

Caln Quarter Annual Gathering of Friends



**Love is the way:
Where will it lead?**

May 3 - May 5, 2019

Camp Swatara

Bethel, PA

Register online or by mail
through April 19, 2019

<https://2019-cqm-campswatara.eventbrite.com>

Welcome Caln Quarter Friends to our tradition of fellowship, learning, worship and enjoying the pristine natural setting of Camp Swatara near Bethel, PA. Caln Quarter has held these spring residential retreats for decades at this camp located at the foot of Blue Mountain and bounded by the Appalachian Trail.

For those who are returning, **welcome back**. For those coming for the first time, imagine a weekend with people eager to listen, learn and connect with Friends. Meetings for Worship are large, yet personal. Workshops and the plenary session expose us to ideas from the wider Quaker community. There are many Quakers in Caln Quarter who share common understandings and insights into Quaker history, and some with modern leadings. There is truly something for everyone.

This year's theme is **"Love is the way: Where will it lead?"** Marcelle Martin, our 2019 plenary speaker and workshop leader, will guide our learning about supporting each other on our spiritual journey through a variety of means including storytelling, discussion, and guided experience. Marcelle is the author of **Our Life Is Love: The Quaker Spiritual Journey** which explores the *"transformational spiritual journey of the first Quakers, who turned to the Light of Christ within and allowed it to be their guide."*

The weekend offers workshops and activities designed for all ages, please see the activity schedule for more details. The weekend will include yoga, hiking, art, music, dance and Worship- and of course the annual Intergenerational Talent show on Saturday evening. **New this year** we invite all to bring a poster display of programs or activities that your meeting or committees are working on. Our hope is to foster communication and collaboration between Meetings on projects that are of interest to many. This is planned for **Saturday afternoon**.

Beyond these offerings, there are a variety of programs for children and young adults. Middle School and Young Friends' programs are coordinated by the Philadelphia Yearly Meeting staff and open to all PYM youth. Young Adult Friends (ages 18 to 35ish) who wish to share a cabin can indicate their preference on the registration form.

Friends will gather for Meeting for Worship followed by the Caln Quarter's Meeting for Worship with attention to Business on Saturday and will also have the opportunity to worship as a gathered community on First Day.

Lodging is available in cabins, heated lodges, and a hotel-type lodge. Four bunk-style lodges have bathroom and shower facilities; we will offer same-sex cabins, if requested. Meals are buffet style with a vegetarian option at each meal. Please join us for this delightful weekend with our Quaker community. Relax, learn, play, and chat with Friends of all ages; take home new ideas, friendships and lots of memories.

In order to remove economic barriers to participation at the Caln Quarter Spring Meeting at Swatara, we are adopting a Pay As Led registration this year. Registrants will be asked to discern what their budget will allow them to spend to attend the weekend gathering. Some Friends will pay a portion of the actual costs and other Friends may feel led to pay more than the actual costs, if they are able. Please see the pages 4 and 5 for more information and registration.

Calm Quarter Annual Gathering of Friends 2019 Activity Schedule

In addition to scheduled activities, Friends are invited to relax and enjoy Camp Swatara – go for a hike, climb the rock pile, read a book under a tree, talk with a friend – whatever will refresh your spirit.

Friday, May 3 Feel free to bring a picnic supper to eat at Camp Swatara Friday evening. No meal is served.

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| | 6:00-9:00 PM | | Registration (East Lodge entranceway) |
| | 7:00-8:00 PM | | Meeting for Worship for all ages (North Lodge second floor) |
| | 7:30-9:30 PM | | Campfire with music/stories/games (West area) |

