



Bulletin Blips

Help us spread the word about the summer camp offerings to the folks in your congregation by placing these “Bulletin Blips” in your church bulletin. Feel free to make changes in the order or which dates these messages appear. Need the text in a digital format? Visit www.CampHanover.org/resources/ and click on the “Resources for Congregations” tab. If you prefer, you can email info@CampHanover.org and we’ll be happy to send it to you. Thanks!

FEBRUARY 25

Camp Hanover Summer Camp Registration is Open!

Camp Hanover, our Presbytery’s camp, is currently accepting registrations for Summer 2018 for youth in grades 1-12. You can visit their website at www.CampHanover.org to view offerings for each age group and learn more about the program. If you have any questions, please email Camp Hanover at info@CampHanover.org or call **(804) 779-2811**.

MARCH 4

Summer Jobs at Camp Hanover

Do you know a college-age person who is good with kids, who is looking for a fun summer experience, and who is in need of a summer job? Our Presbytery’s camp, Camp Hanover, is always looking for people to be summer camp counselors, lifeguards, or support staff. We are hiring for both our residential and traveling day camp programs. Our staff help make the summer camp a success, and make a lasting impact on the life of a child. Please direct them to www.CampHanover.org where they can complete an employment application or have them email work@CampHanover.org or call **(804) 779-2811** for more information.

MARCH 11

Camp Hanover Offers On - Site Day Camp

In addition to their overnight and traveling day camp programs, Camp Hanover is now hosting on site day camp at their site in Mechanicsville. Open to children entering grades 1-6 in September 2018. The program runs from 9:00 am – 4:30 pm daily, with early drop off and later pickup available. For more information, visit www.CampHanover.org, or call the camp office at **804-779-2811**.

MARCH 18

Leadership Development for rising 11th & 12th Graders

Camp Hanover offers a leadership development program at summer camp known as “Pathfinders” for rising 11th and 12th grade youth, as well summer camp staff roles for students graduating from high school in May. Camp Hanover is the outdoor ministry of the Presbytery of the James, of which our church is a member. For more info about the Pathfinders program or to apply for a summer staff position, call **(804) 779-2811** or email info@camphanover.org.

MARCH 25

Camp Hanover Fun Day April 22

If you have never been to Camp Hanover (our Presbytery’s camp) before, you should mark Sunday, April 22nd on your calendar and make a point to attend Camp Hanover’s Camp Fun Day. Bring the whole family (and friends!) to this free event and sample some campfire cooking, enjoy a hayride, get your face painted, take a walk in the woods, and play some classic camp games. The free event takes place from 2pm to 6pm, rain or shine. For more information visit www.CampHanover.org or call **(804) 779-2811**.



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APRIL 1

Quench Your Thirst for Adventure at Camp Hanover

Camp Hanover, our Presbytery's Camp, is offering three 2-week Adventure Camps this summer for senior high campers. Whether you're interested in Whitewater rafting, canoeing, or rock climbing and caving, Camp Hanover has a program for you. For more information, call Camp Hanover at **(804) 779-2811** or email info@CampHanover.org. You can register for camp online at www.CampHanover.org.

APRIL 8

Camp Hanover's Hoofbeats program – for horse lovers!

Want to know what it would be like to get to know, care for, and ride a horse? Here's your chance! Spend each morning at a nearby stable with certified riding instructors as your teachers. In the afternoons, you'll participate in traditional camp activities as you build a caring Christian community with other campers in your group. Previous riding experience is not required. For more information, or to register, visit the camp website at www.CampHanover.org or contact the camp office at **(804) 779-2811**.

APRIL 15

Camp Hanover Fun Day is Next Sunday

Camp Hanover, our Presbytery's Camp, is hosting a Camp Fun Day next Sunday, April 23rd from 2pm to 6pm, rain or shine. Bring the whole family (and friends!) to this free event and sample some campfire cooking, enjoy a hayride, get your face painted, take a walk in the woods, and play some classic camp games. Open House is a great time learn about Camp Hanover's summer camp opportunities for youth ages 7-17, or to just have fun! For more info, visit www.CampHanover.org or call **(804) 779-2811**.

