



JUNE/JULY 2021

NEO RETREAT CENTER

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YOUTH CABINS HAVE ARRIVED!

Lodging has always been an issue for our NEO Youth during Camp Meeting. We are so happy that we are finally able to help solve that problem with our new Youth Cabins! Each cabin will sleep 10 youth. Funding for these cabins was provided from a grant the NEO District received from Ohio Church of God and from timber funds. Please consider helping us replenish the timber funds so that they are available for future needs.

Donations can be sent to:

NEO Church of God
c/o Gary Blackson

We appreciate your continued support as we look to make lasting investments in this beautiful property that will bring people to Jesus for years to come.

Be sure to stop back and take a look at not only the Youth Cabins, but also the walkways that were installed as an Eagle Scout Project. One of our District Student Leaders, Mikey Conway, along with fellow scouts and youth group members installed over 250 feet and 15 tons of gravel to make mud-less walkways from each cabin to Kyle Lodge. The project was completely funded by donations obtained as a part of the project.





WE NEED YOUR HELP!

WE HAVE MANY PROJECTS THAT NEED DONE AND WE NEED YOUR HELP!

WORK DAY IS JULY 10TH. PLEASE CONSIDER BRINGING A GROUP OF FRIENDS/FAMILY AND LENDING A HELPING HAND AS WE PREPARE THE PROPERTY FOR CAMP MEETING.

YOUTH GAME ROOM

ALL KIDS UNDER 12 MUST BE SUPERVISED BY AN ADULT.

As a reminder, all kids under 12 must be supervised by an adult when using the game room. Also, please be sure that your children are cleaning up after themselves and leaving the room in good condition.

Put games away, clean up trash, and ensure that nothing gets broken by respecting the items in the room.

Parents are financially responsible for any damages that are incurred from misuse.

MOWING & LOT UPKEEP

DON'T FORGET TO MOW YOUR LOT!

As the weather heats up and the rain continues to fall, lot holders need to be sure that they are maintaining their lots. *All lots need to be clean and free of debris and standing water. Grass must also be cut monthly from May thru September.* If the NEO Retreat Center staff finds it necessary to mow your lot, you will be billed \$50 per occurrence, due upon receipt to avoid discontinuation of use and utilities. Also, please be sure that you do not have standing water around/near your campsite and that all chemicals are securely stored.

ICE & WOOD FOR SALE

WE HAVE RAISED \$202 SO FAR THIS YEAR WITH ICE AND WOOD SALES!
THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED.

WE WILL CONTINUE TO HAVE BAGS OF ICE FOR \$2 PER BAG, WRAPPED BUNDLES OF WOOD FOR \$5, AND STACKS OF WOOD FOR \$15, LOCATED OUTSIDE THE CAMP OFFICE. ALL PROCEEDS GO TO IMPROVEMENTS ON THE GROUNDS.

NEO RETREAT CENTER T-SHIRTS & HOODIES

ORDERS NEED TO BE PLACED
BY JUNE 20TH TO HAVE BY
CAMP MEETING.

ORDERS CAN BE PLACED AT:
bit.ly/NEORetreatCenterShirt

All proceeds go towards
improvement projects at the
Retreat Center.

Heather Military Green T



Heather Navy T



Intique Cherry Red T



Graphite Heather T



Black Hoodie



Dark Heather Hoodie



SUMMER FUN WEEKEND

June 18th-20th

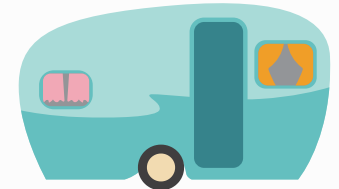
Friday
MOVIE NIGHT @ DARK
TEEN DANCE @ GAME ROOM

Sunday
WORSHIP SERVICE @ 10 AM
FISHING DERBY @ 3 PM

Saturday
CRAFTS @ 10 AM
SLIP & SLIDE @ 2 PM
MEAT ROAST @ 6 PM
BONFIRE
HAYRIDES

MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS TODAY!

SCHULTZ & LILLIE COTTAGES ARE AVAILABLE. WE ALSO HAVE RV & TENT SITES.



4th of July

Friday
Movie Night
Teen Karaoke

Saturday
Crafts @ 10am
Slip & Slide @ 2pm
Band & Hayride

Sunday
Worship Service @ 10am
Cookout @ 12:30pm
Golf Cart Parade @ 3pm

Schultz & Lillie Cottages are available to rent. We also have RV & tent lots.



Recent improvements that have been made possible due to the generosity of those in our District:

- Fans & Lighting in Tabernacle
- Flooring in MCC kitchen & baths
- Private counselor room with bath in MCC
- Complete remodel of MCC dorm bathrooms
- Flooring and bedding in Lillie Cottage
- Bathroom remodel in Schultz Cottage
- Gravel and drainage on roadways
- Purchase of 3 new cabins for youth housing
- Game room for youth
- Purchase of a camp truck & plow
- New Dock
- Removal of abandoned campers/ trailers
- New toilets in all bathrooms
- Equipment repair
- Refresh Property Manager's house
- Pond fountain & lighting
- New ice machine in kitchen
- New water heaters in MCC & Schultz Cottage
- Gaga ball, 9 Square, tetherball
- Privacy dividers in women's restroom
- New lighting in Snack Shack

Future improvements that we need your help to accomplish:

- Additional gravel for roadways
- Sewer installation on remaining camper lots
- Multipurpose building/pavilion for youth and kids
- Water and Restrooms at the youth lodge
- Swimmable lake
- Insulation and siding for MCC and Dining Hall
- New ceiling tiles for MCC
- Painting of all camp buildings
- Update Dormitory bathrooms
- Update maintenance equipment

We appreciate your continued support of the NEO Retreat Center!

