

SAYMA
Yearly Meeting
June 9 – 12, 2016



Warren Wilson College
Swannanoa, North Carolina

Clerk's Welcome

Since the first yearly meeting, so named, in the mid-1670s as Friends were taking on what became their organizational structure, they have been one of the main events for us as a religious group. In the 19th century, especially, when most Friends lived predominately in rural areas, it was the highlight of the Quaker year because its annual occasion allowed the entire family to visit larger meetings situated in urban areas like London, Philadelphia, New York, or Providence. Friends were housed in the homes of members of local meeting, hence met new people, saw sights that they could only imagine during the rest of the year, could taste different foods, and buy exotic items from abroad. It was a time to look forward to. Friends in overwhelming rural climes like North Carolina could not expect only the kind of exotica they saw year round, but they could glory in the excitement of renewing friendships with Friends they saw only yearly.

Friends in Southern Appalachian Yearly Meeting and Association, now mostly urban, have been coming to the beautiful campus of Warren Wilson College since the early 1960s, not every year but enough to keep luring us back to its lovely mountainous surroundings. We find the environment congenial for worship, business, discussion—even an occasional friendly and informal debate—long conversations with old and new Friends, and good food.

Hence, if we are no longer able to find all the things our predecessors did, we still are building experiences that will inevitably make us slightly different, even better, people than we were when we drove up, and we will take back memoirs, unique to each one, that will serve to enrich us until next year and beyond, when again we hear “Welcome, Friends.”

Larry Ingle

Clerk of SAYMA

Yearly Meeting Expectations

While we are guests here, let us be mindful that Friends live in the discipline of the Spirit and our individual actions reflect on the Religious Society of Friends. Parents and SAYF sponsors should be actively responsible for their children.

Campus Policies

- Children must be supervised at all times.
- All college-furnished equipment must be left in the room or building where it was found.
- SAYMA will be asked to pay for any damaged or missing college property.
- Do not prop building doors open for any reason, ever.
- Smoking on campus is limited to one of two gazebos. Look for the signs.
- Use of controlled substances – drugs, firearms, or fireworks – is not permitted. This includes candles.
- No gambling is permitted on campus.
- No pets are allowed on campus unless they are registered as service animals.

Warren Wilson Services

WW college bookstore & post office in Gladfelter and the Print Shop in the Log Cabin are open 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays.

There is also a FedEx Office about 5 minutes from campus.

Yearly Meeting Planning Committee 2016

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FEEDBACK: When you get home, please watch your inbox for an email from SAYMA with a link to an online evaluation. Fill it out and submit it online. If you don't have email, let the registrar know before you leave on Sunday and we'll mail you a paper copy. Last year 86 attenders filled out surveys – thanks!

Unravel Racism

SAYMA Yearly Meeting 2016

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Gladfelter – upper level – northeast entrance

Business meetings & plenaries in Canon; meals in cafeteria

Gladfelter – lower level – southeast entrance

*Registration, bookstore, WQO displays, all-day coffee,
Chat & Chew on Thursday & Friday nights*

Gladfelter Upper Patio: *Drop-off/Pick-up for JYM*

Gladfelter Lower Patio: *Sing-a-long after dinner,
Kite-making Friday afternoon*

Jensen classroom building:

*Most workshops and Worship Sharing groups
Men's and women's late night worship*

Jensen 113: *Dedicated worship space*

Pavilion: *early morning worship, SAYF graduation*

Bryson Gym: *Intergenerational Games,
Talent Show, Folk Dance & Saturday Chat & Chew*

Fellowship Hall, lower level: *JYM sessions*

Vining A, B, and C: *SAYF dorms and sessions*

ANTC Dorm: *YAF dorm, Simple Supper Option*

Sunderland Dorm: *general housing,
M&N Safe Listening Space in 3rd floor lounge*

General Information

Check in

Everyone at Yearly Meeting must check in. Report any unregistered person to the registrar.

Your SAYMA nametag gives you access to Yearly Meeting activities.

No one may visit SAYF or JYM who is not registered.

Registration Hours

Registration is open most of the day Thursday, as well as Friday morning & evening, and Saturday morning.

Early Arrivals: Dorms will open Wednesday evening; the cafeteria opens at noon on Thursday.

Check out

After breakfast Sunday, pack up, lock your room, and turn in **keys** and **name tag holders**. If you are staying for Sunday lunch, turn in **access cards** after lunch.

If you rented linens, leave pillows & blankets folded on the bed, put sheets & towels in a pillow case and leave it outside your door.

Sunday, June 12 check-out times
8 a.m.—9 a.m. & after lunch

Child Protection Policy

Staff & full-time volunteers with JYM or SAYF have applied, had a background check, and an interview with the steering committee of the program. You are welcome to visit the programs as long as you have your name tag and these staff & volunteers are present.

