



YMCA
CAMP SHADY BROOK
RESIDENT CAMP & RETREAT CENTER

School Retreats and Outdoor Environmental Education Programs



For over 60 years, YMCA Camp Shady Brook has been providing exceptional camping experiences for a wide variety of ages. Our school retreats and Outdoor Environmental Education programs provide the perfect opportunity to enable children to learn outside of the classroom in a beautiful mountainous setting.

Our programs engage the campers allowing them to play an active role in their learning experience and can be tailored around a specific focus to meet your curriculum needs. Our fantastic team building challenges and exciting activities can also be integrated to perfectly round up your retreat and bring the whole classroom together!

In addition to providing your programming we also offer healthy delicious balanced meals. Please ask about our plan options. Whatever your needs, we offer day, overnight and multi-day retreats.

Book Now! Please call 719-329-7266 for day group, overnight and multi-day retreat prices or email meddleston@ppymca.org

We can't wait to have you here!



Joanna Stark
Executive
Director



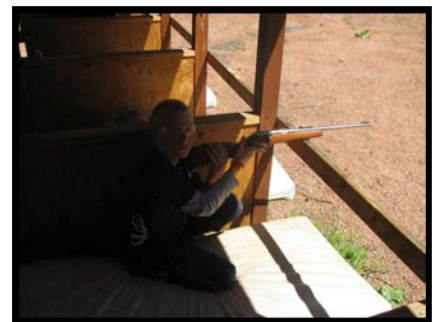
Pat Soldan
Program
Director



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Eddleston**
Conference
& Retreat
Director



- **Riflery***
- **Archery***
- **Funyaks (small kayaks)***
- **Canoeing (recreational or instructive)***
- **Swimming (seasonal)***
- **Arts and Crafts**
- **Climbing Wall***
- **Low Ropes Course***
- **High Ropes Course***
- **Fishing (seasonal catch and release)**
- **Basketball**
- **Volleyball**
- **Ga Ga Ball**
- **Tetherball**
- **Kickball**
- **Frisbee Golf Course**
- **Campfire and s'mores!**



- **Outdoor Environmental Education***
 - **Compass Basics & Course**
 - **Each One Teach One Nature Hike**
 - **Wilderness Living Skills**
 - **Fire Ecology**
 - **Project Wild Curriculum**
 - **... and more!**



***Must be YMCA Staff member led**

Challenge Course Programming

Low Ropes— A diverse, exciting range of fixed low initiatives that require groups to work as a team and communicate effectively to complete a task. Challenges include our Wall, Whale Watch, Nitro Crossing, Giant Skis, Spider Web, The Wild & Woolzy and More!



High Ropes— Challenge yourself on our high elements 20-30 feet in the air. Providing fun and challenging opportunities for leadership and building self-confidence. High elements include our Catwalk, 150 ft Zip Line, Postman's Walk, Giants Ladder and More!



Accommodation and Meeting Facilities

Whether you are a day group or overnight, YMCA Camp Shady Brook can provide you with appropriate and affordable lodging and meeting facilities.

Dining Facilities

- Hearty, nutritious meals served buffet or family style
- Dining Lodge seats 240
- A variety of meal plans to choose from
- Hot coffee and tea available
- Options available for vegetarians, allergies etc.
- Additional dining space of 120 in our Historic Dance Hall



Lodging

- All cabins are cozy bunkhouse style with bunk beds
- 10 heated cabins; 14-20 beds
- 4 lodges with adjoining restroom/shower facilities and covered deck
- 12 rustic cabins; 6-14 beds
- *Participants provide their own bedding.*



Lions Lodge

- Seats 120, rustic stone fireplace, LCD projector and screen available.
- A great flexible indoor space.

Historic Dance Hall and Outdoor Pavilion

- Dance Hall Seats 120
- Stereo System, rustic stone fireplace
- Outdoor covered pavilion seats 140



Outdoor Stage

- Seats 150 on terraced hillside with a center front stage.
- Perfect for guest speakers or outdoor lessons.

Outdoor Campfire Spaces

- Seat 60-280.
- Located near cabins and on top of a hillside.

Conference Center

- Seats 280,
- 60" flat screen & mic/sound system,
- restrooms, fireplace, ADA accessible,
- coffee/juice bar available