**NORTH EAST OHIO
CHURCH OF GOD**
camp meeting

WALK in TRUTH

July 25th-31st

When the Spirit of truth comes,
he will guide you into all the truth...
John 16:13a ESV



Kick off Camp Meeting with a

HERITAGE HYMN SING

featuring hymns of the Church of God

SUNDAY, JULY 25TH | 3-4PM
NEO RETREAT CENTER



**CWC AND THE MEN'S MINISTRIES
PRESENTS**

Camp Meeting Kick-Off Breakfast




**Saturday July 24, 2021
9:00A.M.**

Join us as we kick off Camp Meeting with breakfast and a special Message from Pastor Benjamin Wilson.

COST \$7.00
PREREGISTER AT:
[HTTP://NEORETREATCENTER.ORG/
KICKOFF-BREAKFAST-
REGISTRATION](http://neoretreatcenter.org/kickoff-breakfast-registration)

NEO Retreat Center
16278 Shilling Rd
Berlin Center Ohio 44401
In The Dining Hall

CHILDCARE WILL BE PROVIDED FOR PRE-K THROUGH 3RD GRADE BY THE CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BOARD



Children of Promise Director, Heather Webb will be at Camp Meeting on Wednesday, July 28th.

Make plans to attend her leadership events and learn more about Children of Promise and how you can make a difference.

11-11:45am- CWC Bible Study @ MCC

3-4:30pm- Meet, Greet & Learn about our Mission Focus @ MCC- all are invited to participate

Making wholeness possible for children around the world.



YOUTH & KIDS MINISTRY LEADERS WORKSHOP

Come and meet
R.W. Moody, Jr. - COGO NxtGen Student's Pastor
& Liz Hultz- COGO NxtGen Kids Pastor

THURSDAY, JULY 29TH | 1:30-3:30PM
@ MISSIONS CONFERENCE CENTER

RSVP @ [NEORETREATCENTER.ORG/YOUTH-KIDS-WORKSHOP](http://neoretreatcenter.org/youth-kids-workshop)



**NEO YOUNG ADULTS
GATHERING**

THURSDAY, JULY 29TH
AFTER SERVICE AT THE PLAYGROUND PAVILION

LIGHT UP VOLLEYBALL
CAMPFIRE S'MORES

ALA CARTE CATERING

Located in the Dining Hall. Serving Lunch and Dinner by pre-order only.
Orders MUST be placed by noon on the previous day. \$6/lunch \$7.50/dinner
 Coffee, Iced Tea, and Lemonade are included.
 Hours: 4:30-6pm Dinner Sunday
 11:30am-1pm Lunch Monday thru Friday
 5-6:30pm Dinner Monday thru Friday



Sunday Dinner

Choice of:
 Chicken Parmesan
 or
 Spaghetti & Meatballs
 Toss Salad
 Garlic Bread

Monday Lunch

Choice of:
 Pulled Pork Sandwich
 or
 Pepperoni Rolls
 Jo-Jo Potatoes
 Coleslaw

Monday Dinner

Choice of:
 Stuffed Chicken Breast
 or
 Boneless Pork Chop
 Au-Gratin Potatoes
 Green Beans
 Toss Salad, Roll & Butter

Tuesday Lunch

Choice of:
 Taco Bar
 or
 Sub Sandwich
 Chips

Tuesday Dinner

Choice of:
 Lasagna
 or
 Vegetable Lasagna
 Broccoli
 Toss Salad, Roll & Butter

Wednesday Lunch

Choice of:
 Grilled Chicken Salad Bar
 or
 Chicken Tenders &
 Mac & Cheese

Wednesday Dinner

Choice of:
 Ham & Scalloped Potatoes
 or
 Beef Tips over Noodles
 Green Beans
 Toss Salad, Roll & Butter

Thursday Lunch

Choice of:
 Sausage Sandwich
 or
 Fried Chicken
 Sandwich
 Jo-Jo Potatoes

Thursday Dinner

Choice of:
 Chicken Cordon Bleu and
 Rice Pilaf
 or
 Shells with Alfredo Sauce
 California Blend
 Toss Salad, Roll & Butter

Friday Lunch

Choice of:
 Chicken Salad Croissant
 or
 Turkey or Ham Croissant
 Pasta Salad
 Fruit

Friday Dinner

Choice of:
 Baked Chicken Breast
 or
 Stuffed Peppers
 Mashed Potatoes
 Green Beans
 Coleslaw, Roll & Butter

CAMP MEETING DINING

ALL DINING HALL MEALS MUST BE
PRE-ORDERED BY JULY 21ST

This year for Camp Meeting, all meals served in the Dining Hall will be by pre-order only. Meals will not be available at the Dining Hall for walk-ins. You can view the entire week's menu and place your order at neoretreatcenter.org/online-ordering.

A paper order form has also been included with this newsletter for your convenience.

CWC LADIES WE NEED YOUR HELP!

For the Salesroom at Campmeeting!

WE NEED GRAB BAGS FOR THE CHILDREN



BAKED GOODS & VEGETABLES



CRAFTS THAT YOU HAVE MADE

**Jewelry, wreaths, Floral arrangements,
anything that you make.**

We will also take good used Christian books.

You can also stay in the dorm room in the Missions Conference Center, the cost is \$10 per night. You can register for a bed by contacting: Margaret Wagner at 419-564-0397 or by email: wagner7405@neo.rr.com

YOUTH & KIDS CAMP

YOUTH- Registration forms can be found online at neoretreatcenter.org/youth-camp-registration

KIDS- You can register online at neoretreatcenter.org/kids-camp

KIDS VOLUNTEERS- You can register online at neoretreatcenter.org/kids-camp-volunteer-form