APRIL 22

Camp Hanover's Camp Fun Day is Today

The Camp Hanover Camp Fun Day is today from 2pm to 6pm, rain or shine. Bring the whole family (and friends!) to this free event and sample some campfire cooking, enjoy a hayride, get your face painted, take a walk in the woods, and play some classic camp games. Camp Hanover is the outdoor ministry of the Presbytery of the James, of which our church is a member. For more info, visit www.CampHanover.org or call **(804) 779-2811**.

APRIL 29

Work Hard, Play Harder!

Camp Hanover has an opportunity for high schoolers with a heart for service. **Mission Possible** campers will live at camp, but venture into the city of Richmond for various mission projects. There will still be time for favorite camp activities on site. For more information, or to register for either event, visit the camp website at www.CampHanover.org or contact the camp office at **(804) 779-2811**.

MAY 6

M.A.D Camp – New Offering

Camp Hanover is offering a Music, Arts, and Drama (MAD) camp this summer. Participants will spend time expressing themselves in a variety, with an eye on planning and preparing a performance they'll put on for the rest of camp at the end of their session. Campers will still have plenty of time for favorite camp activities like hanging out at the lake or on the high ropes course! Develop friendships, dig deeply into your faith and learn more about serving others. For more info, visit www.CampHanover.org or call **(804) 779-2811**.

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MAY 13

Camp Hanover's Counselor-In-Training Program

Pathfinders CIT is a three-week program that is open to campers who have successfully completed the Pathfinders: Leaders In Training program. Pathfinders CIT further develops leadership skills in the context of serving as a summer camp staff member. Participants will spend two weeks training, then the third week CIT's will serve as a third counselor with a camper group, having an opportunity to display their new skills. For more information, or to register, visit the camp website at www.CampHanover.org or contact the camp office at **(804) 779-2811**.

MAY 20

Farm and Garden Camp – New Camp Hanover Program

Camp Hanover, our Presbytery's camp, is offering a Farm and Garden program. Participants will spend time in Camp Hanover's garden and animal area as you learn about growing produce and plants, making compost, caring for chickens and goats, and more. When you're not getting your hands dirty, you can try your favorite camp activities like swimming, archery, and hiking. For more information visit www.CampHanover.org or call **(804) 779-2811**.

May 27

It's Not Too Late to Sign Up for Summer Camp

Have you made your summer camp plans yet? Our Presbytery's camp, Camp Hanover, has a few spots available for youth entering grades 2 - 12 in several of this summer's camps. Visit www.CampHanover.org to sign your child up for camp today! For more info about Camp Hanover, call **(804) 779-2811** or email info@CampHanover.org.

JUNE 3

Christian Community in a Place Apart

Experience Christian community at Camp Hanover and make this a summer that you will never forget! Camp Hanover is our Presbytery's camp, and offers programs for children and youth entering grades 2 through 12. Whether you are a first-time camper or an old pro, there is something for everyone (even for moms, dads and grandparents!) Register online at www.CampHanover.org. Call **(804) 779-2811** or email info@CampHanover.org.

JUNE 10

Camp Hanover Thanks You!

Camp Hanover would like to thank the churches of the Presbytery for your incredible support of summer camp ministry. In 2016, almost 700 campers attended camp and we are looking forward to an even bigger program this year. If you haven't registered yet, call **(804) 779-2811** or visit www.CampHanover.org and sign up for today!

JUNE 17

Please Pray for our Campers and Camp Staff

Today begins the summer camping season at Camp Hanover. Please pray for all of the campers and staff who will be touched by God's grace this summer. If you're coming to camp today, we'll see you this afternoon!

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