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CHILDREN'S SESSIONS

Children's Sessions are the heart of the A.R.E. Camp. Throughout the summer we host two two-week sessions specially designed to give children an opportunity to laugh, sing, and play together; to explore talents, interests, and abilities; to challenge self-imposed limitations and expand self-awareness; and to develop a closer relationship with God through nature.

Through everyday activities, such as hiking, swimming, arts and crafts, music, drama, and sports and games, staff members and campers create a positive environment based on cooperation and loving acceptance. Emphasis is on the campers' creativity, imagination, and well-being through activities that bring about a balance of body, mind, and spirit.

One of the unique aspects of A.R.E. Camp is a sensitivity to children's spiritual lives. Through dream exploration, prayer, meditation, and just being quiet together, children are supported and nurtured in their spiritual journey.

Staff members are encouraged to see that their own thoughts and actions are well grounded in spiritual truth and that they teach primarily through example and the role model they present. Counselors are encouraged to view children as mature souls and to use love, reason, prayer, and emphasis on the positive as the backbone of their approach. The powerful effects of living simply and close to nature's beauty are vehicles to aid the staff in their goal of awakening the campers to their deeper selves and to the reality of a loving way to live.

Cabin spaces are limited, so please be sure to register early.

Children's Session One: July 11 to July 24

Children's Session Two: Aug. 1 to Aug. 14



CAYCE FELLOWS

Ages 17-20+
July 11 to July 24

Join us for this dynamic program that forms a community by combining study of the Cayce readings and spiritual growth with a fun, healthy lifestyle. Every day we will consider at least one Cayce reading in its entirety. We will be staying in the Big House, which is ideally situated to let us hike on the scenic Appalachian Trail, to venture up the mountain for rock climbing, or to canoe or kayak at Hungry Mother State Park. No familiarity with the Edgar Cayce readings is needed. Just bring an inquisitive spirit and plenty of enthusiasm!

WILDERNESS WEEK

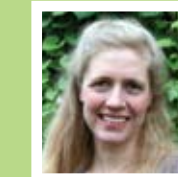
**A Weeklong Hike on
the Appalachian Trail**

July 25 to July 31 OR Aug. 15 to Aug. 21

A.R.E. Camp offers two chances to experience a week spent entirely in nature—sleeping out under the stars, cooking your own food, and seeing vast plant life and Appalachian Mountain wildlife.

If your child is between the ages of 12 and 16, this week is available to him or her. Every teenager should experience a weeklong hike at least once. A past camper, 15 years old, states that a weeklong hike was transformational for her in the areas of confidence building and self-respect as well as in her relations with peers. This is true for all who embark on this journey.

Each hike is guided by staff experienced in wilderness outings and is individually tailored to meet the needs and experience level of the participants. Campers will have the chance to meet both physical and mental challenges, learn wilderness skills, and explore the spectacular Blue Ridge Mountains.



FAMILY CAMP ONE Finding Forgiveness

With Elizabeth (Oelhaf) Frishkoff

July 4 - July 10

Join us this week on a journey from fear to forgiveness. Taking inspiration from individuals and communities who, when faced with tragedy, chose love and forgiveness, we utilize group discussions, integrative workshops, and, of course, fun and laughter. Each day we will examine a different mode of consciousness, thus transforming ourselves: fear, hope, love, forgiveness, blessings.



FAMILY CAMP TWO 2012: Creating Heaven on Earth

With Kimmie Rose Zapf

July 25 - July 31

There is much speculation about the coming years—from the Mayan calendar 2012 prophecies to the "Age of Aquarius." Edgar Cayce said that we are nearing a time when the level of consciousness and relationship with the Creative Forces will allow us once again to live at higher levels of material, mental, and spiritual activity in the Earth and beyond.

Your guide for this week is nationally renowned psychic and radio host Kimmie Rose Zapf.