Meals at SAYMA

Entrees include vegetarian, vegan and even gluten-free (but no separate prep). There are pizzas at supper, salads lunch & dinner, hot food every meal – and ice cream.

Show your name tag and access card at the door.

Meal tickets cannot be refunded.

Card Access: Dorms/Meals

Warren Wilson College has new access cards for the exterior doors of the dorms as well as for meal tracking. Adults will be issued a card at check in, along with their room keys.

Those staying off campus who registered for meals as well as those who have a workshop or other activity in a dorm will also receive a card.

*Access cards **MUST** be presented for prepaid meals, even though your meal reservations are noted on your nametag. Note that you'll need your access card for lunch on Sunday.*

There is a \$10 fee for lost or damaged access cards payable immediately to replace your card during SAYMA. Be sure to return your card at check out to avoid being billed a \$10 lost card fee.

Children under 12 will not have access cards. They will have a special meal card so that WWC can get an accurate count.

Yearly Meeting Central

lower level of Gladfelter.

- registration
- WQO displays
- coffee pot
- bookstore & sales desk
- bulletin board
- evening Chat & Chew

SAYMA Bookstore

You may browse the books from FGC any time on the lower level of Gladfelter. If no one is at the sales desk, leave your book with your name and come back to settle by 10 p.m. on Saturday. Cash or check only please.

Sales desk hours

Thursday, June 13

6 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

9:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.

Friday, June 14

11 a.m. – 12 noon

1 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

9:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 15

1:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

9:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.

There is also a free book exchange table: leave a book or take a book.

Closed on Sunday

Chat & Chew

Our hosts this year are...

Thursday:

Asheville

Friday:

Swannanoa

Saturday:

Chattanooga & Berea

Chat & Chew begins after the plenaries: Thursday & Friday in Gladfelter; Saturday in Bryson.

Please don't take drinks & snacks into the bookstore and be sure to dispose of paper products & left-overs properly.

WQO Displays

Wider Quaker Organizations have displays on the lower level of Gladfelter. Many have brochures, bumper stickers, buttons, etc. for you to pick up.

No Swimming

The pool at the Aquatic Center is still closed for roof repairs. No swimming again this year.

Golf Carts

Golf Carts climb the hill between Gladfelter and Jensen. They also shuttle to the dorms.

Call 828-230-3912 to schedule a ride.

Emergency? Call the site coordinator at 828-230-3912 or the registrar at 931-261-0010, or dial 911.

M&N Safe Listening Place

Since we will be delving deeply into the difficult topic of racism during yearly meeting many of us may experience a need for a place with a listening ear, a shoulder to lean on, or feedback for our feelings. SAYMA's Ministry & Nurture Committee will be available in the 3rd floor lounge of Sunderland for anyone who wants a quiet talk or just to be held in the light.

*Thursday, Friday, and Saturday evening during Chat & Chew.
Sunderland 3rd Floor Lounge*

or arrange with Laura Seeger 423-400-4091 for a different time.

Plenary Worship

Canon Lounge – Gladfelter – upper level

Opening Worship

Thursday 1-2 p.m.

Closing Worship

Sunday 11—noon

Worship Sharing

YAF-led worship sharing

Saturday from 3:15 to 4:45 in Canon Lounge

Small Worship Sharing Groups

Friday & Saturday 10:45—11:45 a.m.

Your group's location is on the back of your name tag.

Queries for Friday

1. Where am I in the story of inequality and privilege?
2. How has white privilege affected me?
3. What are the barriers in me that block my ability to love those who are different?

Queries for Saturday

1. How do I overcome the barriers that block my ability to love those who are different?
2. What will unraveled racism look like?
3. How can I use my Quaker values to unravel racism?

Early Morning Worship

*Friday Saturday Sunday
6:30 a.m. Pavilion*

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Evening Worship

*6:15—7:15 p.m.
Jensen 113*

Thursday

Centering worship

Friday

Meeting for
Remembrance

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Worship Space

Open almost any time
for quiet worship
Jensen 113

⌘

Late Night

Worship *Thursday
Friday Saturday ~ 9:30
p.m.*

Men's Worship
Jensen 313

Women's Worship
Jensen 317

Plenary Sessions

Thursday afternoon, Friday, Saturday, & Sunday Mornings

Canon Lounge, Gladfelter – upper level

Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business

Business meeting is open to everyone. Look for the agenda on page 16.

Thursday Evening Speaker

7:30 p.m. Canon Lounge, Gladfelter – upper level

Vanessa Juley, Coordinator of FGC Ministry on Racism and co-author of the 2009 book *Fit for Freedom, Not for Friendship* will begin unraveling racism by helping us feel comfortable when we talk about race and other “ism’s”. We’ll meet a “Circle of Friends” and practice connecting with others in these difficult conversations.

