

# Camp Wildflowers 2016 Staff



**Fosteriana Fringed Triumph (Mss. Posie) - Wildflower Camp Director Greenridge Baptist Church**

“Hi, I’m Joanne Foster Curran. That’s ‘Mss. Posie’ for short. In the off-season Chief & I live on Old Hundred Rd. in Dickerson, MD. We attend Greenridge Baptist Church. The ‘Old Hundredth’ Psalm reminds us that we have been blessed to serve the Lord with gladness! We’ve been blessed to serve HWBC since 1993, and Camp Wildflowers since 1998. We, and many others, enter these gates with thanksgiving in our hearts, and enter His camp with praise! And we say these are the days that the Lord has made! I will rejoice, for He has made me glad to be here! The sky is clear, the fire is bright, and the Spirit is alive! God does things at camp! My grandchildren now join us at camp these days. Does that make me feel old? Nope. Well, maybe just in the bones. But, mostly it’s almost heaven, West Virginia”



**SnowBelle (Snowy) - Program Director Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Annapolis Age 20, 7<sup>th</sup> year on staff**

I am excited camp as always because I love the opportunity to show Christ to everyone there. I also love working with kids. I work in the nursery at my church and always help out at VBS. I’m also studying Early Childhood Education at AACC. I love reading, playing handbells, and spending time with my family and friends. And I love coming back to camp every year because it is so God-oriented. I love this year’s theme of Hemlock Olympics! So get ready, because we are going to run the race marked out for us!



**Golden Cricket Orchid (Cricket) - Co-PD/LACE Leader Forcey Bible Church, age 18, 4<sup>th</sup> year staff**

I’ve been coming to camp for 9 years and somehow I think I love it more each time I come. It always amazes me how much the camp motto, "God does things" is apparent throughout camp's ministry and I'm excited to help campers also see how that is played out throughout wildflowers. I used to go to Blair High School and next year I'll be going to Virginia Tech. Most of my favorite activities involve just enjoying God's creation. I'm looking forward to another great summer!



**Kangaroo Paw (Roo) – Co-PD/ADV LACE Leader Lighthouse Church, age 20, 6<sup>th</sup> year of staff**

Hello, I’m Roo and this will be my sixth summer serving on staff at camp. In the fall I will be continuing to attend the Community College of Baltimore County in pursuit of a professional helicopter pilot degree. Other than flying, camp is a great place to enjoy most of my others interests including hiking, climbing, hammocking and eating peaches. The close fellowship of my sisters in Christ and the abundance of God’s presence keep me coming back year after year. I hope you will enjoy it as much as I do. To God be the glory!

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**Mossy Stone Crop Wall Pepper (Pebbles) - L.A.CE. Leader  
Forcey Bible Church, age 18, 4<sup>th</sup> year on staff**

Hello!! I am Mossy Stone Crop Wall Pepper but you can call me Pebbles! I attend Forcey Bible Church and I have been on staff at camp for four years. I am eighteen years old and cannot wait to spend another summer at camp. I love camp and all the activities it includes but my favorites have to be all the super cool ropes activities we have at camp. I am very excited to see what God has planned for us this summer. See you at camp.



**Wild Ginger (Ginger) – Sr. Staff/Board Member  
Annapolis EP, age 26, 5<sup>th</sup> year on staff**

I was not on staff last year, and I'm really looking forward to being back and getting to know campers and staff again. Operating the zipline and cargo net always gives me the opportunity to encourage campers to persevere, and with our theme this year we get to talk about how to persevere in the path God has set before us. I look forward to encouraging campers – and staff – to keep the faith in the race of life! Galatians 6:9 ESV “And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.” Acts 20:24 ESV “But I do not account my life of any value nor as precious to myself, if only I may finish my course and the ministry that I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God.”



**Crimson Eyed Rose Mallow (Crow) – Junior Staff  
Bay Area Community Church, age 15, 1<sup>st</sup> year on staff**

Hey everyone, this is my first year on staff and I could not be more excited! I'll be taking classes and my local community college this year for my sophomore year of high school. I am extremely active on social media as that is where I want to go career wise but I can't wait to get unplugged and learn more about God and experience the incredible journey with other girls!



**Pig Face Flower (Piglet) – Junior Staff  
Forcey Bible Church, age 17, 3<sup>rd</sup> year on staff**

I am a rising senior at Cedar Brook Academy. I am involved with the youth group at my church as well as challengers and this will be my 9<sup>th</sup> year coming back to camp. One of the reasons I come back year after year is that I love having tons of fun on various adventures as well as learning more about God and growing in my relationship with Him. I can't wait to see what amazing things God will do this summer!