FAMILY CAMP THREE Communication for Cooperation: Partnering, Parenting, and Play

With Mary Clark and Alain Hunkins

Aug. 15 - Aug. 21

Effective communication is an essential building block to developing cooperation. Just as children develop through play, this highly interactive and experiential workshop will have you laughing and learning at the same time. Through experiential (hands-on) activities, you will engage your head, hands, and heart to improve communication and be given feedback on the spot.

This session provides you with tools to make your family life fantastic, fruitful, and fun. Helping to build cooperation at home and in your community.



**COME
CELEBRATE
WITH US!**



**A.R.E. CAMP IS
50 YEARS OLD!**

If you have never been to A.R.E. Camp—this is the perfect time to come see why people have been returning for 50 years. If you were a camper or a staff member and haven't been back in a while—now is the perfect time to return and see your old friends. And if you now have kids of your own—give your kids the gift of A.R.E. Camp.

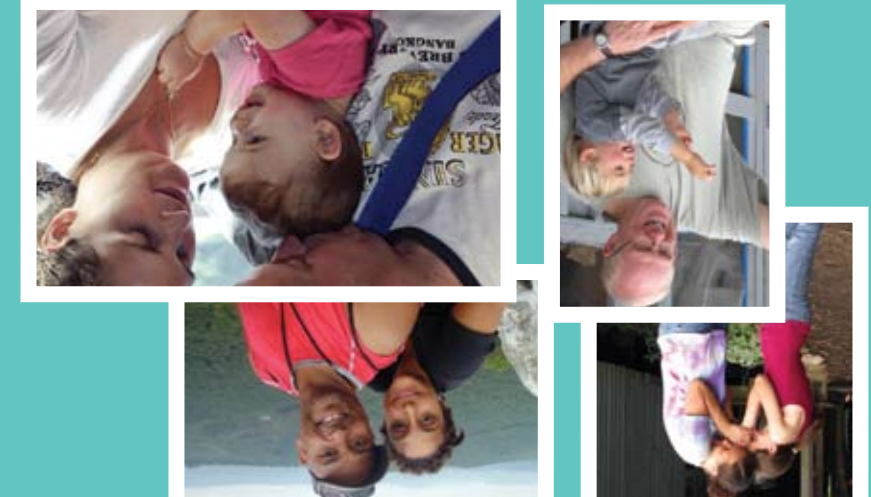
**THIS SUMMER IS THE TIME
TO COME TO A.R.E. CAMP!**

All sessions will recognize Camp's 50 years and Third Family Camp will be a weeklong reunion!

We are celebrating our 50th anniversary with a celebration party at the end of Third Family Camp—Friday, August 20. All are welcome.



See more information in this pamphlet or online at EdgarCayce.org/summercamp



A.R.E. CAMP FAMILY RETREATS

A.R.E. Camp Family Retreats are the perfect opportunity to bond with your family and give each family member time to themselves and their friends. All the while you are experiencing a Cayce centered lifestyle.

At Family Camp we provide a balanced program for all ages to enjoy; for adults, a popular resource person will lead workshops on the topic for the week; for children, a wide variety of counselor-led activities give kids a taste of what Children's Camp is like. Most important, the session is about families spending time together.

A.R.E. Camp provides a unique setting where families can play games, sing, hike, and enjoy a campfire together—they can pray and meditate together, too.

During the mornings, children are grouped by age to attend counselor-led activities, while grown-ups meet with the resource person to discuss a relevant and interesting topic related to material from the Edgar Cayce readings. All other activities are designed for the whole family to attend together.

PARENTS: Family Camp can provide a positive experience for a young or first-time camper. If your child is not yet comfortable with attending a two-week Children's Camp, he or she might truly enjoy coming for a shorter time period. After experiencing Family Camp, kids usually want to come back for more!

"... everyone I hung out with were wonderful, fun, outgoing people who shared a lot of the same interests as me. The counselors and activities made it rock, too." Children's camper

* Please see program descriptions in foldout.