Friday Evening Interactive

7:30 p.m. Canon Lounge, Gladfelter – upper level

We’ll begin with worship, move to community building small groups and then reconvene to experience a Privilege Walk-in-the-Round as we answer queries by stepping forward or back to represent our individual experiences. Can we stay connected even when these experiences are so different?

Saturday Evening Festivities

Intergenerational Talent Show

Beginning at 6:15 p.m. Bryson Gym

Jonathan Schinhofen from Berea is our MC. Anyone may perform, but you need to let Jonathan know either when you registered or by talking with him by Friday supper. Stage and audience alike are open to all ages.

Chat and Chew

Beginning about 7:30 p.m. Bryson Gym

Chat and Chew moves to Bryson Saturday evening to encourage everyone to join in the fun. Chattanooga and Berea are the host meetings.

Intergenerational Folk Dance

8:00 to about 9:30 p.m. Bryson Gym

Dance encourages us to let go of who we are, to enter the dance and simply connect. Our caller Diane Silver has been chosen for her skill bringing together young and old, experienced dancers and newcomers alike. Friends who just like to watch add to the fun too, so don’t stay away.

Yearly Meeting Schedule . . .

Thursday	Friday
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Times are Eastern Daylight Time.</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Early Morning Worship 6:30—7 a.m. Pavilion</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Breakfast: Gladfelter Cafeteria 7:15 to 8</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Early check-in begins 4:30 p.m. Wednesday (See page 2 for Registration info.)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Informal activities only Wednesday evening and Thursday morning.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cafeteria opens at lunch Thursday.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Meeting for Business 8:15—10:30 a.m. Canon Lounge</p> <hr style="width: 50%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;"> Worship Sharing 10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. (Location listed on your nametag.)</p>
Lunch: Gladfelter Cafeteria – noon to 1 p.m.	
<p style="text-align: center;">Opening Worship 1—2 p.m. <i>Canon Lounge, Gladfelter upper Level</i></p> <hr style="width: 50%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;"> Meeting for Business 2—4:45 p.m. <i>Canon Lounge, Gladfelter upper Level</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Workshops 1:15 to 3:00 p.m. (See pages 10—12 for rooms in Jensen.)</p> <hr style="width: 50%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;"> Let's Get Moving 3:15 to 4:45 (See page 13 for list and locations)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">YAF Business Meeting 3:15 to 4:45 ANTC dorm</p>
Dinner: Gladfelter Cafeteria – 5 to 6 p.m.	
<p style="text-align: center;">Sing-a-Long <i>Gladfelter lower patio 6:15 to 7:15</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Evening Worship -- Centering 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. Jensen 113, lowest level</p> <hr style="width: 50%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;"> Thursday Plenary Program Vanessa Juley, FGC 7:30 p.m. Canon Lounge (Description on page 5.)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sing-a-Long <i>Gladfelter lower patio 6:15 to 7:15</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Evening Worship -- Remembrance 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. Jensen 113, lowest level</p> <hr style="width: 50%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;"> Friday Plenary Program Interactive on Racism 7:30 p.m. Canon Lounge (Description on page 5.)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Chat & Chew <i>Gladfelter, lower level After the plenary</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Women's Worship <i>About 9:30 p.m. Jensen 317</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Men's Worship <i>About 9:30 p.m. Jensen 313</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Chat & Chew <i>Gladfelter, lower level After the plenary</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">SAYF Fishbowl: adult/teen dialog 9:15 pm Vining C All ages welcome</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Women's Worship 9:30 p.m. Jensen 317</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Men's Worship 9:30 p.m. Jensen 313</p>

. . . at a Glance

Saturday	Sunday
Early Morning Worship <i>6:30—7 a.m. Pavilion</i>	Early Morning Worship <i>6:30—7 a.m. Pavilion</i>
Breakfast: Gladfelter Cafeteria – 7:15 a.m. to 8 a.m.	
Meeting for Business <i>8:15—10:30 a.m. Canon Lounge</i> 	Return keys & access cards 8—9 a.m. <hr/> Meeting for Business <i>9 – 11 a.m.</i> <i>Canon Lounge, Gladfelter</i>
Worship Sharing <i>10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.</i> (Location listed on your name tag) 	Closing Worship <i>11 a.m.—noon</i> <i>Canon Lounge, Gladfelter</i> Late check-out: noon to 12:30.
Lunch: Gladfelter Cafeteria – noon to 1 p.m.	
Workshops <i>1:15 to 3:00 p.m.</i> (See pages 10—12 for locations.) 	Meeting for Worship with attention to Business proposed agenda – page 16 YAF activities – page 13 JYM schedule – page 14 SAYF schedule – page 15 = JYM is in session.
Putting Spirit into Practice <i>3:15 to 4:45</i> (See page 13 for list and locations)	
Dinner: Gladfelter Cafeteria 5 to 6 p.m.	
Saturday Evening Festivities 1. Intergenerational Talent Show <i>6:15 p.m. Bryson Gym</i> 2. Chat & Chew <i>7:30 p.m. Bryson Gym</i> Moves to Bryson Gym tonight After the talent show & during the dance 3. Intergenerational Folk Dance <i>Bryson Gym 8:00 to 9:30 p.m.</i>	Safe Listening Place <i>Sunderland 3rd floor lounge</i> Meet with M&N Dedicated Worship Space <i>Jensen 113</i> Open for contemplation during YM Mealtime interest groups are posted <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at the Registration desk and • on the cafeteria bulletin board.
Women’s Worship ~ 9:30 p.m. Jensen 317 Men’s Worship ~ 9:30 p.m. Jensen 313 YAF Business Meeting <i>ANTC Dorm 9 p.m.</i> SAYF Graduation <i>10 p.m. outdoor amphitheater across from Bryson</i>	Emergency? Dial 911 or... Site Coordinator: 828-230-3912 Registrar: 931-261-0010

