

Friends Camp Association  
2022 Annual Report  
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The Camp Onas community celebrated its centennial in 2022. As always, campers and staff were ecstatic to spend their summer in Ottsville. The Camp Onas team continues to work tirelessly to ensure another successful century of fun. This summer was HOT, our changing environment requires new tactics and facilities to keep kids cool and safe during the summer months. The shower house reconstruction project faced various delays and was unable to be completed in time for the season. Camp Onas rented trailer facilities which included toilets and showers, though some remember a time when Onas had no plumbing at all, it was a successful pivot. Construction remains halted as delays continue so it is likely the trailers will return for summer 2023. The Camp Onas full-year staff has a new hire, Isabelle Helmich, who serves as the Advancement and Engagement Director. Onas is lucky to have such a dedicated community full of highly qualified, young professionals. Assistant Director, Dex Coen-Gilbert, acquired an additional title as the IDEA Coordinator. His work includes meeting with summer staff members who are a part of the IDEA Committee throughout the year. IDEA stands for Inclusion Diversity Equity and Access, as the Friends Camp Association pushes forward efforts in making camp a safe space for all. This Giving Tuesday's goal was largely surpassed. The Camp Onas Advancement team is gearing up for long-term fundraising goals. More information to come throughout this year.