ADULT RETREAT

Edgar Cayce on
Transformational Healing

With Henry and Janis Reed
June 25 - June 30



Every year at A.R.E. Camp's Adult Retreat participants are offered the chance to envelop themselves in the natural beauty of a remote valley tucked away in the Blue Ridge Mountains and experience a spiritual community based on the concepts in the Edgar Cayce readings. Each morning a resource person leads workshops on the topic for the week, and each afternoon participants can either relax in the beauty of the Camp setting or take part in activities, such as walks in the woods or hikes up the mountain; crafts, such as tie dye or journal-making; or discussion on the topic for the week. Evening activities, such as campfires, a talent show/coffee house, or vespers, highlight the week.



DANCING THE PATH Energy and Your Spirit:

A Retreat for Young Adults

With Denise Furguson and Ellen Selover
June 30 - July 3

A five-day workshop for people ages 18 to 30ish. Our program allows participants to explore community living, meditation, ideals, and service. At this time in our lives we find ourselves searching for our life paths, and "Dancing the Path" offers the opportunity for us to develop the skills and wisdom to find that path.

CONSTRUCTION CAMP

June 4 - June 19

Each year we open the Camp for the summer season with a fun-filled, two-week session when volunteers can come for FREE in exchange for some work. During this session we welcome participants of all skill levels to help clean up the buildings, make minor repairs, and get our summer off to a good start with their love and elbow grease. If you should happen to have carpentry or construction skills, we almost always have a project underway that needs your help! Come and giggle the day away with like-minded friends while really being of service to A.R.E. Camp!

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1 CABINS

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2 TO THE POND

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9 DINING HALL

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5 DANCE HALL

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8 ORGANIC GARDEN

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6 Up the Mountain: WHITE ROCK



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3 MEDITATION GROVE



4 CRAFT HALL



5 DANCE HALL



7 SPORTS AND GAMES

A.R.E. CAMP

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1 Cabins A.R.E. Camp has 10 cabins for campers. During Children's Sessions there are 5 for boys and 5 for girls, and during Family and Adult Weeks campers can choose to stay in a cabin or bring their own tent or camper. Each cabin sleeps up to 8 people.

2 Pond A.R.E. Camp's pond is a short hike off Camp grounds. Several times a week campers are offered the opportunity to swim, play, and relax. During Children's Sessions swimming activities are supervised by a certified lifeguard, and a proper staff to camper ratio is maintained.

3 Meditation Grove A quiet circle of benches surrounding a fire circle awaits under a canopy of trees for people to come to pray, meditate, or just to listen to the nature around them . . . or for the joyful sounds of voices sharing songs and stories around a crackling campfire!

4 Craft Hall Our Craft Hall allows artistic creativity to unfold; from dream catchers and drawing to tie dye and candlemaking, campers have abundant opportunity to allow their creativity to flow!

5 Dance Hall While our dance hall houses our square dances and the Saturday night social, it also gives campers a chance to try on their theatrical hats—with talent shows and theatre games to quieter nights of music and story sharing. If you play a musical instrument or are learning one—bring it with you!

6 White Rock and Hiking A.R.E. Camp is surrounded on three sides by Jefferson National State Forest—and only one mile from the Appalachian Trail. This provides our campers with plenty of opportunity to explore the forest. On a peak that rises above the Camp's valley lies White Rock Mountain—a popular day hike and overnight camping trip spot that is enjoyed by one and all.

7 Sports and Games A.R.E. Camp has both a soccer field and a volleyball court. Other games include Capture The Flag, Ultimate Frisbee, Frisbee Golf, and many more! During Family Camps we often host an old-fashioned family field day, where families compete with each other for fun.

8 Organic Garden Fresh lettuce, basil, peas, broccoli, squash, tomatoes, peppers, and cucumbers—every year A.R.E. Camp's organic garden supplies our cooks with goodies for our salad and vegetable selections. Campers often spend their dream group time in the garden or choose to spend their activity period helping our gardener weed, mulch, or harvest the garden!