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**Pipsisewa (Pipsi) – Junior Staff**  
**Columbia Presbyterian Church, age 17, 3<sup>rd</sup> year on staff**

Hello everyone! I'm Pipsi and I'm very excited to be on staff again this year. Wildflowers has been a part of my life for a long time and it means a lot for me to be able to come back again this year. I look forward to this year's theme as we examine what it means to run the race of life for Christ. Every year, God does amazing work at camp and I'm excited to be a part of it. See you all this summer!



**Purple Prairie Clover (Clover) - Junior staff**  
**Columbia Presbyterian Church, age 16, 3<sup>rd</sup> year on staff**

Hi my name is Clover. I'm a rising junior at Annapolis Area Christian School. At AACCS I run cross country, play lacrosse, and sing in choir. Other hobbies of mine include reading, art, and outdoorsy activities. This summer will be my 12th year at camp and my third year on staff. I'm so excited to spend my three weeks on staff this summer exploring how the Olympic Games can be a pattern for our Christian lives. My prayer is that I, along with the campers, will have a camp experience packed with lots of Olympic fun while growing closer to God.



**Quetzalxochitl (Pretzel) – Junior Staff**  
**Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Annapolis**  
**Age 14, 1<sup>st</sup> year on staff**

Hi, I'm Pretzel. I was a camper here for 4 years and this is my first year on staff. I'm homeschool and just finished my freshman year of High school. Some of my interests include reading, singing, biking, being outdoors, and learning about God. I'm so excited to get to know my campers and to see what God will do this summer!



**Red Hot Chili Pepper (Chili) – Junior Staff**  
**Forcey Bible Church, age 17, 3<sup>rd</sup> year on staff**

"Hi there, it's Red Hot Chili Pepper, but I go by Chili. I hope you're as excited about Camp Wildflower's Summer Games as I am! As an active 17 year old and rising senior I am thrilled to be spending my third summer as a junior staff counselor at Camp Wildflowers. My favorite sport is gymnastics, so be prepared to learn some cool routines when you visit my rotation! An encouraging verse to think about this summer is Ephesians 6:10 – "Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power." This verse reminds us that the Lord is our source of strength and that everything we do is for His glory. See you at camp!"

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## **Red Lion Flower (Leo) - Junior Staff**

**Grace Community Church, age 17, 2<sup>nd</sup> year on staff**

Hey there! This is my second year on staff, although I have been coming to this wonderful camp for quite some time now. I am 17 years old, and super excited to be coming back to camp as staff to serve the next generations, my fellow staff, and most of all, the Lord. I attend Grace Community Church and Century High School, where I am heavily involved in the theatre program, any and all writing, and the visual arts. In addition to these things, I enjoy being the copy editor for my school newspaper, as well as a reporter. My favorite verse: Hebrews 6:19 'We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure.'

Praying for the wonderful season(s) ahead of us all!



## **Silver Leaf Scrufl Pea (Scruff) – Junior Staff**

**Chantilly Bible Church, age 15, 2<sup>nd</sup> year on staff**

Hi! My name is Silver leaf scrufl pea, but you can call me Scruff. I'm fifteen years old and attended Chantilly Bible Church. This is my fifth year at camp and my second year on staff. I've been home schooled my entire life, and I'm going into my junior year of high school. A few of my favorite thugs include, the color blue, cats and photography. The verse that most inspires me is, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.

Philippians 4:13"



## **Spreading Pogonia (Pogo) - Junior Staff**

**New Life in Christ Church, age 14, 1<sup>st</sup> year on staff**

"Greetings, campers! This is my second year at camp and my first year as a staff member. I'm super excited to spend part of my summer here at Camp Hemlock! I am homeschooled, going into 10th grade this fall. My interests include (but are not limited to) guitar, skateboarding reading, and rock climbing. I love to read Paul's letters in the New Testament, but my favorite Bible verse is Psalm 42:11. "Why, my soul, are you downcast? Why so disturbed within me? Put your hope in God, for yet I will praise him, my Savior and my God."



## **Wild Parsnips (Snips) - Junior Staff**

**Good Shepard Methodist Church, age 17, 3<sup>rd</sup> year on staff**

Hello Campers, my name is Wild Parsnips but you can call me Snips. I am 17 years old and this is my 3<sup>rd</sup> year on staff. I go to Good Shepard Methodist Church. I currently go to Paint Branch High School and can't wait to play my senior year of basketball with my team. I absolutely love to watch and play sports so I love this theme this year for camp. I also love nature, so camp is truly awesome since we get to praise God in his wonderful creation. I can't wait to meet all the amazing campers this year!!

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**Wombat Berry (Wombat) – Junior Staff**

**Columbia Presbyterian Church**

**Age 16, 2<sup>nd</sup> year on staff**

Hi, I'm Wombat and this is my 2<sup>nd</sup> year on staff. I love Camp Wildflowers because I get to spend time with campers and staff in the beautiful mountains of WV. A few things I really like are: science, puppies, and roller-skating. (I really, REALLY, love roller-skating) I can't wait to see old and new campers, and serve God this summer at Wildflowers.