Saturday, May 4

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| | 7:00-8:00 AM | | Yoga (North Lodge second floor) |
| | 8:00-8:30 AM | | Breakfast (East Lodge dining hall) |
| | 8:30-9:30 AM | | Registration (East Lodge entrance way) |
| CP | 9:00-9:45 AM | | Meeting for Worship (East Lodge main hall) |
| CP | 9:45-11:45 AM | | Meeting for Business (East Lodge main hall) |
| | 11:45-12:30 | | Registration (East Lodge entranceway) |
| | 12:00-12:45 PM | | Lunch (East Lodge dining hall) |
| CP | 1:20-2:40 PM | | PLENARY SESSION (East Lodge main hall) see description below |
| CP | 3:00-4:15 PM | | WORKSHOP SESSIONS A (see individual room assignments - next page) |
| | 4:15-5:30 PM | | Poster display and discussion (East Lodge main hall) |
| | 5:30-6:00 PM | | Dinner (East Lodge dining hall) |
| | 6:30-7:30 PM | | Quaker Art Coffeehouse (North Lodge, second floor) |
| | 7:30-8:30 PM | | Intergenerational Talent Show (East Lodge main hall) |
| | 8:30-10:00 PM | | Music and fellowship (East Lodge main hall) |
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Sunday, May 5

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| | 6:00 AM | | Bird Walk (Meet at East Lodge main entrance) |
| | 7:00-8:00 AM | | Yoga (North Lodge second floor) |
| | 8:00-8:30 AM | | Breakfast (East Lodge dining hall) |
| | 8:30-9:30 AM | | Swatara Planning Meeting (East Lodge library) |
| | 9:00-9:30 AM | | Hymn singing (East Lodge main hall) |
| CP | 9:45-10:45 AM | | WORKSHOP SESSIONS B (see individual room assignments- next page) |
| CP | 10:15-11:00 AM | | Youth Graduation Ceremony (for 5 th graders, MSFs, YFs, their parents, and well wishers) |
| CP | 11:00AM-12:00 | | Meeting for Worship for all ages (Children join worship at 11:45am) |
| | 12:15-12:45 PM | | Lunch (East Lodge dining hall) |
| | 1:00 PM | | Clean-up and farewell |

CP – There will be both the children's program and childcare at this time, beginning 15 minutes before, and until 15 minutes after, the activity. Program leaders, volunteers, and the children will be waiting for their parents' timely arrival.

PLENARY SESSION: **United in Divine Love by Marcelle Martin**

Marcelle Martin will share ways we can support one another on the spiritual journey today. She will draw on inspiration and lessons from early Friends, whose stories reveal a great deal about where love leads.

Marcelle Martin is a Quaker teacher, writer, retreat leader, and spiritual nurturer from Swarthmore Meeting. She has studied and written about early Friends who have much to teach us about participating whole-heartedly in the work of God in our world in our time.

"We live in a time of profound change and God is calling us to something new. Learning from those who discovered the Way before us can help us heed God's call today. It is my whole-hearted desire to help individuals and communities seek Truth and find the Way of love and peace. May we see a restored earth, enjoy the Peaceable Kingdom, and together grow into our inheritance as children of God." from Marcelle's blog <https://awholeheart.com>

Our Life is Love: The Quaker Spiritual Journey is available at <http://www.innerlightbooks.com/books/our-life-is-love.html>

WORKSHOPS (subject to change- final schedule available at Camp Swatara)

SATURDAY AFTERNOON 3:00 – 4:15

Hand in Hand: Supporting Young People and Their Spiritual Journeys - Melinda Wenner Bradley - West Chester Monthly Meeting and PYM Youth Engagement Coordinator

We will explore resources and ideas for journeying with young people during the stages of their individual spiritual development and in the life of the meeting community. Sharing from our own experiences, play and story, and a presentation of new resources for Friends, will be part of the time together. This workshop is for anyone interested in supporting spiritual nurture across all ages, particularly those who serve children and youth religious education programs and parents.

Flash Mob Meditation - Sally McQuail- Downingtown Monthly Meeting and Larry Mackenzie- Schuylkill Monthly Meeting

The process of settling into silence is a foundational practice for everything Quakers do. However, sitting for an hour on the benches can be uncomfortable or impossible for some Friends, hindering their quality of worship. How do our bodies affect our minds and our spiritual awareness? Can more comfortable seating encourage a more meaningful Meeting for Worship?

Forrest Gump & Quaker Spirituality - Alex Miller- Downingtown Monthly Meeting

A bunch of people in a room "listening to voices in their heads" may not be the best sales pitch on Quaker spirituality. But, then again, what is?

