



A few of the 2023 Work Weekend Volunteers After Dinner Saturday Evening

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CAME TO VOLUNTEER LAST YEAR!

Dear Virginia Elks,

The 2024 Virginia Elks Youth Camp Weekend is coming up soon!

The weekend is scheduled for May 17TH - 19th, 2024. We look forward to seeing you at Camp!

General Info:

We ask those interested in coming up, please let us know as soon as possible so that we can plan to have needed supplies that we provide (such as paint, brushes.)

Each Lodge should bring what materials or equipment they might need. If power washing (or any questions arise about maintenance) is needed, please notify and speak with Ranger David Buchanan (540) 968-0175. If he does not answer, please leave an email (ranger@veyc.us) or text him as reception can be spotty at the Camp. Also, reference the Maintenance information that will be sent out, as well as sent to your Lodge Directors.

Each person attending, and wants to stay overnight:

* Should provide: any needed linens (including a sleeping bag/blanket if wanted), toiletries, folding chairs, and any other “extras” that they may want.

*Please bring whatever food you would like to have for breakfast on both mornings, as well as any beverages/mixers/sodas/juices or snacks. VEYC will provide Saturday lunch and dinner, with a meat, 2 sides, and bread. Feel free to bring a dessert to share!

*Dress casually, but it can get a little chilly at night, having a sweatshirt is always something to have just in case.

*As for motorhomes, dry camping with dumping available at Douthat State Park. If you plan to bring one, please let us know prior so that we can check on electrical hookups.

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Meals...

Friday:

*Please bring whatever you would like; however, there are several good options in Clifton Forge. Many of us go to the local pizza shop or Pub downtown Clifton Forge and then visit the Clifton Forge Lodge. It is a great time to fellowship!

Saturday:

*Breakfast- Bring whatever you may enjoy. There will be some donated breakfast casseroles, as well as muffins, etc. This is very casual. If you have something to share, it would be appreciated. Coffee is always ready!

*Lunch-The Camp will provide a light lunch of “make it yourself” sandwich materials, along with chips. Feel free to bring anything you would like to share. Very simple lunch, however.

*Dinner-The Camp will have dinner available consisting of meat, two sides, and bread. If you would like to bring a dessert to share, it would be wonderful!

****This meal has no charge*, but we will accept any donation toward the cost. We are doing it this way since we know it can be difficult to bring so much with you since you plan to work during the day!

Sunday: This is casual. We can have leftovers or whatever you would like to bring. Many get out early, so this is usually something quick. Coffee is always ready!

Again, please let us know if you plan to attend, and/or your Lodge's attendance, and if you are:

*staying just Saturday?

and

*if you will be there for meals?

and

*if you plan to stay through Sunday?

If there are any cancellations, we will get it to you as quickly as possible.

Feel free to contact any member of the Board for assistance.

We look forward to seeing y'all and working closely in support of our Elks Youth Camp!

Sincerely,

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**Information can also be found: virginiaelks.org and go to the Youth Camp drop down and click on Blog

