

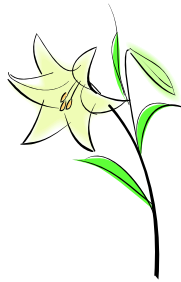

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Chapter Committee Chairs	Note from Our President, Annabelle
<p>President: Annabelle Randall Vice President & Chaplain: Forest Randall VP of Finance & Operations: John Arner Event Coordinator: Janet Lane Newsletter: Janet Lane and Annabelle Randall VP of Outdoor Events: LaVern Binder VP of Music: Fred Thomas Mission Project Coordinator: Dirci Marquart Advisor: Laura Arner Sponsor: Howard Bankes Web Master: Ron Patterson</p>  <p>“Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you.” Matthew 7:7</p> <p>Happy Birthday to:</p> <p>Linda Richardson, 7/3 Michael Selintung, 7/10 Deanie McCluan, 7/15 Maddy Miles, 7/20 Gina Berg, 7/21 Daryl Miller, 7/23 Elice Marquart & Ana Arnez, 7/24 Deborah Geennord & Lisa Johnson, 7/25 Cindy Wuttke, 7/27</p> 	<p>→ We invite you to our Upcoming Events: July 9: Picnic at Cunningham Falls July 20: Brazil Day August 12: Singles Day and Corn Roast September 22-24: Fall Retreat for Adult Singles October 19-30: Mission Trip to Brazil</p> <p>→ Web Master We are pleased to announce that Ron Patterson has volunteered to be our web master. He is assisted by his son, Todd. Thank you, gentlemen.</p> <p>→ Web site: http://www.asamchesapeake.com</p> <p>→ Chesapeake Currents Frank Bondurant, editor of Chesapeake Currents, is sending a monthly newsletter to pastors in the Chesapeake Conference and promoting our chapter events. Thank you, Frank.</p> <p>→ Report on June events We enjoyed the verspers and ice cream social. Forest Randall gave the devotional. Fred Thomas and Janet Lane shared poems. Laura Arner and Howard Bankes did a computer skit. We had a rousing sing-a-long with Dirci Marquart at the piano & Laura Arner directing music. We all had a good time.</p> <p>The Mt. Aetna Potluck (after Chesapeake Conference camp meeting) brought people from Pennsylvania, Virginia, Delaware, and Maryland. We were bursting at the seams and some people ate outdoors. We appreciated getting to use the room in the lower level of the Nature Center. Thank you Mt. Aetna and Chesapeake Conference.</p> <p>We met for potluck at Cynthia Malcolm’s home, after the Potomac Conference camp meeting; we had a full house. We all had such a good time. A big thank you to the Malcolms for opening their home.</p>

Calendar of Events

→ **July 9, 2006 Event Cancelled.**

Due to the extreme heat, our **Picnic & Volleyball Game have been cancelled.**

→ **July 20, 2006 Brazil Day in Frederick, MD, 6-8 PM**

Enjoy an evening of culture, music, costume and exotic food. Dirci Marquart is organizing this.

Contact: Carina: 301-748-457 or Dirci: 301-733-3537.

→ **August 12, 2006 Singles Day & Corn Roast**

Prince Frederick Seventh-day Adventist Church
3705 Broomes Island Road, Port Republic, MD 20676



Phaon Beck & Jean Burdsall are hosting the Singles Day. After the church services, enjoy a fellowship dinner with the church family. Please bring food for the potluck. In the afternoon, visit the Calvert Marine Museum, including a tour of the Lighthouse or visit the Cypress Swamp area. There is a \$6 admission fee for the museum, but you can settle up with Phaon after Sabbath. Meet back at the church for vespers and corn roast. Please bring watermelon, cantaloupe or honeydew to add to the supper. Corn, salads and drink will be provided.

Directions: It is approximately 55 minutes once you're on Penn Avenue/Route 4 East/South. The church is about 1/2 mile in on Broomes Island Road; it sets back on the right, you can't see the sign until your almost up on it; there are trees blocking the view.

Contact: Phaon: (410) 474-4585 or Jean: (301) 752-1361.