Friday Workshops – 1:15 to 3:00 p.m.

Your workshop choices are printed on the back of your name tag.

#1 Social Media for Social Action

Jensen 214

We'll explore how digital age tools can engage Meetings and individuals in social activism. Blogs, websites, and more give voice to the voiceless, visibility to the invisible and power to the disenfranchised. *Robyn Josephs, Swannanoa Valley*

#2 Introduction to Boycott, Divestment & Sanctions

Jensen 212

What are BDS and how do they work? Let's explore some of the issues related to their reception and support among Friends. *Chip Poston, Celo*

#3 Healing Wounds of Racism & Oppression: Part I

Jensen 317

How personal & societal wounds from racism & oppression affect our ability for greatness; why activism for racial equality must include a way to heal these wounds; how to create the beloved community. *Shahina Lakhani, Atlanta*

#4 How Colonialism & White Supremacy Shaped Friends

Jensen 313

Why are several Yearly Meetings in the US devoting energy to examining the impact of colonialism, racism and white supremacy? How can we disrupt the gravitational pull that perpetuates the system? *Vanessa Julye, FGC*

#5 Global Democracy & Race

Global population is just 15 **cancelled** in we follow up on proposals by Gandhi and others for a global *Jim Barton, Swannanoa Valley*

#6 What is Racism: Part I

Jensen 216

This is a comprehensive and clinical introduction to critical race theory and analysis, followed by guided meditation/worship sharing, designed to bring us back to early Friends' experiments with light meditation, seeking answers and direction from the inner Teacher, the Light within. *Sharon Smith, Asheville*

#7 Confronting Racism & Bigotry Locally

How should we respond when we learn **cancelled** of practices or incidents in a local school, neighborhood, hospital, or bus? *M. Gilmour, B. Welsh Swannanoa*

#8 Quakers & Reparations

Jensen 314

A 2008 article in Friends Journal by Jeff Hitchcock leads with a query from a Friend of Color, "Why don't Friends take reparations more seriously?" Let's delve into why we don't. *Sarah Walton, John Adams, Karen Morris; Atlanta*

#9 Community Action: Racially-Just Policing

Jensen 316

Sarah Walton will share the resources she's developed with her legal expertise and the results of her community advocacy efforts in Georgia. Sarah is sojourning with Atlanta Friends from Vassalboro Friends Meeting in Maine. *Sarah Walton & Susan Firestone, Atlanta*

Friday choices continued:

#10 Showing up for Racial Justice

Jensen 113

SURJ is a national network organizing White people for racial justice. We work to connect people across the country while supporting and collaborating with local and national racial justice organizing efforts. SURJ provides a space to build relationships, skills and political analysis to act for change.

David Greenson, Asheville

#11 Spiritual, but Not Religious

Jensen 217

"Spiritual but Not Religious" is among the fastest growing demographic. How do spiritual paths of Friends resemble and differ from SBNR? I will share songs I've written that explore this query. Friends may wish to speak – or sing – out of their own experience as well.

Larry Osborne, West Knoxville

#12 A Taste of Alternatives to Violence, Part I

Jensen 213

We work together to learn how to walk in a different way and practice the nonviolence we advocate. In this way we help ourselves and others find hope. There is a power for peace in everyone available to those who are open to it.

Trina Baum, Martha & Jack Willis, Nashville

#13 Earthcare Action Plan

Join members of SAYMA

cancelled

 to help us find one action for SAYMA to participate in or perhaps one for actions that can occur over the whole YM region.

Lisa Rose, Swannanoa

Saturday workshops – 1:15 to 3:00 p.m.

#14 Why Forgive?

Jensen 314

I'll propose several questions for quiet consideration and share personal stories of forgiving or not forgiving. We will explore together the question of whether forgiveness can end the cycle of violence.