9 Dining Hall Campers and staff join together for breakfast, lunch, and dinner at our newly expanded dining hall! Meals are lovingly prepared from scratch; include a variety of vegetarian, vegan, and meat options; and are a balance between Cayce's dietary recommendations and contemporary tastes.

2010 A.R.E. CAMP Registration Form

Register by April 15 for Early Bird Discount!** A.R.E. Member ID#

Name _____
 For Children's Sessions:
 Parent/Guardian/Sponsor _____
 Address _____
 City, State, Zip _____
 E-mail _____ Phone _____ Cell _____
 Attendee Name: _____ Age: _____ Gender: _____
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CHILDREN'S CAMPS (ages 10-16)

Children's Camp One July 11-24 Member Price: ___ @ \$640 ea. = \$ _____
 Nonmember Price: ___ @ \$695 ea. = \$ _____

Children's Camp Two August 1-14 Member Price: ___ @ \$640 ea. = \$ _____
 Nonmember Price: ___ @ \$695 ea. = \$ _____

WILDERNESS HIKES (ages 12-16)

Children's Hike One July 25-31 Member Price: ___ @ \$330 ea. = \$ _____
 Nonmember Price: ___ @ \$385 ea. = \$ _____

Children's Hike Two August 15-21 Member Price: ___ @ \$330 ea. = \$ _____
 Nonmember Price: ___ @ \$385 ea. = \$ _____

OLDER TEENS

Cayce Fellows at the Big House July 11-24 Member Price: ___ @ \$640 ea. = \$ _____
 Nonmember Price: ___ @ \$695 ea. = \$ _____

FAMILY CAMPS

Family Camp One Finding Forgiveness July 4-10
 Family Camp Two 2012: Creating Heaven on Earth July 25-31
 Family Camp Three Communication for Cooperation August 15-21

Would you prefer to stay in a Cabin Your Own Camper Your Own Tent

Member Price Adults: ___ @ \$365 ea. = \$ _____
 Kids 10-17: ___ @ \$310 ea. Kids 1-9: ___ @ \$215 ea. = \$ _____
 Nonmember Price Adults: ___ @ \$420 ea. = \$ _____
 Kids 10-17: ___ @ \$365 ea. Kids 1-9: ___ @ \$270 ea. = \$ _____

ADULT GET-A-WAYS

Construction Camp June 4-19 (Come for all or part) Dates I can help: _____ = \$ **Free!**

Retreat for Young Adults June 30 to July 3 Member Price: ___ @ \$130 ea. = \$ _____
 Nonmember Price: ___ @ \$175 ea. = \$ _____

Adult Retreat June 25-30 Member Price: ___ @ \$295 ea. = \$ _____
 Nonmember Price: ___ @ \$350 ea. = \$ _____

*Roanoke Regional Airport only.
 **Early bird discount: \$25 off per person if paid before April 15, 2010.
 ***For information on tuition discounts, scholarships, and fee explanations, please visit EdgarCayce.org/summercamp.
 Minimum nonrefundable deposit of 25% of full payment. Full payment required two weeks before session starts.

Three Ways to Register!
 Online: EdgarCayce.org/summercamp
 Phone: 800-333-4499
 Mail: Camp Registrar, 215 67th St., Virginia Beach, VA 23451-2061

Tuition Subtotal: = \$ _____
 Stayover Fees: ___ @ \$75 per child = \$ _____
 Airport Pickup One-Way: \$50 per family* = \$ _____
 Airport Pickup Round-Trip: \$90 per family* = \$ _____
 Minus \$25 (per person) Early Bird Discount** = \$ - _____
 Minus Other Discounts*** = \$ - _____
 Total Amount Due = \$ _____
 Contribution to A.R.E. Camp = \$ _____
 Total Enclosed (at least 25% deposit) = \$ - _____
 Remaining Balance = \$ _____
 Thank you! A registration packet will be mailed to you soon!