

THE SOUTH MOUNTAIN YMCA CAMPS ARROWHEAD

### FALL 2017





# THE MOUNTAIN BY MOONLIGHT!

### Join us if you dare: October 13,14,20,21,27 6-9 pm

We are excited to announce **Mountain By Moonlight**, our familyfriendly haunted hayride and Halloween event designed for pre-K, elementary, middle-school students and their families.

Our featured event, the **Haunted Hayride**, is a 25-30 minute ride through the wooded Cameron Estate braving an over-run prison, psychiatric hospital, zombies and a family of Sasquatch. For those less daring, we also offer a non-haunted hayride to Cushion Peak.

Join us for a spook-tacular time on the mountain! This community event includes:

- Haunted Hayrides
- Carnival Games
- Haunted Halls
- Bounce House
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- Glowstick Zip-Lining
  Non-Haunted Hayride
- Glow Zorbing
- And More!

Gates open at 5:30pm and close at 9pm. Activities begin at 6pm and will run until 10pm. *Non-Haunted attractions open at 6pm and Haunted attractions open at 7pm*. Parking is FREE. Refreshments will be available at our concession stand, and prizes are awarded at our ticket booth. Tickets for activities are \$1 each, 12 for \$10 and 25 for \$20. Visitors can purchase them at the gate, or in advance from the Camp Office. For more information, call **610-670-2267** or check out *The Mountain By Moonlight* event page on Facebook.

On Friday October 20th join us for Ghost Stories with Charlie Adams at 7:13pm in Bynden Wood Lodge. *Tickets are \$5 per person and are pre-sale only due to limited seating*. Call the camp office at 610-670-2267 to purchase your tickets.

The South Mountain YMCA Camps: Igniting the Fires of Friendship

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

September 1	Labor Day Family Camp begins
September 13	Home School Big Day Out
September 15	Guided Night Hike
September 18	20th Annual Golf Classic
September 23	Volunteer Work Day
September 29	Women's Wellness Weekend begins
October 6	Guided Night Hike
October 13 & 14	The Mountain by Moonlight
October 18	Home-School Big Day Out
October 20 & 21	The Mountain by Moonlight
October 27	Fall Family Camp begins
October 30	Fall Festival
November 3	Guided Night Hike
November 17	Guided Night Hike

### Visit us online at SMYMCA.ORG

### **The Arrowhead**

is a publication of the South Mountain YMCA Camps.

We love to hear what's going on with alumni, campers, staff and friends of camp. We want to share your graduations, weddings, and birth announcements. We continue to appreciate your support and input.

## Send any information or story ideas to:

South Mountain YMCA 201 Cushion Peak Road Reinholds, PA 17569 Phone: 610-670-2267 Fax: 610-670-5010 Email: <u>mreinert@smymca.org</u>

The South Mountain YMCA Camps: Service, Stewardship, Self-Discovery

## STAY INVOLVED. VOLUNTEER!

There are a lot of ways to get involved with Camp. You can participate in another program with us, or make a donation to our organization for scholarships or facility improvements. You can also join a committee, the alumni association, or apply to serve with our Board of Directors.

There are also many opportunities to volunteer on site throughout the year, and we truly appreciate the help. We've listed 2 such programs below, but if you'd like to help out in another way, please call Tracey at 610-670-2267 and she can match you or your group to an appropriate project.

#### VOLUNTEER WORK DAY:

We need **YOU** (as well as your friends and family) at Camp on Saturday September 23rd from 10am to 4pm. We hope you'll join us to do some painting, plant flowers,



and maybe even help put up a new pavilion. Lunch will be provided.

Please dress for the weather and wear clothes you are comfortable getting dirty. While we will have supplies on hand, please feel free to bring your gardening supplies, gloves, or rakes. Contact **Tracey Braymiller with questions or to RSVP at 610-670-2267 or via email at ycamps@smymca.org**.

#### **MOUNTAIN BY MOONLIGHT:**

We are in need of volunteers each night the event runs. There are various volunteer opportunities available from carnival games to the concession stand to dressing up and performing at one of the many scenes along the haunted hayride route. For additional information or to volunteer for this event, contact **Michele Reinert at 610-670-2267** or **mreinert@smymca.org**.