Hector Black, Cookeville

#15 White Spaces: a few (white) blind spots

Jensen 214

You know your blind spots when you're driving, yet many white people are unaware of racial blind spots and the damage these cause. Information about the 2017 White Privilege Conference is included.

Kelly Singer, Atlanta

#16 Mass Incarceration & Racism

Jensen 217

Meet with SAYMA's reps to FCNL and a resource person from FCNL to discuss the issue of mass incarceration. Learn what Quakers are doing nationally and what we can do in our own meetings.

Jane Hiles, Samford; Charlie Wilton, Berea; Larry Osborne, W. Knoxville

#17 The Power of Enough

Jensen 212

What do I need/want in my life? How much is enough? How does a micro-enterprise grant empower women in Africa and India to provide basic needs for their families? How can you make a difference?

Jacqueline Stillwell, RSWR

Saturday continued: Your choices are listed on the back of your name tag.

#18 Healing Wounds of Racism: Part II

Jensen 317

This is a continuation of workshop #3 from Friday. See description above. Sign up for this if you signed up for part I.

Shahina Lakhani, Atlanta

#19 The Heart of Racial Justice Work

Let's approach racial justice **cancelled** ing the Beloved Community we seek to co-create. AFSC lau **cancelled** er Social Change Ministry pilot program in 2015 to support racial justice work in monthly meetings and to deepen the relationship between Friends & AFSC.

Gregg Elliott, AFSC

#20 Getting the Conversation Started

Jensen 313

In a highly interactive session, participants will experience a set of structures to foster conversations in a safe space about race, class & culture. Come ready to share a part of yourself and listen.

Folami Adams, Atlanta

#21 Intergenerational Games

Bryson Gym

SAYMA adults are invited to join SAYFers and children from Junior Yearly Meeting in playing cooperative games and sharing time with each other.

#22 Racism Exists: What's Next?

Jensen 316

There's a simple creative solution to combatting racism today. In 2014 I implemented voter registration in barbershops. Voter Registration is more effective on the community level and can easily provide solutions to issues regarding racism.

Gabrielle Hammons, Atlanta

#23 Is it the "Other" or the money?

Jensen 113

Racism is deeply tied to both behavior and economics. This workshop will explore the need to justify our financial "blessings" while ascribing a "less blessed" condition to those who struggle.

Dennis Gregg, Crossville

#24 What is Racism: Part II

Jensen 216

In part II we'll explore how our own racial identity developed – the process by which each of us was indoctrinated into society's racial framework and then we'll share our stories. Sign up for this if you signed up for part I.

Sharon Smith, Asheville

#25 Race in "Post-Racial" Society

The United States is more **cancelled** erant than ever before, but current events challenge us to do **cancelled** self-awareness of our own racial, cultural, personal, and group identity combined with an appreciation of difference help us unravel racism?

Tom Beeson, Taimi Olsen, W. Knoxville

#26 Taste of AVP, Part II

Jensen 213

This is a continuation of workshop #12 from Friday. See description above.

Trina Baum, Martha & Jack Willis, Nashville

Let's Get Moving! Friday 3:15 to 4:45

Community Bike Shops – Paul Laudeman – meet in Sunderland on the lower patio – community bike shops promote access to transportation and recreation while fostering a more equitable distribution of resources.

Piano Recital – Richard Allen – in the Chapel – Richard plays his own composition *2000 Years Ago in Jerusalem* eight piano pieces with transformative power. He loves to answer questions about it.

Nature Meditation – Laura Seeger – meet at Kittredge Lobby. Hike an easy trail to the meditation hut for outdoor worship. Rain or shine. Wear hiking shoes.

Creek Walk – Kelsey McNicholas – meet at the upper Gladfelter Patio
Join JYM's hike to the creek. Plan to get wet – wading and splashing.

Kite Making – Chuck Jones – Gladfelter lower patio – all ages welcome
Make kites cooperatively while unraveling entangled strings among races.

Farm and Garden tour – WW student guide – meet in Gladfelter lower lobby – for a tour of the gardens and barns at Warren Wilson's working farm.

Putting Spirit into Practice Saturday 3:15 to 4:45

YAF-Led Worship Sharing – Canon

Worship sharing for all led by Young Adult Friends

Holding Israelis & Palestinians in the Light – Jensen 317

Simply worship with a focus. Florence Yaffe, Celo; Bob Welsh, Swannanoa

Meeting for Healing – Jensen 313

Ask for prayer for yourself, someone else, or simply come sit in worship with us.

