AUGUST 7, 2022 AREA NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CCCC: Crooked Creek Christian Camp is taking applications for the position of Food Service Manager. The Food Service Manager is responsible for menu planning, cooking delicious food and serving it in attractive ways, managing additional kitchen staff, as well as food ordering and purchasing. Submit application, cover letter, and resume to Heather Bender <u>heather@crookedcreekcamp.org</u>

CCCC is still currently hiring for Program Director and Head of Housekeeping. Visit <u>crookedcreekcamp.org</u> for more information.

Hillcrest: Putt & Pop is a family-friendly event for people of all ages and will be held at the Barn Lott Putt-Putt course on August 27 from 1:00-4:00 PM. This is a first-time event hosted by the Hillcrest Academy Alumni Association as a fundraiser to benefit our scholarship fund. Read more about the event and sign up at <u>hillcrestravens.org/puttandpop</u>.

Hillcrest Academy is in need of Minivan Shuttle and Bus Drivers. We are looking for someone to drive our Washington shuttle route at least two days a week - AM & PM. Our shuttles are essential in providing transportation for students to and from school who wouldn't otherwise have a way there. We are also in need of bus drivers for our athletic teams when they travel to competing schools. Contact Rebecca Beachy Miller at <u>rbeachymiller@hillcrestravens.org</u> with questions or if interested.

MCC School Kit season is right around the corner! MCC is working to fulfill requests for school kits from partner organizations in Jordan, Ukraine, Malawi, Syria, Iraq, and Haiti. Here are some things to keep in mind when making school kits this year:

- Sewn school kit bags may be requested from the MCC Material Resources Center if needed.
- MCC in North Newton has a large supply of pink erasers, so feel free to skip erasers and they'll be added when the kit is checked by volunteers at MCC
- The pencil sharpeners need to be metal, not plastic.
- You can find the directions for school kits at <u>mcc.org</u>, or reach out to Kate at <u>katemast@mcc.org</u> or 316.283.2720 with any questions. Thank you so much for your continued work with these important kits!

MCUSA: Is your church engaged in work that combats poverty, dismantles racism, addresses immigration reform or reimagines policing? If so, Mennonite Church USA would like to invite you to apply for a Justice Fund grant to support this work! Read more about who qualifies and how to apply here: <u>mennoniteusa.org/news/jf-applicants</u>

The Delegate Assembly is over, and decisions have been made. What has changed? What does it mean for my conference, my congregation and me? Mennonite Church USA Executive Board and staff members answer these questions and more in the "Special Session of the Delegate Assembly: What Now?" webinar. Watch the recording here: <u>mennoniteusa.org/webinar-whatnow</u>

Clayton Gladish, pastor of Silverwood Mennonite Church, writes about how the passage of "A Resolution for Repentance and Transformation" can be an opportunity for us to widen the circle. Read his blog here: <u>mennoniteusa.org/widening-circle</u>

Nature has a way of refreshing the soul, and Cheryl Mast has noticed this firsthand with students who have participated in the outdoor education program at Amigo Centre, a Mennonite Camp in Michigan. Read her blog, "The power of nature," to learn more about how Mast has experienced students coming out of their shells while unplugging at camp. <u>mennoniteusa.org/power-nature</u>

Parkview: We are seriously in need of staff, particularly *Nursing staff. RN, LPN and CNA's.* We have really great pay, and sign on bonuses are offered. We can offer 12 week contract work. Full time or Part time is available. *PRN work is not available.* Contact Ron Semler, <u>parkviewwayland@gmail.com</u> or 319-256-2775.