This workshop brings Forrest Gump to the rescue, not only because "His Mamma always explained things so that people understand them," but because the strange things in the world of the Spirit go beyond a simplicity of the mind. Forrest said it himself ..."What is normal, anyways?" Let us leave our comfort zone for an hour and be open to the "outside of the box"

Alternatives to Violence Project: Practicing Peace in One's Body for Strength in Negotiating Conflict with Another - Anne

Wallace-DiGarbo, Joseph DiGarbo- Lancaster Monthly Meeting

This workshop will use the AVP format to focus on awareness of bodily/somatic responses to conflict. It will also introduce nonviolent physical practices that engage the aggressor in ways that reduce the possibility of violence. The co-facilitators will guide somatic practices for self-regulation during conflicts. They are body awareness practices in service of peace.

Interfaith Campaign for Racial Equity in School Funding in Pennsylvania - Beth Reeves, Ron Ashby, and Susan Bickel - Lancaster and Downingtown Monthly Meeting

We are working on a campaign to correct the racial inequity in Pennsylvania state education funding. Because of PA's current educational funding system, the greater the percentage of white students in a PA school district, the larger the amount that district receives in Basic Education Funding from the state. We will present information on this situation and explain why we are working on the Interfaith campaign to correct this injustice.

SUNDAY Morning 9:45 – 10:45

Quakers Past Lessons Illuminating our Future **Marcelle Martin - Swarthmore Monthly Meeting**

Supporting each other on the spiritual journey
In this workshop we will talk about and practice ways to support each other's spiritual journey. Exercises in pairs include deep listening and sharing from the heart.

12 Steps to Spritual Community

Elsie Eberly - Lancaster Monthly Meeting

A Quaker Anonymous meeting using queries matching 12 Steps Principles to address our journey toward spiritual wholeness and spreading the message to everyone. After reading the 12 step principles it is opened as an unprogrammed meeting of equal human beings. Each shares their own experience, strength, and hope as a safe and equal participant or listener, without challenge, as we do in worship.

Building Community By Going Beyond Our Home Monthly Meeting

Joe Moore- Lancaster Monthly Meeting

Ever notice that many of us tend to "hang out" with F(f)riends from our own Monthly Meeting when we gather for Caln Quarter events? Results from the survey, conducted last year, suggest that we would like more opportunities to get to know each other across the Quarter. This workshop intends to do just that. We will use a variety of interactive exercises and conversations to deepen our spiritual connections and have some fun while we are at it.

Climate and Food Choices: What you can do and why do it?

Claudia Kirk - Sadsbury Monthly Meeting

The workshop begins with guided meditation on loving kindness; then a Power Point presentation surveying industrial food sector and proposed actions for individuals and communities. Lastly a group discussion about resistance to change, inspirations to change, and strategies for change.

ATTENTION CALN ARTISTS:

Quaker Art Show 2019

Art on display thru the weekend

Please bring your artwork to North Lodge, 2nd floor on Friday evening, or as early as possible Saturday morning. Blair Seitz will be there to assist you.

We invite you to join us at a
Coffee House on Saturday,
after dinner
to meet and talk with the artists
North Lodge- second floor

Pay As Led: An Experiment in Abundance

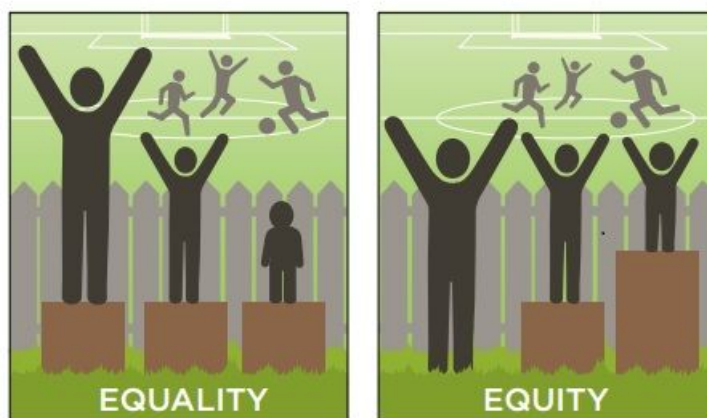
Community, a Quaker testimony, is a priority for Caln Quarter. Camp Swatara weekend is an annual opportunity to gather with Quakers from across the Quarter, and beyond. Many Friends do not attend because costs are a barrier. 2019 will see flexible registration fees that allow individuals and families to discern the amount they can afford to attend our spring gathering.

