Cancellation Policy

With 60-day notice: 100% refund of camp fee

59-30 days notice: 50% refund of camp fee

29-0 days notice: no refund of camp fee

Please contact the Camp Office for cancellations! Cancellations due to emergencies will be given consideration.

Transportation

Transportation is the responsibility of parents and church groups. Please consider sharing rides. There is also the opportunity for campers to ride Amtrak to the Washington, MO station. This train line runs from Kansas City, Mo to St. Louis. Please contact the camp office for more details.



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Camp MoVal

2019 Outdoor Ministry Programs





Greetings from The Director

Welcome to the 2019 camping season! We are excited to offer you another great program this year as we explore the theme: Peace Works, Embracing the Next Generation of Peacemakers. As part of our outdoor ministry programs, campers and participants will explore the outdoors, be part of a safe and caring environment that enables campers to deepen the faith experience and allows them to see their faith through a unique camp experience.



Along with our faith based curriculum, campers will rekindle old friendships and make new ones, grow themselves personally in the many activities of camp and explore the wonderous outdoors! Thank you for choosing MoVal.

We look forward to serving you! - Jeremy Force



Program Goals

- Assist each camper in their own spiritual growth and development.
- Help each camper appreciate their natural surroundings, conserve, and protect the environment.
- Provide experience for each camper to set goals and challenge themselves while discovering new skills and abilities.
- Provide opportunities for each camper to live and participate in group living and be part of a healthy, active community.

Registering For Camp Programs

Please complete the enclosed **REGISTRATION Form**, and mail to:

Registrar—Camp MoVal 2659 Camp MoVal Road Union, Mo 63084

You will receive a **Camper Packet** and **HEALTH FORMS**. If you have any questions, please contact the Camp MoVal Office at:

(636) 583-2730 or by email: moval@mmsucc.org.

You may also register online at www.campmoval.org

Note: Grades listed for age-group Camps refer to grades entering in the Fall of 2019.

Camp Fees and Financial Assistance

Our best camper fees are for registrations in our office before April 1, 2019. All registrations in our office prior to **April 1, 2019 are eligible for a \$50 discount for week long camps.** Registration must be paid in full to receive ANY discount. Financial assistance is available. Many UCC churches have special funds to help campers, so please check with your local church. Assistance is also available through our "Campership Fund". Please request a form from our Director of Outdoor Ministries. All camp fees must be paid in full prior to the start of the camp event. [Camp t-shirts and photo are included in camp fees. One t-shirt per year.]

There is also a discount for families sending more than one camper to camp from their family and for campers that participate in more than one week of camp. After the first paid registration, each subsequent registration is discounted by \$25, up to a total of \$100 for four



additional campers. Registration for campers who return after their first week are discounted by \$75 for each additional week of camp.

Family & Adult Camps

Children Camps

Family Camp

May 24-27

\$165 per person

For families of all shapes and sizes! Kick off the summer with a long weekend of recreation, relaxation, and renewal. Families can spend time on the lake, in the woods, at the pool, around the campfire and in worship. A flexible schedule and relaxed pace allow for a wide range of interests and activities: fishing, canoeing, pedal boating, hiking, crafts, and more. Children 3 years and under are free. Camp starts on Friday at 4pm and concludes on Monday at 11am.

That All May Be One Camp June 30-July 6

\$435/\$485

This is a brand new camp opportunity for everyone to come to camp together. This will be a camp that includes all of the traditional camp activities with a new inclusive program where anyone can attend from kids to families and adults too. There will be programming for all



ages, including counselors to supervise campers under 18. We are partnering with the Disciples of Christ for this program. Camp starts on Sunday at 4pm and ends Saturday at 9am.

Adventures in Community June 2-7

\$435/\$485

These camps are designed for adults (ages 18+) with special needs, who are active, and fairly high functioning. Most have some form of developmental disability. Campers participate in most traditional camp activities including swimming, canoeing, crafts, fishing, games, karaoke, and more, as well as exploring our faith. Camp starts at 4pm on Sunday and end Friday at 9am.