Thais Carr, Mark Wutka, Kit Potter, Nashville

Meditation on Discernment – Jensen 217

Bodies, minds, & spirits responding to God – Emma Churchman, Swannanoa

YAF activities

SAYMA Young Adult Friends (age 18 to 35 or so) nurture and support each other within the open, safe, and sacred space of the Quaker Community at Yearly Meeting. In addition to participating with Older Adult Friends (OAFs) in the plenaries & workshops, YAFs have special activities:

YAF Business Meetings

Friday 3:15 to 4:45 and Saturday 9 p.m. both in ANTC Dorm

Wink Activity with SAYF

Friday 11 p.m. Vining C

YAF-led Worship Sharing for all

Saturday 3:15–4:45 p.m. Canon Lounge

Welcome for SAYF graduates

Saturday after YAF late night business meeting Pavilion

Junior Yearly Meeting 2016

Kelsey McNicholas, Co-coordinator

JYM meets on the lower level of the Fellowship Hall behind the Chapel.

Sign-in & sign-out happens on the Gladfelter Upper Patio.

Parents may also bring their children to the appropriate location.

JYM spends time at the creek and Bryson Gym.

Thursday June 9

1:00 p.m. Sign-in Gladfelter Patio

1:15 walk to *Fellowship Hall*

JYM in session

4:45 walk to Gladfelter Patio

5:00 Sign-out

☞dinner with parents☞

6 p.m. Sign-in Gladfelter Patio

6:15 walk to *Fellowship Hall*

JYM in session

8:45 p.m. walk to Gladfelter Patio

9 p.m. Sign-out

Friday evening June 10

6 p.m. Sign-in Gladfelter Patio

6:15 walk to *Fellowship Hall*

JYM in session

8:45 walk to Gladfelter Patio

9:00 p.m. Sign-out

Saturday June 11

8 a.m. Sign-in Gladfelter Patio

8:15 walk to *Fellowship Hall*

JYM in session

11:45 walk to Gladfelter Patio

12 noon Sign-out

☞lunch with parents☞

1:00 p.m. sign-in Gladfelter Patio

1:15 p.m. walk to Bryson Gym

for Intergenerational Games

3:00 return to *Fellowship Hall*

JYM in session

5:00 Sign-out at Gladfelter Patio

☞evening activities with parents☞

(Dinner, talent show, and folk dance)

Friday June 10

8:00 a.m. Sign-in Gladfelter Patio

8:15 walk to *Fellowship Hall*

JYM in session

11:45 walk to Gladfelter Patio

12 noon Sign-out

☞lunch with parents☞

1:00 p.m. Sign-in Gladfelter Patio

1:15 walk to *Fellowship Hall*

JYM in session

3:15 p.m. walk to Creek
stopping at Gladfelter Patio for
Let's Get Moving participants

4:45 walk to Gladfelter Patio

5:00 p.m. Sign-out

☞dinner with parents☞

Sunday June 12

9:00 a.m. Sign-in Gladfelter Patio

9:15 walk to Fellowship Hall

JYM in session

10:30 a.m. Return to Gladfelter

For epistle – closing circle

11:45 Sign-out Gladfelter Patio

Good-bye till next year!

SAYF Schedule – Aaron Ruscetta, Lead FAN

SAYF Friends ages 12-18 have their own dorms at SAYMA (Vining A, B, and C), separate programs and activities, and on-going supervision.

Middle schoolers also have some age-specific activities.

The SAYF dorm opens: at 6 p.m. Thursday, June 9 (after dinner)

SAYFers must be with parents or sponsors until then.

Invitation to Adult Friends: SAYF invites adult Friends to a special fishbowl: Adult/Teen Dialog on Friday at 9:15 p.m. in Vining C.

Thursday, June 9

6 p.m. SAYF dorm opens and
SAYF check-in begins
9:30 p.m. FAN meeting
10 p.m. Nurturing Committee
11 p.m. Opening Circle
1 a.m. Lights out

Friday, June 10

8:30 Breakfast in SAYF dorm
9 a.m. Orientation
10 to noon community building
led by graduating seniors
12 noon – lunch in cafeteria
1 p.m. Roll call at the SAYF dorm
1:15 p.m. 1) SAYMA Workshop or
2) Middle School SAYF workshop
3:30 p.m. Roll call at Vining C
Unravelling Racism
with Vanessa Julye
5 p.m. – dinner in cafeteria
6 p.m. optional
Singing on Gladfelter Patio
6:45 to 7:15 p.m. check-in roll call
7:30 p.m. SAYMA Plenary: Canon
9 p.m. Roll Call at the SAYF dorm
9:15 p.m. choice of Fishbowl:
(1) Middle school group
(2) Dialog with adult Friends
11 p.m. Wink game with YAF
1 a.m. Lights Out

Saturday, June 11

8 a.m. Breakfast in SAYF dorm
9 a.m. announcements
10 a.m. SAYF meeting for business
12 noon – lunch in the cafeteria
1 p.m. Roll Call at Vining C
1:15 p.m. Intergenerational games
or other SAYMA workshop
3:15 p.m. Roll call at Vining C
Trust lifts & Nurturer
Choice Activities
5 p.m. – dinner in cafeteria
6:00 Check-in roll call at Vining C
6:15–7:45 p.m. Talent Show:
Bryson (Contact Jonathan
Schinhofen to participate – p.5)
8:00 Folk Dance: Bryson
9:30 p.m. Dorm roll call.
10:00 p.m. SAYF Graduation
in the Pavilion
1 a.m. Lights out

Sunday, June 12

8:30 Breakfast at the SAYF dorm
Pack and clean-up
9:30 a.m. Epistle sharing at
SAYMA business meeting
10 a.m. SAYF closing circle and
Worship Journal
12 noon – lunch in cafeteria

Agenda: Meeting for Worship with Attention to Business

Note: Agenda is subject to change.

