

ABOUT CAMP DE BENNEVILLE PINES

Camp de Benneville Pines has been a home away from home for generations of UU campers since the 1960's, and now it welcomes you!

Nestled 6,800 feet up in the San Bernardino Mountains, the camp sits surrounded by oaks, ponderosa pines, and cedar trees.

Lodgings are comfortably rustic, with showers and shared bathrooms in each building. Cabin rooms sleep 4 - 6 people on bottom beds and upper bunks.

Delicious meals are prepared and served in Homet lodge, with vegetarian, vegan, and gluten-free options available upon request.

Camp facilities also include an archery range, basketball half-court, volleyball court, playground, and a pool!



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41750 Jenks Lake Road West
Angelus Oaks, CA 92305

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PSWD Summer Youth Camps 2018

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PSWD Elementary Summer Camp
“Where the Wild Things Are”
Sunday, July 8 – Saturday, July 14
Dean: Mira Mickiewicz

This event is for campers completing grades 2nd – 5th.

Welcome to the world of the wild things! This week at Camp de Benneville Pines, we'll dive into the forest, get to know its creatures, and maybe even take on a bit of the wildness ourselves. We'll learn some forest survival skills—like which wild plants we can eat, how to become stealthy and camouflaged, and how to use a bow and arrow. Of course, we'll take part in all of the camp favorites — pool time, art, games, and music—but this week they may well turn into distant ocean explorations, costume-making, magic tricks, and a wild rumpus!

We'll explore our own wildness and passions, building a community where we can each be our own unique, wild self. We'll also explore the “peace of wild things,” taking time to reflect and enjoy the stars, the trees, and the family we build in our *home away from home*. Just like our UU faith, “Where the Wild Things Are” at Camp de Benneville Pines means celebrating our individuality and our community, and the whole web of life of which we are a part.



All of the young wild things are cared for by trained counselors who are guided by Unitarian Universalist principles and work to build a loving and inclusive camp community. The new and rich experiences that kids get at elementary summer camp can be life changing. Don't miss this opportunity for an imaginative adventure in the forest. And don't worry, we'll never go to bed without a delicious dinner!

Cost: \$595

PSWD Junior High Summer Camp
“Camp Common Ground”
Sunday, July 15 – Saturday, July 21
Deans: Kathleen Moscato & Marianne Swift-Gifford

This camp is for campers completing grades 6th – 8th.

Connecting with people is a basic human need. One way of forming this connection is to find common ground. When you find common ground, it is possible to connect. It is easier to have smooth working relationships and to avoid needless conflicts while having greater harmony in your life. No matter how different and unique people are, there is bound to be common ground if you make the effort to look for it.

In this world, finding common ground is necessary in building bridges between us. With common ground comes common understanding. Each day we will explore the common ground in our lives and connect with each other through focusing on how we can make a difference in this world through our Unitarian Universalist principles and values.



Explore all that Camp de Benneville Pines has to offer at Camp “Common Ground.” Come build community by getting out in nature, playing games, dancing, relaxing, swimming, unwinding and creating, while we find common ground with friends old and new.

Early Bird Discount: Save \$75 if registered by May 15, 2018

PSWD Sr. High Summer Camp
“RevolUUtion”

Sunday, July 22 – Saturday, July 28
Youth Deans: Grace Engleman & Elliot Crary
Adult Deans: Sequoia Prindle & Riley Brazell

This camp is for campers completing grades 9th – 12th.

This summer, come join us in a social justice RevolUUtion! Youth will spend a week playing games, laughing with friends, and learning how to make a difference. De Benneville is an open and welcoming community that affords campers the opportunity to make lifelong connections. Its peaceful location in the San Bernardino Mountains makes it the perfect place to meet together in purposeful community.

During camp, youth will have the opportunity to attend workshops such as archery, swimming, hiking, tie-dyeing, and canoeing. They can participate in group events like our annual *Summer Olympics* and *Spirituality Training*.



Revolutions have been integral in creating change throughout history, both good and bad; and Unitarians, Universalists, and UU's have often been at the forefront of that change. Through workshops, activities, and worship, youth will explore how revolutions have affected the past, what they look like today, and how they may be impactful in the future. Today's youth are tomorrow's leaders. At “Camp RevolUUtion” each youth will be empowered to find a cause and get behind it. Every camper will be inspired by ideas and provided support to set real action into motion upon returning from the mountain. We hope every camper will walk away with the desire to make change, a plan for action, and the means to fight for justice. *Come to camp for a revolutionary experience that won't be found anywhere else.*

Now Accepting Wait List Campers

Register at www.uucamp.org

For general information, contact Janet James, Executive Director, director@uucamp.org or call (909) 435-6298.

For information on camp programming, contact Geoff Anderla, Camping Ministries Director, pswdcmd@gmail.com or call (623) 252-5619.

For information on registration, contact Laura Chamberlin, Registrar, registrar@uucamp.org or call (909) 794-1252.

Registration is open!

Sign up now!