

# Lions Camp Merrick

*Making Memories That Last A Lifetime!*

## Lions Appreciation Picnic



Thanks For All  
You Do!



It was a beautiful day on the Potomac River at Lions Camp Merrick where Lions, camp staff and friends got together for an afternoon of activities, food and fun. The picnic was a way to thank everyone who works so hard and is so supportive of camp thru out the year. We were happy to reveal the improvements to our facility which included: a new Bornack challenge course, climbing wall and zip line funded thru a grant from Charles County and the new floor in the rec hall and the three new cabins with 32 new bed space funded thru a Lions International Grant, club donation, individual donations and the donation of the entire heating and A/C system by Robert Shipley. Thank you ALL for your support!



### Reminders & Updates

## Campers & Lions Coming Together!

This summer we will host over 300 children who will grow and thrive from their experiences at Lions Camp Merrick. Campers cooled off each afternoon in the pool, spent the morning zipping out of trees or canoeing on the river and what fun they had!



Each Wednesday our campers looked forward to dinner with Lions and a discussion about how camp is going, what they like and what they would like to see in the future. We had over 50 Lions visit this year and we thank; Calvert, Carol County, Laytonsville, Leonardtown, Ridge, Silver Hill, Upper Marlboro, Waldorf, Claymont and Appleton 22A for joining us.



### Camp Board Meeting – August 23

At Babes Tavern in Waldorf on route 925, 2890 Old Washington Road. All are welcome to attend!

### Camp Advisory Meeting – Held Quarterly on 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday at The Lions Den in Babes Tavern.

Meeting will be held October, January, April and July at 7:00 PM Club appointed representatives are welcome and encouraged to attend!

### Annual Camp Gala – Friday February 10, 2017

Mark your calendar for a Roaring Good Time! If you would like to be on the planning committee please contact us 301-870-5858.

### Brick Sold To Date

A grand total of 374 bricks have been purchased to date to remember loved ones, friends and family.

### Closing Weekend in November – Date TBA

Your help is appreciated and needed !

### Let Lions Camp Merrick Be Your Guest!

We have Board members, camp staff and campers who would love to come speak at your Club meeting