Reports to SAYMA are available at <http://sayma.org>.

We'll have reading tables at yearly meeting with paper copies as well.

Thursday, June 9

1:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Opening worship 1—2 p.m.

Welcome/Reading

Introductions/Roll Call

Agenda review

Appoint Epistle Committee

Appoint Naming Committee

Reports:

Administrative Assistant

Treasurer

Wider Quaker Presentations:

FGC and Quaker Vol. Service

Committee Reports:

Nominating

Web Manager

Racial Justice Proposal – may be
carried over

Announcements

Friday, June 10

8:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Worshipful silent expectant waiting

Welcome/Reading

Introductions/Roll Call

Agenda review

Finish business from Thursday

Wider Quaker Presentations:

AFSC and RSWR

Finance Committee – first reading of
budget for next year

Committee Reports:

Nominating

Handbook

Peace & Social Concerns

SAYMA EarthCare Action

Announcements

Saturday, June 11

8:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Worshipful silent expectant waiting

Welcome/Reading

Introductions/Roll Call

Agenda Review

Finish business from Friday

Finance: 2nd budget reading

Committee Reports

Nominating

Ministry & Nurture – tweaking
guidelines for Released Friend funds

SAYF Steering Committee

Reports: SAYMA's Reps to WQOs

Set dates & hosts for Rep. meetings

Announcements

Sunday, June 12

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Worshipful silent expectant waiting

Welcome/Reading;

