

What is this camp like?

A Typical Day at camp goes something like this - breakfast; all-camp play party; adult, youth and children's classes; lunch; free afternoons with options for sightseeing, hiking, woodcarving, clogging, etc.; dinner; all-camp play party; fireside time; adult/youth dance party. Evening quiet time by 11:30 p.m.

ADULT DANCE CLASSES: Dance classes in International, American squares and family contras will be taught each morning under excellent leadership. Dance leaders also instruct the youth dance classes, enabling the youth to more fully participate in the evening dance parties.

CHILDREN'S CLASSES AND CHILD CARE: Children ages 5 to 18 will enjoy mornings of crafts, dance and games. Children under 5 also participate in various activities during the morning, in a day care environment. Staff is also on hand to monitor children during the evening dance party, once they have been put to bed.

General Information

WHAT TO BRING: Musical instruments, warm clothes, cooler cottons for dancing, comfortable shoes, alarm clocks and **TOWELS. NO PETS PLEASE.**

ACCOMMODATIONS: The rooms are carpeted, spacious, have two double beds each, closets, dressers, and a full private bath. All bed linens, blankets, and pillows are provided. **BRING YOUR OWN TOWELS!**



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**Celebrating 42 Years
of Family Dance Camp!**

**A WEEKEND OF
FAMILY FOLK DANCING
RECREATION
& FELLOWSHIP WITH
THE BANNERMAN FAMILY
November 25-28
2011**



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From the Creators of Family Camp



Our favorite time of the year is Thanksgiving for two reasons - our family dance camp is the fulfillment of a dream we had when our family was young and we wanted to spend more quality time together, and because it is such a joy to see all ages playing and dancing together. The participants come together from vastly different life styles and ages but are quickly melded together into one big family with no barriers. We dance, sing and play and leave renewed, ready to face whatever lies ahead. Won't you come join us? *Glenn & Evelyn Bannerman*

Dance Leadership

Jerry & Kathy Helt

Jerry and Kathy Helt are masters in the art of calling and leading American squares and contras. Jerry has been on the staff at many Dance Camps throughout the US. Kathy is his invaluable sidekick, troubleshooting from the floor. We are honored to have them as part of our team.



Diane Silver

Diane Silver, from Asheville, NC, has been a contra dancer, swing dancer and kitchen flat-footer for over 15 years. She loves sharing high-energy dancing that allows everyone to "play" with the band. Diane is highly acclaimed for her clear, efficient teaching and calling, great positive energy, and spirit of community building. An outdoor educator in her professional life, Diane has logged literally hundreds of hours working with kids. She has served on staff for several years at the Cumberland Dance Week family camp in Kentucky. Dancers of all ages and experience are sure to enjoy a euphoric evening of dance in a friendly, welcoming tone. Diane's motto says it all: "I can't believe this much fun is legal!"



REGISTRATION AND FEES - Registration will begin at 2 p.m. on Thursday. A traditional Thanksgiving dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. Camp will conclude Sunday about 10:30 am.

A **\$50.00 deposit** is required **per person** registering.

ROOMS - All rooms are \$ 195.00 for the weekend, regardless of the number of occupants.

MEALS - Resident participants

Adults (13 and up) \$ 93.00

Children (3 thru 12) \$ 53.00

Children (0 thru 2) \$ 0.00

MEALS - Non-resident participants

Adults (13 and up) \$ 77.00

Children (3 thru 12) \$ 47.00

Children (0 thru 2) \$ 0.00

PROGRAM FEES - All participants

Adults (13 and up) \$ 125.00

Children (6 thru 12) \$ 90.00

Children (0 thru 5) \$ 65.00

PLEASE NOTE: Meals and program fees are listed **PER PERSON FOR THE ENTIRE WEEKEND**, not per day.

DAY PARTICIPATION: For those folks who live in the area and prefer not to stay at camp, we have a "non-resident" category. While we encourage local folks to take advantage of this, we also feel it is important that you participate in ALL activities of the camp. Therefore the cost will include full program fees and the following meals: Thanksgiving dinner, lunch and dinner Friday and Saturday.



GENERAL STORE: A limited number of dance books, Cd's, records, tapes, games, as well as hand crafted items will be available at the General Store. These items are sold to benefit the RALPH PAGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND. This scholarship fund is used to provide room and board for folks at camp who might not otherwise be able to attend. Donations to the scholarship fund are most appreciated or, if you wish to sell items in the store, please contact Evelyn **prior to camp**.

PLACES OF INTEREST in or around Asheville: Montreat Conference Center, Downtown Black Mountain, The Biltmore House & Estate, the Folk Art Center, the Blue Ridge Parkway, Mount Mitchell State Park, Pisgah National Forest, Chimney Rock Park & more! For information contact the Black Mountain Chamber of Commerce at (www.exploreblackmountain.com) 828-669-2300 or Asheville Chamber of Commerce (www.exploreasheville.com) at 1-800-257-1300.

COME EARLY OR STAY LATE AT BLUE RIDGE ASSEMBLY

You can do this at the same room rate, but you need to contact Beth at 828-686-0023 on or before 11/11/2010.

No meals are available at the facility before camp.

TRAVEL DIRECTIONS: Blue Ridge Assembly is located 17 miles east of Asheville NC off Interstate 40 at exit 64. The Asheville airport is only 35 miles from the facility, and we can provide transportation to camp if you fly to Asheville.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: Take exit 64 from I-40. At end of ramp turn south on NC#9. (towards Denny's Restaurant). Go through the traffic light and bear right at the split between NC#9 and Blue Ridge Road. Follow Blue Ridge Road one mile to Blue Ridge Assembly Drive on the left. There will be a sign for YMCA Blue Ridge and Family Camp. Follow signs to registration.



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