Grandparent Camp

July 26-29

\$165 per person

This camp is a chance to reconnect with camp and your family . You and your grandchild will have the opportunity to have a glimpse of what all camp has to offer set in a long weekend format. For grandparents of all ages. Children 4-12 years old.

Beginner's Camp

June 9-12 Grades 1-3

\$245

Small group size and fewer nights away make this camp an ideal early camping experience. This camp is designed for first time campers.

Beginner's Camp begins Sunday afternoon at 4pm and ends Wednesday morning at 9am.

Lower Junior Camp

June 12-15

Grades 2-4 \$245

Small group size and fewer nights away make this camp an ideal early camping experience. This camp is designed for the new and younger camper who is not quite ready to be gone a full week. Lower Junior Camp begins Wednesday afternoon at 4pm and ends Saturday morning at 9am.



Upper Junior Camp

June 23-29

Grades 4-6

\$435/\$485

This week-long camp is for those campers ready for a full camp experience. With more time, exploring the rich environment of MoVal becomes an important part of the experience. This camp begins Sunday afternoon at 4pm and ends Saturday at 9am.

Junior Outback Camp

July 7-13

Grades 4-6

\$435/\$485

Nights under the stars, meals cooked over a fire, and long hikes are all part of this rustic adventure. Campers participate in some traditional camp activities but live in the Rustic Village and spend much of their time 'outback' in the less developed areas of camp, including an overnight campout experience. Camp begins Sunday at 4pm and ends Saturday at 9am.

Middle School Camps

High School Camps

Middle School Outback Camp

June 16-22 Grades 7-9 \$445/\$495

Canoeing at Shannondale Community Center, camping out, cooking over a fire, learning outdoor skills, and much more is part of this camp experience. Campers will start and finish their time at MoVal but also have the opportunity to explore different parts of Missouri. Camp begins on Sunday at 4pm and ends Saturday morning at 9am.



Middle School Camp

July 14-20 Grades 7-9 \$445/\$495

Middle school campers enjoy the full range of camp activities—only taken up another notch. Opportunity for making deeper connections between faith and action, faith and relationship, faith and Creation, and faith and personal behavior provide challenging experiences for campers and leaders. As part of our core camping program, campers will get to spend an evening cooking in nature. Camp begins on Sunday at 4pm and ends Saturday morning at 9am.

For more detailed camp information and other summer camp opportunities, please visit our website at www.campmoval.org

CIT Training

June 2-8 Grades 11-12+

\$250

Designed for young people interested in serving as camp counselors in the future and for those who just want to develop leadership potential in life. Participants focus on skills that will help them to be positive Christian leaders, create a safe, fun environment, teach basic life skills and how to manage campers and children in appropriate ways. Camp begins on Sunday at 4pm and ends Saturday at 9am.

High School Outback Camp

June 9-15 Grades 10-12+

\$445/\$495

Kayaking at Shannondale Community Center, camping out, cooking over a fire, learning outdoor skills, and much more is part of this camp experience. Campers will start and finish their time at MoVal while also exploring the natural world and living in harmony with it. Camp begins on Sunday at 4pm and ends Saturday at 9am.

High School Camp

July 7-13 Grades 10-12+

\$445/\$495

Join us along the lakeshore at MoVal as we seek to find God in our everyday life. This is a great time to renew old friendships and develop new ones, to experience the Spirit's presence in the natural world, to grow closer to God and one another, and to examine the challenges in our lives. As part of our camping program campers will get to spend an evening cooking and camping out. Camp begins on Sunday at 4pm and concludes on Saturday at 9am.

Young Adult Camp

January 3-5, 2020

Ages 18-25

\$90

College and young adult years are a time of great growth and exploration for young persons. This is a time in a young person's life when they complete the formation of who they become. Please come and join us for this retreat and relax and reconnect with others and your faith. Participants set the schedule and participate in the activities they choose.