

## Spring YAC Meeting 2014

**Meeting start:** 9:53 p.m. April 11, 2014

### ❖ **Theme Ideas**

- Permacon
  - Permaculture/greenery/gardening
  - Huge lawn, adults have offered to help
  - TRA-flowers versus weeds, geocaching, touch group 'Grow Your Plant' game
- CONterculture Con
  - Incorporate permaculture
- Butter Con
- Baby Con
  - 'Find Your Baby' TRA with baby pictures
  - Linda's baby care workshop
  - Reproductive justice workshop
- Jack Decker Con
- Galacticon
  - Humans and aliens TRA
  - Make cardboard rockets
- Dr. Seussicon/The Con and the Hat
  - Discuss social and political issues in his books
- Linguisticon
- Cosplay Con/CONvention/Consplay

### ❖ **Spring Con 2014: CONterculture Con**

- Touch Group Leaders
  - Melody Macfarland
  - Cavan Bonner
  - Abigail Harriet Ward
  - Mason McCloud
  - Leah Jacobs
  - Eliza Steffen
  - Zoey Casa
  - Nick Hurt
  - Drake Barr
  - Dalin Frantz
  - Maddie Farr
- Workshops
  - Unschooling with Abigail Harriet Ward and her mother
  - Music and Society with Leah Jacobs, Mason McCloud, and Jessica Woods
  - Permaculture with Tom Gibson and Shaker Heights Church
  - Riot Grrls with Melody MacFarland
  - DIY Clothing with Melody MacFarland and Maddie Farr
  - Outdoor Games with Drake Barr, Pete Decker, and Aaron Bowie
  - Nerd Culture with Harriet Abigail Ward and Cavan Bonner
  - Worship Planning with Oliver Evans

- Reproductive Justice with Eliza Steffen and Lily Farr
- Chaplains
  - Jessica Wood
  - Claire Gill
  - Pete Decker
  - Sam Roscigno
- Night Angels
  - Friday
    - 1-3 Cavan Bonner and Abigail Harriet Ward
    - 3-5 Aaron Bowie and Nick Hurt
    - 5-7
  - Saturday
    - 1-3 Mason McCloud and Jessica Wood
    - 3-5 Emma Merchant and Zoey Casa
    - 5-7 Drake Barr
- TRA
  - Zine making with Melody Macfarland

**Meeting break:** 10:59 p.m. April 11, 2014

**Meeting restart:** 12:07 a.m. April 12, 2014

❖ **Breaking Confidentiality**

- With chaplaining, there is a large gray area of safety in breaking confidentiality.
- Suicide, child abuse, self-harm, a violent relationship, bullying, or any threats of these things (just as important) are all reasons to break confidentiality and report.
- All other youth in leadership positions, including touch group leaders have the responsibility to report and do something about it if they are aware or become aware of any situations that would require confidentiality to be broken.
- Do not sign up or run for a leadership position if you feel you would be unable to report a situation (even if it was your best friend).
- You must inform the co-chairs, and then the youth's parents, minister, and/or DRE will be contacted. If the youth's church has no DRE or minister, and/or the parents are part of the problem, contact Evin Carvill-Zeimer.
- A draft of procedure for non-chaplain leaders is being created.

❖ **Other**

- Caz Tidrick has officially resigned as Head Chaplain. A replacement or other solution will be decided at a later time, as it is not urgent.
- A UU youth, Connor Warwick, was a victim in the recent Pennsylvania school stabbing. We will be creating some kind of card or other message for him.

**Meeting end:** 12:36 a.m. April 12, 2014