Introductions/Roll Call

Final Report from Nominations

Report from Naming committee

Reading of Epistles

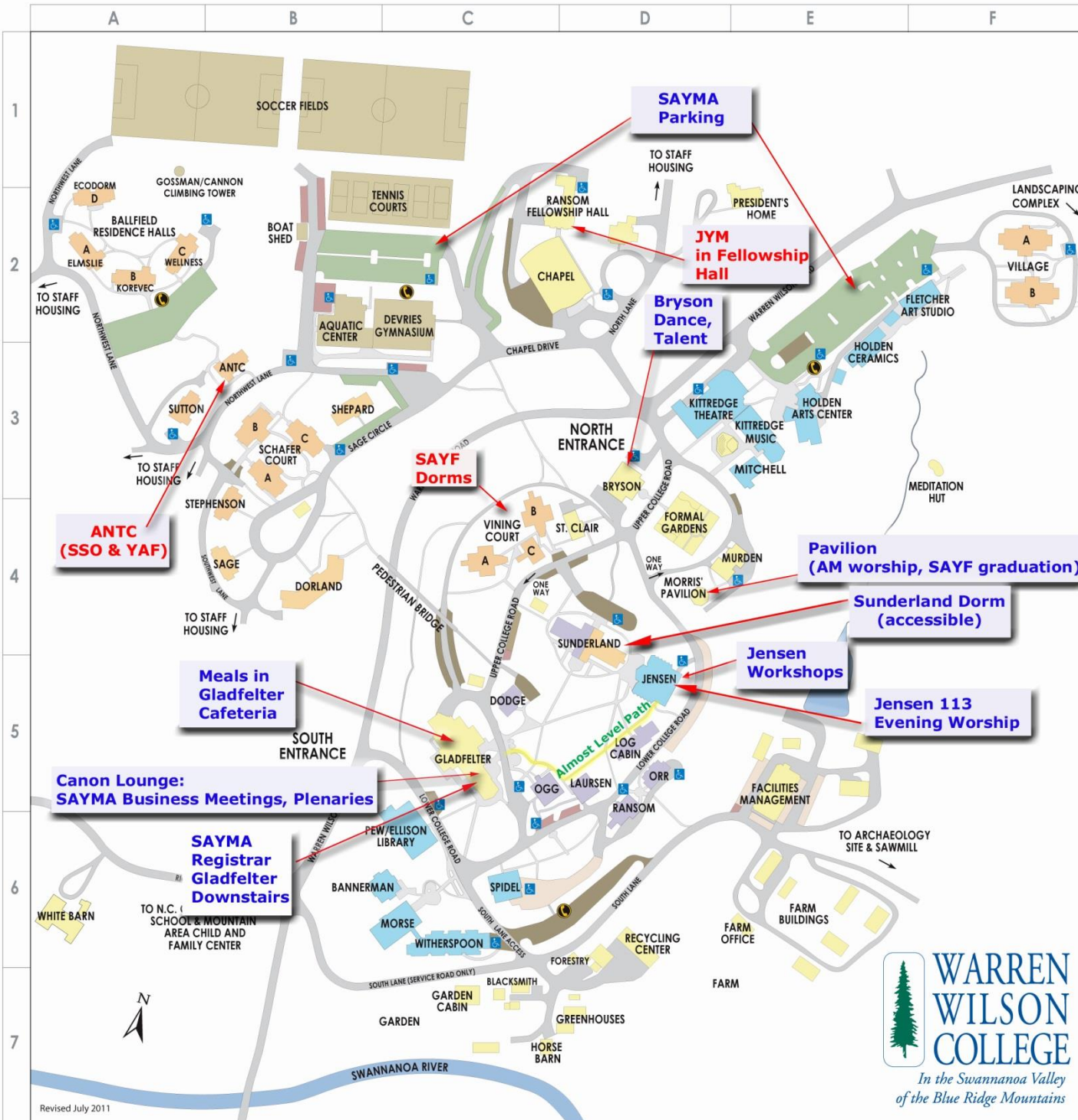
Finish business from Saturday

Registrar's report

Minute of thanks

Announcements

Closing worship: 11 to noon



- | BUILDINGS | | PARKING | |
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| ■ | ACADEMIC | | STAFF |
| | ADMINISTRATION | | STUDENT |
| | ATHLETIC | | VISITOR |
| | CAMPUS FACILITY | | VISITOR & STAFF |
| | STUDENT RESIDENCE | | HANDICAP PARKING |
| | | ☎ | EMERGENCY TELEPHONE |
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- B3 ANTC
 - B2 AQUATIC CENTER
 - A2 BALLFIELD A (ELMSLIE)
 - A2 BALLFIELD B (KOREVEC)
 - A2 BALLFIELD C (WELLNESS)
 - A2 BALLFIELD D (ECODORM)
 - C6 BANNERMAN TECHNOLOGY CENTER
 - D3 BRYSON GYMNASIUM
 - Old Farmers Ball, Indoor Climbing Wall, Wellness Program
 - D2 CHAPEL
 - C2 DEVRIES ATHLETIC CENTER
 - Outdoor Programs, Athletic Coaches, Fitness Center
 - C5 DODGE
 - Housing and Residence Life, Dean of Students Office, Career Resource Center, Minister to Students
 - B4 DORLAND
 - E5 FACILITIES MANAGEMENT & TECHNICAL SERVICES
 - E6 FARM OFFICE
 - F2 FLETCHER ART STUDIO
 - D4 FORMAL GARDENS
 - C7 GARDEN CABIN
 - C5 GLADFELTER STUDENT CENTER
 - Bookstore, Cafeteria, Cowpie Cafe, Canon Lounge, Bank, Post Office, Student Activities, Student Caucus, International Student Office
 - E3 HOLDEN CERAMICS AND SCULPTURE STUDIO
 - E3 HOLDEN VISUAL ARTS CENTER
 - D5 JENSEN HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCE BUILDING
 - E3 KITTREDGE MUSIC WING
 - D3 KITTREDGE THEATRE
 - D5 LAURSEN
 - Academic Affairs, Registrar, International Programs Office
 - D5 LOG CABIN
 - Work Program Office, College Press
 - F2 LANDSCAPING COMPLEX
 - E3 MITCHELL
 - Education, Outdoor Leadership, Religion
 - D4 MORRIS' PAVILION
 - C6 MORSE NATURAL SCIENCE BUILDING
 - Environmental Leadership Center
 - E4 MURDEN HEALTH CENTER
 - Counseling
 - C5 OGG
 - Public Safety, Accounting, Business Office, Financial Aid, Human Resources, President's Office
 - D5 ORR
 - Admission, College Relations, Alumni Relations, Publications, Church Relations
 - C6 PEW LEARNING CENTER AND ELISON LIBRARY
 - E2 PRESIDENT'S HOME
 - D6 RANSOM SERVICE-LEARNING HOUSE
 - D2 RANSOM FELLOWSHIP HALL
 - D6 RECYCLING CENTER AND FREE STORE
 - B4 SAGE
 - B3 SCHAFER A
 - B3 SCHAFER B
 - B3 SCHAFER C
 - B3 SHEPARD
 - C6 SPIDEL
 - D4 ST. CLAIR GUEST HOUSE
 - B4 STEPHENSON
 - D4 SUNDERLAND
 - Swannanoa Gathering, Writing Center, MFA Writers Program
 - A3 SUTTON
 - F2 VILLAGE A
 - F2 VILLAGE B
 - C4 VINING A
 - C4 VINING B
 - C4 VINING C (COMMONS)
 - C6 WITHERSPOON LABORATORY

