

WELCOME PACKET



### **WELCOME TO FERNCLIFF!**

Dear Friends and Colleagues in Ministry,

We are so excited to welcome the Presbytery of Arkansas to **Ferncliff on May 31**<sup>st</sup>, **2025**. It has been several years since we've been able to host a presbytery meeting and we just can't wait to show you all the ways we've grown in the past few years.

This presbytery meeting will be held in the newly renovated **Evergreen Hall** (previously the Program Activity Center, and before that the original Dining Hall). The renovation of Evergreen Hall was completed as a part of the "Connect. Inspire. Transform" Capital Campaign - possible in large part through the financial support of this Presbytery. We can't wait for you to see it!

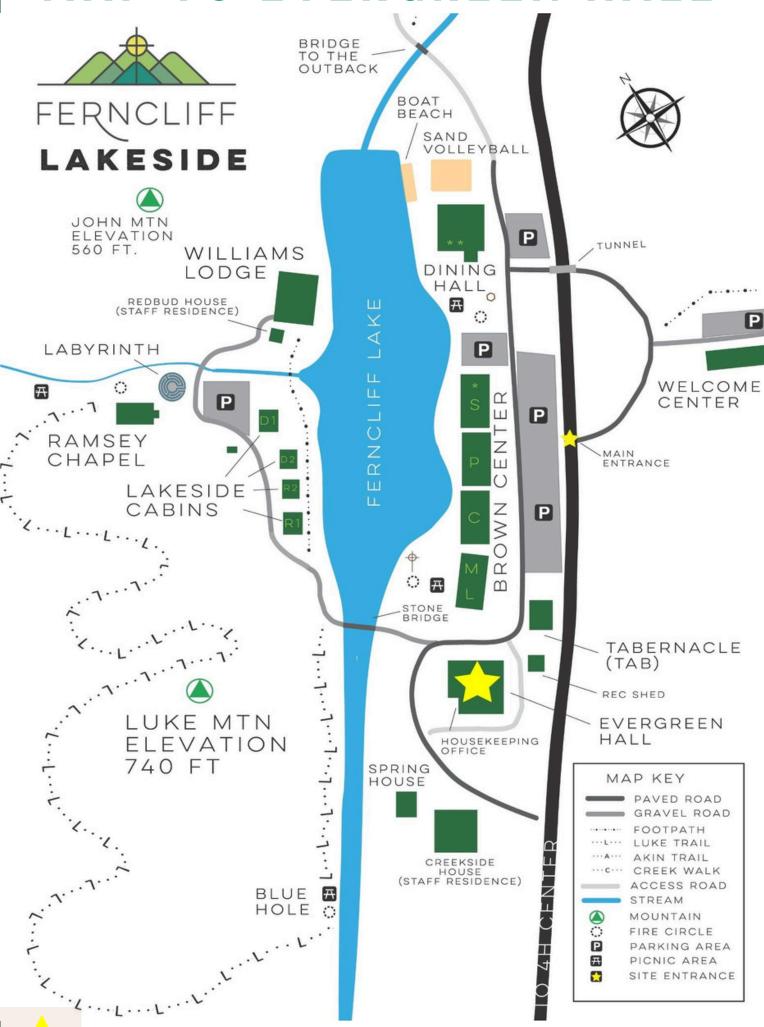
We invite you to **come early or stay late** and take some time to enjoy Ferncliff. Starting on Friday afternoon we'll have hiking trails, camp tours, and rocking chairs by the lake all ready for you. If you'd like to come out Friday and spend the night - we've got yurts in our new Yurt Village and hotel rooms in the Brown Center ready to book online. Spending the night Friday means you can even catch a baseball game at the Travelers with other folks from the Presbytery!

On Saturday we'll start mid-morning in Evergreen Hall, and **Ferncliff will provide lunch** there during the meeting free of charge - just make sure to mark any food allergies or dietary restrictions in your meeting registration. After the conclusion of the meeting, we'll offer some camp tours and invite you to spend as long as you like by the lake or hiking around camp.

If you have any questions or need any assistance, please reach out at any time to our office at 501-821-3063 or email info@ferncliff.org.

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# MAP TO EVERGREEN HALL





## **OVERNIGHT LODGING OPTIONS**

#### BROWN CENTER LODGING

Brown Center Lodging offers modern, spacious hotel-style rooms. The rooms are comfortable and functional featuring amenities like two double beds with Tempur-pedic mattresses, private bathrooms, a coffee pot, a hair dryer, and WiFi. Large windows provide views of Ferncliff lake.

#### YURT VILLAGE

The Yurt Village offers a unique glamping experience, combining rustic charm with modern comforts. Each yurt is equipped with electricity, air conditioning, heating, and Tempur-pedic mattresses on all bottom bunks. Guests staying in the yurts have exclusive access to the Yurt Village bathhouse.





#### BREAKFAST INCLUDED

All overnight lodging includes breakfast buffet on Saturday!





# REST, RECHARGE, & CONNECT

### FRIDAY, MAY 30TH

Come early and spend the afternoon enjoying the beauty and serenity of Ferncliff. Take a hike, go fishing, or simply relax with friends surrounded by the sounds of the great outdoors. We will have a rocking chair ready for you!

#### FERNCLIFF ACTIVITIES

- Ferncliff Tours
  - Meet at the Welcome Center Friday at 4:30pm
  - Or at Evergreen Hall Saturday at 9:00am or after the meeting ends
  - Tours will ride on our 12-passenger shuttle vehicle, Leafy!
- Fishing
  - Fishing Poles available on the porch of the Brown Meeting Room
- · Hiking Trails
  - This is a beautiful time of year for the Luke Trail or the Akin Trail!
- Sand Volleyball, Gaga Ball, and Disc Golf Course open
  - Get some friends together and play!
- Labyrinth & Ramsey Chapel
  - Cross over the stone bridge and follow the path to the right to reach the stone labyrinth and original chapel
- Rocking Chairs, Benches, and Swings
  - Enjoy the scenery and connect with friends old and new by the lake