The actual cost to the Caln Quarter for the spring gathering at Camp Swatara in 2019 is \$135 per person (cabin, meals, camp fees, and miscellaneous costs).

In order to remove the economic barriers to participation at Swatara, we are adopting a ***Pay As Led*** registration in 2019. Registrants will discern what their budget allows them to spend in order to attend the weekend gathering. Some Friends will pay a portion of the actual costs and other Friends will pay more than the actual costs, as they are able. When registering, simply indicate the amount that you are able to pay and the remainder of costs will be covered by the Monthly Meeting and Quarter. You may register [online](#) and pay by credit card or send a check in the amount of your payment to **Caln Quarterly Meeting**, c/o Jim Lamborn, 876 Freemansville Road, Reading, PA. 19607. You do not have to request a subsidy from your Monthly Meeting.

We are taking a ‘leap of faith’ experimenting with this ***Pay As Led*** approach and trusting in the spirit of abundance in Friends of Caln Quarter. Led by faith, we believe that this ***Experiment in Abundance*** will enable Friends to be as generous as possible while celebrating Community, to support the Caln Quarter’s Spring retreat at Camp Swatara, an annual tradition for over 40 years.

“Let us see what LOVE can do.” -William Penn



**Pay As Led is available for registering for lodging in the cabins only.
If you are registering for the North Lodge, Day Registration or A La Carte
we ask that you pay full price or more.
Thank you.**

LODGING

Camp Swatara offers a variety of accommodations:

HC: New heated cabins that sleep 18, bunkhouse style, with in-house showers and toilets

RC: Rustic shared cabins

M: 10 motel-style rooms with private bath, towel, and linen service in the North Lodge

We will not be assigning specific spaces in the cabins. However, there will be a list of cabins near the registration area where you may post your name and location if you wish.

NOTE: The **North Lodge**, offering one fully ADA-equipped room, has been very popular in past years. To ensure your stay there, please register early (first come-first served). It is also possible to camp in either a tent or a recreational vehicle at the Camp Swatara Family Campground.

YOU must make your own reservations for camping by contacting:

Camp Swatara Family Campground
2093 Camp Swatara Rd
Bethel, PA 19507
www.campswatara.org

NOTE: Campers must also submit the Registration Form with the Day Registration Fee. If you are camping but wish to eat some or all meals in the dining hall, sign up under Plan E and indicate which meals you want.

What to Bring:

The weather can change drastically over the weekend so bring appropriate clothing for any eventuality (warm or cool, wet or dry). Depending on your interests, consider quiet games, sports equipment, and musical instruments. If you plan to stay overnight, bring a flashlight, sleeping bag or sheets and blankets, pillow, towel, toiletries, etc. Children should bring an extra pair of shoes.

Weekend Expectations:

- Every attendee takes a turn cleaning the Dining Hall after a meal. Assignments will be posted there.
- **PLEASE** take only what you will eat at meals! We have dumped a lot of food in past years.
- Sweep your cabin before you leave.
- Don't disturb the wildflowers or wildlife.
- Keep the camp clean and litter free.
- No smoking, drugs, alcohol or pets
- No skateboards, radios, CD players, electronic games, knives, guns or other weapons

Camp Swatara Says:
*"Take nothing but photos.
Leave nothing but footprints.
Kill nothing but time."*

FEES

BACK BY POPULAR REQUEST

Children in 5th grade or younger,
all meals, lodging, and day fees are free.
(We still need everyone to register for an accurate count)

PAY AS LED

Register online here:

<https://2019-cqm-campswatara.eventbrite.com>

(except Middle School and Young Friends--see
PYM reg. page)

**WE DO NOT WANT ANY CALN QUARTER FRIENDS
TO MISS THIS RETREAT FOR LACK OF FUNDS.**

Pay As Led (for Plans A and B)

Pay As Led- Plan A: The entire weekend in a cabin, Friday and Saturday nights. 5 meals: Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner; Sunday breakfast, lunch.

Adult: \$135 per person

Pay As Led - Plan B: One night in a cabin, Saturday night. Includes 4 meals: Saturday lunch and dinner, Sunday breakfast and lunch.

