NOMC 2017 SPRING RETREAT



RETREAT THEME: UNWANTED CHILD



There are work families. There are play families. There are social families. There are support families. There are adopted families. There are birth families.



And there are stories. Oh, there are stories.

THE RETREAT WILL BE HELD ON April 7, 8, and 9, 2017 AT KING'S ARROW RANCH, HILLSDALE, MS

WHAT TO EXPECT

We seek to provide a safe place for men to connect with themselves, other men and the environment. Large and small group experiences as well as some time alone are planned. In our mythopoetic tradition, storytelling, poetry, drumming and experiential learning can be expected.

PLEASE INVITE ANOTHER MAN TO COME WITH YOU.

WHEN

Arrive Friday, April 7. On site registration and bunk assignment will begin at 5 pm. Please plan to arrive no later than 6 PM. Dinner will be available at 6 PM, and our opening ceremony will begin at 7 PM. You may arrive as early as you wish on Friday to check out the grounds, hike, meditate, etc. The retreat will end after lunch on Sunday.

WHERE

King's Arrow Ranch, Hillsdale, MS, just east off exit 35 on I-59 North, 75 miles north of New Orleans and 30 miles south of Hattiesburg, MS. In case of emergency, you can be reached thru the KAR phone # 601-796-3423 or 601-310-0460.

PRE-REGISTER VIA E-MAIL

We ask that you pre-register by April 1st so we can estimate lodging and meals required. To register, just reply to this email and let us know you will be there (<u>retreat@thenomc.org</u>). If you do not have email, call one of the facilitators to register. A confirmation letter with more details will be sent upon registration. For confidentiality and privacy, information provided for registration will only be available to retreat participants.

COST:

The cost of the Retreat is \$130.00 and that fee covers all meals and lodging. You can pay by check or cash upon arrival, Friday April 7.

SCHOLARSHIPS

If you need financial assistance, please contact a facilitator.

NOMC PLANNING MEETING

At the conclusion of the retreat on Sunday, a planning meeting to discuss the next retreat, as well as planning for the future of NOMC will be held. All interested are encouraged to stay for the meeting.

QUESTIONS?

For additional information about the retreat, contact a facilitator. Ed Tedrow 504-610-3197 or George Beals 662-312-2099

VISIT THE NOMC WEBSITE

http://www.thenomc.org/retreats.html