## WOMEN'S WELLNESS WEEKEND Sept. 29 — Oct. 1

Wishing for some downtime and chance to recharge? Treat yourself to a weekend on the mountain for all women ages 18 and better. Enjoy wellness workshops and speakers intermixed with fun and exciting camp activities.

Date: Friday, September 29— Sunday,
October 1, 2017. Arrival is between 4—6pm on
Friday and departure is on Sunday at 1:00pm.
Lodging: Guests stay in modern log cabins that can accommodate up to 14 people.
Cabins are adjacent to centralized shower houses.
Meals: Our culinary staff will prepare nutritious meals for your stay. Coffee/Tea, beverages and snacks are available all weekend.
We can accommodate special dietary needs.

Cost: \$160/person for full weekend or \$85

**for Saturday** only. Bring your friends! If you register with five friends (for a party of 6) you will receive \$25 off per person. Massage will be available at an additional fee paid to the Masseuse (Rates to be determined). Financial Assistance is available. For additional information or to register call Camp at **610-670-2267**.







Workshop Topics and Activities May Include: Chair Massage, Meditation, Yoga, Reiki, Dance, Tai-Chi, Zumba, Reflexology, Genealogy, Crafts, Drumming, Basket Weaving, Jewelry Making, Naturopathy, Cooking, Nutrition, Aromatherapy, Women's Health, Work and Life Balance, Personal Finance, Stress Management, Climbing Tower, Zip Line, Archery, & Campfires.

## **Shop For Camp!**

Please think of South Mountain YMCA Camps when you shop on Amazon. Go to http://smile.amazon.com.

When asked to select the charity you want to support select South Mountain YMCA.

## **REGISTER TODAY FOR FALL HARVEST FAMILY CAMP** Friday October 27 — Sunday October 29

Let us do all the cooking & cleaning while you explore, learn & have outdoor fun with your family during a beautiful and relaxing fall weekend. We offer a wide variety of activities for all ages run by trained, adult staff. Programs may include: fishing, sports, climbing, boating, nature walks, crafts, dances, carnivals, archery, campfires, and more!

**\$110 for each adult (12+), \$100 for each child (ages 4-11)**, with **children 3 and under free**. In addition, there is a \$60 cabin fee which will reserve an entire cabin for your group of 4 or more. If your party is below 4, or you choose to waive this fee, you will be placed in a cabin with another family. These fees cover 2 nights lodging, meals and staff led activities.

Participants stay in our beautiful log cabins that sleep up to 14 people. We have 4 Villages with 6 cabins per Village, as well as clean, modern bathhouses! Enjoy delicious meals prepared by our culinary staff in our newly renovated dining hall.

# Check in between 6-8pm on Friday. Check out is after lunch on Sunday.

For additional information or to register please contact **Greg McCrohan**, Outdoor Center Director, at **610-670-2267** or via email at **gmccrohan@smymca.org**.





## SOUTH MOUNTAIN YMCA CAMPS WISH LIST

Do you have any of these items that are no longer of use to you, or that you would like to purchase for Camp? Call the Camp Office (610-670-2267) about tax deductible donations to your favorite YMCA Camp!

- Pressure Treated Lumber
- Office Supplies
- Curtains 24" 36" Tall (new or gently used)
- Cotton Candy Machine
- Arts and Craft Supplies
- Soccer Balls and Basketballs
- Giant Outdoor Chess Set (12" - 16" tall)

# **2017 FALL FESTIVAL**

Join us on <u>October 29 from 2-4pm</u> for a South Mountain YMCA Camps' Autumn tradition: *FREE FALL FESTIVAL!* 

Experience the *magic of our mountain this autumn*! Bring your family and we'll provide the fall fun. Climb the tower, shoot an arrow, roast a marshmallow, ride in the wagon, take part in some seasonal crafts and more! *This event is FREE and open to the public and runs RAIN or SHINE! No RSVP is required.* 