→ **September 22-24, 2006 Adult Singles Retreat**

Presented by Chesapeake and Potomac Conferences
Mt. Aetna Retreat Center
Hagerstown, Maryland



Theme: Health

Speakers:

Dr. Jim Sharps, ND, is the President of the Board of Directors of Self-Healing Research Foundation; the Director of the Integrated Health Therapies; Doctorates in Naturopathy, Herbology and Nutritional Science. Jim specializes in corrective nutrition, life-style evaluation, natural health education, and biomagnetics and has been a speaker at campmeetings. Jim has studied the different alternative and conventional medicines for more than 25 years. During his years of studying, he has attempted to find the balance between earthly mystic and the natural health power of God.

Sandy Kisner is the director of ASAM for the Potomac Conference. She will present a talk on Sabbath afternoon.

Retreat Price: \$80 for weekend & \$40 for Sabbath.

Contact: John: 301-854-2221 or
Annabelle: asamchesapeake@yahoo.com

→ **October 19-30, 2006, Singles Mission Trip**

Set time aside for a special mission trip in company of wonderful people. Help plant and build a church in the peaceful fishing village of Iguape, Brazil. You can have fun with meaning!

Talk to the Mission
Coordinator:
Dirci Borelli Marquart
@ 240 -315-2112
Dirci@grantops.com



Application and Fact
Sheet are at:
www.missionserv.org, www.volunteerrbrazil.org

Other Activities to Try!

→ July 8-11, 2006 Gainesville, FL, Singles Event

July 8, potluck at church; July 9, visit local sites (sinkhole, bat house, etc.); July 10, Holy Land Theme Park; July 11, Cape Canaveral & Kennedy Space Center.

Contact: 352-378-9325; wherenow@gmail.com

→ July 13-27, 2006 Mission Trip to Ecuador

The Southern Singles will build an orphanage. There will be a Vacation Bible School, medical clinic, eye exams, clothing distribution and evangelism.

Contact: Tarrie Gieger, 423-802-9617
tarriev@comcast.net

→ August 2006, International Trip for Families

Spend time with your family on a mission trip to Brazil this summer. Help to build a church while enjoying the sunny beaches of the North East region of Brazil. Do not waste this opportunity to have a fun vacation with your family while doing mission work! Make plans and apply soon. Talk to the Mission Coordinators: Elice and Pete Esveld: 301-748-1438.

→ August 18-20, 2006 Singles Retreat Kerhonkson, NY

Theme: Constructing Character
Contact: Andrea Hicks, 516-802-2374 or
Vidal Ford: 646-372-8559

→ Aug. 28-Sept. 4, 2006, National Singles Camp Camp MiVoden, Haden Lake, Idaho

Contact: Lorene Soderstrom
Tel. 208-772-3484, Fax 208-722-7106
lsoder@softcom.net
<http://www.mivoden.com/Singles-camp.html>

→ Sept. 29-Oct. 8, 2006, Caribbean Cruise
JOY (Just Older Youth for Christ) in Frederick, Maryland, invites you to join them on a cruise.

Contact: Bonnie: windsong42@adelphi.net

→ October 13-15, 2006 Colorado Retreat
Rocky Mountain Singles and Friends invite you.

Theme: What are you worth?

Contact: 303-271-3400; <http://www.RMSingles.org>

→ October 15-29, 2006, Ecuador Mission Trip
Zamora and Zumbi, southeast part of Ecuador.

The purpose of the trip is to build two churches and hold two evangelistic meetings.

Contact: Rachel Dull: 864-836-0919, or in Canada,
Linda Flowers: 705-386-2933

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January 14-21, 2007 MissionServ Singers Cruise to the Western Caribbean Seas

If you want to participate but prefer to do it in a more comfortable way, plan to be on the fun and fund-raising cruise. Prices are low and a part of it will help MissionServ build a church in a needy area of the world. 75 cabins have been reserved but they will be filling up. Reservations must be made soon! For more information call the Cruise Coordinator Dirci @ 240-315-2115 or Carina @ 301-748-4571. The Fact sheet, application, and details of cruise, ship, etc, can be found at MissionServ's web site:

www.missionserv.org

July 5-8, 2007, National ASAM Convention / Retreat in Orlando, Florida

Keynote speaker: Admiral Barry Black, Chaplain of the US Senate. More information soon. Visit:

www.AdventistSingleAdultMinistries.org