Adult: \$112 per person

Day Registration Fee for those not staying overnight but are participating in Workshops and other activities. **\$19.00 per day**

If you are coming for business meeting only, or business meeting and lunch only, you need not pay this fee; please submit registration form with this noted. However, those staying for workshops or extra meals owe this fee—we use the facilities and need to pay for them!

Plan C: A la carte meals only for those camping or those not staying overnight. Please indicate on the registration form which meals you will eat.

Up to 5th Grade Adults

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| Saturday breakfast: | Free | \$9.75 |
| Saturday lunch: | Free | \$12.25 |
| Saturday dinner: | Free | \$14.25 |
| Sunday breakfast: | Free | \$9.75 |
| Sunday noon dinner: | Free | \$14.25 |

North Lodge - Plan D: The entire weekend in the North Lodge (hotel-style), Friday and Saturday nights, with 5 meals: Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner; Sunday breakfast, lunch

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| Adult: | \$225 per person (single occupancy) |
| Adult: | \$185 per person (double occupancy) |
| Adult: | \$175 per person (3-5 people) |

North Lodge- Plan E: One night in the North Lodge, Saturday night. Includes 4 meals: Saturday lunch and dinner, Sunday breakfast and lunch. See LODGING Note.

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| Adult: | \$185 per person (single occupancy) |
| Adult: | \$130 per person (double occupancy) |
| Adult: | \$120 per person (3-5 people) |

North Lodge, Day and A La Carte registrants are welcome to pay more for their accommodations, but we cannot offer discounted registrations for these rooms. Thank you

Registration for Camp Swatara 2019

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(except Middle School and Young Friends--see registration information on page 8)

Registration deadline: April 19, 2019

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| Name: | Phone (day): |
| Address: | Phone (evening): |
| Meeting: | Email address: |

Please list all family members, campers, speakers, Friendly Presences, Counselors, Middle School* and Young Friends* who will be attending. *Parents registering Middle School and Young Friends: you must register and pay on-line for each youth participating in the MS and YF programs. See following pages for registration information for MS and YF programs.

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| If you have special needs, e.g. vegetarian, please specify. Note that the kitchen provides only enough vegetarian meals for those ordered! | For those in Plan A, B, C, or D ↓ | Day visitors and campers, include the Day Registration Fees. For a la carte food, register under <u>Plan E</u> and check each meal you plan to eat. ↓ |
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| Name | Age if child | Grade if child | Workshop session #'s | Payment plan as described on prior page; circle plan | Lodging Preference * | SAT breakfast \$9.75 | SAT lunch \$12.25 | SAT dinner \$14.25 | SUN breakfast \$9.75 | SUN lunch \$14.25 | Lodging and Meal Cost | Plan B & D only: Share lodging with these people.... |
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| <p>*Lodging Preference: A for any lodge or cabin; RC for rustic, shared cabin; HC for heated, 18 person cabin; M for North Lodge Motel; N/A for MS and YF; YAF for Young Adult Friends Cabin; FEMALE for housing with women only; MALE for housing with men only</p> | <p>Day Fees _____ Total Cost _____ Optional Donation _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED _____</p> |
| <p>Register Online or complete this form and mail by April 19, 2019 Make checks payable to "Caln Quarterly Meeting" (checks will be deposited upon receipt.) Mail all registration forms and checks to: % Jim Lamborn, 876 Freemansville, Reading PA 19607. No refunds for cancellations received after 4/19/2019</p> | <p>If you have any Questions, contact: Clerk- Jeanne Elberfeld jelberfeld@gmail.com Registrar -Jim Lamborn jtlfiddl@ptd.net</p> |
| <p><i>Young Friends and Middle School programs are coordinated through PYM and <u>not</u> Caln Quarter. See page 8 for online registration information.</i></p> | |

Elementary Programming (K-5)

Rosana Perez, Sadsbury Monthly Meeting, has a passion for facilitating and inspiring learning. She has been an elementary school teacher in Venezuela and the U.S. and home schools her two younger children.

Pre-School Programming

Amy Windish from Harrisburg Monthly Meeting will lead this program. Amy has been the beloved caretaker for the preschool children of Harrisburg Meeting for the past 11 years.

