



# Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp

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*"And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature,  
and in favor with God and man" (Lk. 2:52).*

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## NATIONAL CHRISTIAN CAMPING ASSOCIATION ANNUAL WORKSHOP AT FORT HILL APRIL 3-6, 2006

Camp managers, staff and other camp workers throughout the United States are invited to the Annual Workshop of the National Christian Camping Association – April 3-6, 2006. The Fort Hill Board of Trustees are hoping that several Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp workers will attend this significant event. Attendees may choose to attend all or part of the workshop. Contact Robert Manasco at 1-937-588-2026 if you are interested in this workshop.

## SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Any young person of camper age who does not have the financial resources to attend Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp this year may be eligible to attend on a "scholarship." Contact any of the trustees listed in this newsletter if you need financial help to attend.

## COGDELL ADDITION TO DUER HALL (Cook's Cabin)

The ten room addition to the Cook's Cabin should be ready for use by camp time. This modern sleeping quarters was made possible by the generous contributions of several

persons in terms of funds and labor.

The original building will be renovated to match the quality of the new addition. The Sojourners, a group of retired Christian skilled workers, will be at camp beginning May 7 to work on this project.

The "naming rights to rooms" program is still in progress. A donation of \$5,000 toward the building will allow a room to be named in honor of the donor.

## BAND CAMP WEEK AVAILABLE THE WEEK OF AUGUST 13

For the past several years the camp has been rented out to high school band camps during weeks not used for the regular camp program.

The week of August 13 is available. Anyone interested should contact: Robert Manasco at 1-937-588-2026.

## MEN'S RETREAT

The Second Annual Men's (and Boy's) Retreat is scheduled for May 19-21, 2006. Please contact Greg Tidwell, minister at Fishinger & Kenny Road congregation for details at: 1-614-451-4886.

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**DINING HALL ROOF INSTALLATION**

The camp dining hall roof is being replaced with a metal one. This application, although somewhat expensive, is a cost-effective way of preserving the building.

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**KROGER AND MEIJER CARDS**

Fort Hill Christian supporters can contribute to For Hill Christian Youth Camp in a painless way. Purchases from Kroger and Meijer stores can be credited to Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp for a percentage of purchase contributions.

Contact Brett Triplett at 1-740-477-7263 for information on signing up for this program.

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**BIBLE CLASS THEME FOR 2006**

The camp operates a six year cycle of Bible class themes. This year's theme is the **Plan of Salvation**.

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**MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING**

Members of the Board of Trustees of Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp have been discussing (for seven years) a plan to construct a multi-purpose building. The building would accommodate large assemblies, indoor classrooms, concessions, offices, storage, restrooms, indoor recreation such as basketball, volleyball, table tennis, kick ball, etc. This kind of facility will upgrade the quality of summer camp program. It would be especially useful for rainy days during the summer camp program.

A steel-framed building of at least 60' by 120' is being considered. Current plans are to place the new structure on the site of the Assembly Hall and the surrounding area toward Fort Hill Road.

Details regarding this matter will be published as plans unfold. Comments and suggestions are welcome.

**MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2006**

- March 18
- During the April 3-6 Workshop
- May 6
- June 10
- August 5
- September 22-23
- November 4
- December 2

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**FORT HILL CHRISTIAN YOUTH CAMP 2006 SCHEDULE**

- May 19-21 . . . . . Men's Retreat
- June 8 - 10 . . . . . Ladies Retreat
- June 11 - 17 . . . . . Jay Wilkins
- June 18 - 24 . . . . . William Phillis
- June 25 - July 1 . . . . . Greg Tidwell
- July 2 - 8 . . . . . Mike Gross
- July 9 - 15 . . . . . Robert Manasco
- July 16 - 22 . . . . . Wayne McCray
- July 23 - 29 . . . . . Bill Hopkins

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**ESTATE PLANNING**

Those who wish to consider remembering Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp in their wills may want to consult with Wayne McCray, 1636 Elkton Place, Cincinnati, OH 45224. You may telephone (513) 681-4818 or e-mail: [waynuele@yahoo.com](mailto:waynuele@yahoo.com)

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**WANT TO SCHEDULE A RETREAT?**

If you wish to schedule a congregational retreat, a men's planning session or just a get-together, please contact Bob Manasco. Duer Hall, the lodge and kitchen are winterized and small groups can be accommodated during cold weather. Large groups should plan retreats during the warmer weather.

Please find below, the registration form for the 2006 camping season for Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp. Please cut out and return to the address listed below. \$10 off registration fee is mailed before: May 12.



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Please mail this form to Brett Triplett,  
2725 Bridlewood St., Circleville, OH 43113

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# FORT HILL CHRISTIAN YOUTH CAMP

A place to grow spiritually, physically, socially and mentally.

**Article II of the Constitution & By-Laws of Ft. Hill Christian Youth**

**Camp:** Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp, in its endeavor to help toward an understanding of God's word and to aid in developing Christian character, shall make the Bible its chief textbook, arrange all its courses of study, and conduct its work in harmony with the spirit and letter of the Word of God. To this end, every trustee, teacher, or other worker (except for hired help—cooks, carpenters, etc.) Must be a member of the Church of Christ (undominational) and must believe, without mental reservation, that the Bible is the full and final revelation to God to man; therefore, the all-sufficient rule of faith and practice; in the diety and supreme authority of Christ; obedience to the gospel; and the edification of the Church. Believing that such a faith, and a Church with a program in harmony with this faith, are essential to the salvation of the world, the Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp shall help prepare them to be effective servants of Christ. (Article II shall never be changed or amended except as to the name of the camp.)

**No one shall be denied admission to Ft. Hill Christian Youth Camp or to the benefits of our U.S. Department of Agriculture Child Nutrition Program because of race, color, national origin, sex, handicap, or age.**

Jay Wilkins, Treasurer  
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