquatic Option (CF205B) + \$25 / Culinary Option (CF205C) + \$25

7/6—7/11 6th—8th Grade Horse Camp I (CF206) \$440

4th—8th Grade Camp Happening

Basic Camp (CF205) Spend a whole week at Camp Findley seeing old friends and making new ones! Spend your days playing games, making crafts, swimming in the lake, hiking to the tree house, enjoying treats in the snack bar and having campfires. You will get to learn new camp songs, sing old favorites and gain a new understanding and appreciation of God's creation and our need to "Handle with Care."

Nature Option for 4th—6th Grades (CF205A) Explore the woods and learn about different plants and animals that live there by hiking the nature trail, playing in the creek and checking out the garden. Learn how to love and care for God's amazing creation.

Aquatic Option for 6th—8th Grades (CF205B) This option is all about the waterfront: hanging out on the beach, swimming, learning how to canoe, kayak and paddleboat. You will also have time to go tubing or skiing (or learn how to if you don't already know). Try a morning polar bear swim to the island and back! There may be some time to work on improving swimming skills, but it is preferred that you already know how to swim if you take this option.

Culinary Option for 6th—8th Grades (CF205C) Do you like to cook? Do you like to eat good food? Do you want to learn how to make great food for yourself and your family and friends? Come and learn how to prepare some of your favorite foods while you're also learning how to be safe and have fun in the kitchen. You get to make and eat your own dinner each day!

6th—8th Grade Horse Camp I (CF206) Love horses? Want to spend your days riding? Come and enjoy riding twice a day, everyday—once on the trails around camp and once in the arena of a nearby stable. You will be challenged at your level, no matter whether you're a beginner or are experienced in horsemanship skills. We ride Western style at camp, but you can choose between English and Western at the stables. Bring your boots, your love of horses and your helmet if you have one.

Week 3

July 13 - July 18

7/13—7/18 4th—8th Grade Camp Happening:
Basic Camp (CF207) \$325

Creative Arts Option (CF207A) + \$25 / Soccer Option (CF207B) + \$25

7/13—7/18 6th—8th Grade Horse Camp II (CF208) \$440

4th—8th Grade Camp Happening

Basic Camp (CF207) Spend a whole week at Camp Findley seeing old



friends and making new ones! Spend your days playing games, making crafts, swimming in the lake, hiking to the tree house, enjoying treats in the snack bar and having campfires. You will get to learn new camp songs, sing old favorites and gain a new understanding and appreciation of God's creation and our need to "Handle with Care."

Creative Arts Option (CF207A) Do you like to scrapbook or want to learn how? Do you like to use stickers and stamps to decorate things? Do you like to make your own cards to give away? Then Creative Arts is for you. You will take home whatever you make during this hands-on art experience.

Soccer Camp Option (CF207B) Just can't get enough soccer? Come to soccer camp! Spend time playing soccer and learning new skills you can use both on and off the field.

6th—8th Grade Horse Camp II (CF208) Love horses? Want to spend your days riding? Come and enjoy riding twice a day, everyday—once on the trails around camp and once in the arena of a nearby stable. You will be challenged at your level, no matter whether you're a beginner or are experienced in horsemanship skills. We ride Western style at camp, but you can choose between English and Western at the stables. Bring your boots, your love of horses and your helmet if you have one.

Spiritual Challenge
Dynamic Speakers
Children's Programs
Youth Activities
Recreation
Relaxation
Fellowship

Week 4

July 20 - July 26

Family Bible Camp

Evening Preacher—Walter Albritton

Bible Hour Speaker—Dr. Timothy Dwyer

Disciple Hour Speaker—Mark Torgerson

Family Bible Camp begins with registration at 3 p.m. July 20th.
The first service will begin at 7:30 p.m. Sunday evening.

Daily Schedule

7:30 Morning Watch
8:00 Breakfast
9:00 Bible Hour
10:45 Discipleship Hour
12:15 Lunch
1:00 Afternoon Recreation & Leisure
5:30 Dinner
6:30 Angelus Bell (Prayer Moment)
7:30 Evening Service
9:15 Snack Bar Open

Something for the entire family to look forward to every summer! Bring your own RV or tent or stay in one of our retreat buildings. There are fun and informative morning programs, afternoon fellowship and recreation opportunities and evening services for all ages. Activities include swimming, boating, water skiing, tubing, hiking, volleyball, soccer, worship, singing, prayer and more! Great programs for youth and children too!



Registration for Family Bible Camp is handled directly through the Camp Findley Office. Call 716-769-7146 to have a full Family Bible Camp brochure with registration material mailed directly to you.