General

- ❖ Be sure to have the children dress appropriately for cool and warm weather, for getting a little dirty in the woods and fields with shoes that are sturdy enough for hiking and walking.
- ❖ In warmer weather, kids are drawn to the stream, so an extra pair of old sneakers and a towel come in handy.
- ❖ Let us know in advance of any special needs.
- ❖ Please complete the form below with age and grade of your child(ren) and return it with your registration. It will greatly help in planning our program.

CHILDREN'S SESSION TIMES:

Session A: Saturday Morning 8:45 am - 11:45 am

Session B: Saturday Afternoon 1:15 pm - 4:15 pm

Session C: Sunday Morning 9:30 am - 11:45 am (We join Meeting for Worship.)

PLEASE SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER, especially if you do not have young children, to give those parents a much appreciated respite. We will have an awesome time together!

To volunteer, contact Jeanne Elberfeld- jelberfeld@gmail.com

4 people for each slot below – two for Pre-School and two for Elementary.

Sadsbury/Schuylkill Saturday 8:45-10:15 (1-1/2 hours)

Chambersburg/Exeter Saturday 10:15-12:00 (1-3/4 hours)

Harrisburg Saturday 1:15-3:00 (1-3/4 hours)

Reading Saturday 3:00-4:30 (1-1/2 hours)

Downingtown Sunday 9:30-11:00 (1-1/2 hours)

Lancaster Sunday 11:00-12:00 (1 hour)

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM REGISTRATION

Name and Age of Child(ren): _____

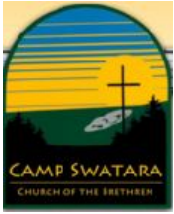
Meeting: _____ Parent Name(s): _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Expect to need childcare: Saturday Morning _____

Saturday Afternoon _____

Sunday Morning _____



Caln Quarterly Meeting Family Weekend at
Camp Swatara
May 3-May 5, 2019

Camp Swatara
does not permit
smoking



Middle School Friends (grades 6-8) and Young Friends (grades 9-12)

DESCRIPTION: The Camp Swatara Middle School and Young Friends programs are open to youth from the whole Yearly Meeting. Camp Swatara is a rustic camp on 600 acres of wooded hillside at the base of the Appalachian Trail. This gathering is part of the Caln Quarterly Meeting family weekend in which PYM Middle School Friends and Young Friends have their own cabins and programs. The two programs are separate most of the weekend, though they spend some time together and many elements of the programs are similar. Both programs will open with group games and get to know you activities on Friday night. Both programs will have space for workshops, worship sharing, and plenty of fun with friends throughout the weekend. Everyone will have the opportunity to hike the rock pile and part of the Appalachian Trail (though there will be an alternate activity for those who do not want to hike). MSF and YF participants will also join the intergenerational talent show on Saturday night. On Sunday morning both MSF and YF programs will join together for a bridging ceremony, in which current 8th graders will be welcomed into the PYM Young Friends program and 12th graders will be welcomed by Young Adult Friends.

EXPECTATIONS: All MSFs and YFs who register for this gathering are expected to participate in the set program. We encourage participants to find ways to attend the entire gathering, as building a real community is much more possible when everyone is there the whole time. Parents should inform the PYM Youth Engagement Coordinator on the registration form (in addition to emailing separately if desired) if for some reason their child will not be participating in any part of the program. Young people should expect to be supervised at all times. Further guidelines for each program will be explained Friday night.

REGISTRATION & COST: Young Friends and Middle School Friends register online at <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=DTU4U4>. You MUST register by April 19th. If you have missed the deadline, contact the Program Coordinator to get on a waitlist in case of cancellations. NO WALK-INS PERMITTED. Register for the early bird rate of \$120 by March 31! On April 1st the cost becomes \$135. Full and partial financial aid is available for Middle School Friends and Young Friends via the online registration.

TRANSPORTATION: We strongly encourage everyone to arrive on Friday night. A carpool list and more detailed information about the event will go out to all youth registrants by email about 10 days before the gathering. If parents are driving and have room for other riders it would be an act of kindness for you to call other YFs and MSFs from the carpool list and invite them to ride with you!

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE: Arrive between 6 and 7 PM on Friday night. The program will begin at 7:30. Eat dinner before you come – We'll have snacks later, but no dinner will be served. The gathering ends after lunch at 1:00 PM on Sunday.

PACKING & ACCOMMODATIONS: Camp Swatara provides bunk beds with foam mattresses in uninsulated (read: cold at night) cabins, so bring a warm sleeping bag or sheets and warm blankets plus a pillow. Cabins are divided by gender. If a program participant in Young Friends needs a non-gendered cabin, contact Kody Hersh, YoungFriends@pym.org to make that request. A Friendly Adult Presence (chaperone) will be present in each cabin and a staff person will stay up to ensure sleep. There is a men's and women's bathhouse (no gender neutral, email your Program Facilitator if this is a concern) with showers near the YF and MSF cabins, so bring a towel and your regular toiletries, plus a flashlight for any necessary night trips to the bathhouse. Bring pajamas in which you will be comfortable being seen and others will be comfortable seeing you. Don't forget a daypack, sturdy shoes and water bottle for the hike! Rain gear and musical instruments are also encouraged. Additionally, if you haven't been to a Young Friends or Middle School Friends event yet this academic year (or ever), you'll need to bring forms with you – both Programs require a medical form and the Young Friends Program additionally requires the Guidelines Affirmation Form. These forms are available at www.pym.org/young-friends/events/young-friends-forms/

CONTACT: Melinda Wenner Bradley, PYM Youth Engagement Coordinator at mwennerbradley@pym.org, 215-241-7171. For emergencies or cancellations during the weekend, try emailing staff, calling the Camp Swatara landline at 717-933-8510, or the on site Program number at 215-702-4796.

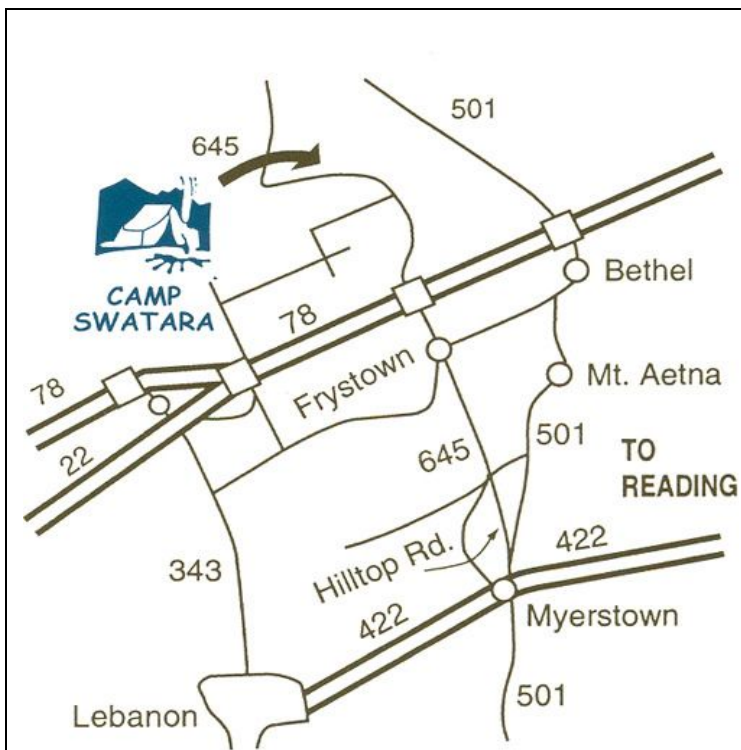
Visit the www.pym.org/young-friends and www.pym.org/middle-school-friends for more info about these programs and events!

Caln Quarterly Meeting

Camp Swatara Planning Committee
c/o Jim Lamborn
876 Freemansville Road
Reading, PA
19607

Caln Quarter Family Weekend at Camp Swatara May 3 - May 5, 2019

Please Register by April 19, 2019



CAMP SWATARA

Located at the foot of beautiful Blue Mountain in northwestern Berks County, Pennsylvania, Camp Swatara is owned and operated by the Atlantic Northeast District Church of the Brethren and is a member of the Outdoor Ministries Association of the Church of the Brethren.

<http://www.campswatara.org>

For GPS MAPPING FROM YOUR LOCATION USE:

2905 Camp Swatara Road
Bethel Township, PA 19507-9554