



**FLUVANNA**  
PARKS & RECREATION

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Monthly Led Hikes  
Open Gym  
Summer Day Camp**

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Live Music  
Pleasant Grove Park  
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**SUMMER 2024 PROGRAM GUIDE**

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**MISSION STATEMENT:** Our Parks and Recreation Department's mission is to promote opportunities for residents to pursue safe and enjoyable leisure activities in balance with the protection and conservation of Fluvanna's natural resources.

## FLUVANNA COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD

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Members shall advise the Director of Parks and Recreation and the Board of Supervisors on the planning and development of a comprehensive system of parks and recreation services for the benefit of the citizens of Fluvanna County. Members also serve as a liaison between the Parks and Recreation Director, the Board of Supervisors and the citizens of the county.

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Board of Supervisors Meetings are the first Wednesday at 5 pm and third Wednesday at 7 pm of every month. BOS info at [www.fluvannacounty.org/bos](http://www.fluvannacounty.org/bos)

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Event Updates and Current Trail Info...

[www.facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation](http://www.facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation)

Send us an email: [pghmuseum@fluvannacounty.org](mailto:pghmuseum@fluvannacounty.org)

## Financial Assistance

Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation offers scholarships to Fluvanna County residents who qualify. Please fill out a scholarship application and provide a copy of your most recent pay stub for management to review.

You can find the form on the Parks and Recreation website or at one of our offices. Each household member is allowed one discounted program per program guide.

## Volunteer Opportunities

We are committed to working cooperatively in the development of programs and amenities to identify and meet the needs of our citizens. Become an active partner with us as we strive to improve the quality of life for all Fluvanna County residents.

## Interested in Teaching a Class?

Teaching doesn't have to be hard! We will help you. Tell us what you would like to teach, we will help you create a curriculum, advertise the program, and bring you the students.

**Call (434) 589 - 2016 for information.**

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## HOW TO REGISTER FOR PROGRAMS:

Registration for all programs opens when the current program guide is distributed. You must be registered by the registration deadline for a program. You must be registered to participate in a program, unless listing states otherwise. Register online at <https://fluvanna.recdesk.com> and click "Log In".



## Register in person at the following locations during business hours:

**Pleasant Grove House Museum**, 271 Pleasant Grove Drive, Palmyra, VA 22963

Monday - Friday, 8 AM - 5 PM. Please call (434) 589-2016 before arriving to Pleasant Grove House.

**Fluvanna Community Center**, 5725 James Madison Highway, Fork Union, VA 23055

Monday - Friday, 8 AM - 5 PM. Please call (434) 842-3150 before arriving to community center.

## After business hours, you can leave registrations and payments in one of our drop boxes:

- Pleasant Grove Equestrian Parking, 271 Pleasant Grove Drive, Palmyra, VA 22963
- Carysbrook Sports Complex, 8788 James Madison Highway, Fork Union, VA 23055
- Fluvanna Community Center, 5725 James Madison Highway, Fork Union, VA 23055

**Payment is due one week before program starts. A \$20 charge is added for returned checks.**

**Refund Policy:** Refunds may be given when requested provided the request is made prior to the start of the activity. A \$10 service charge will be deducted from the refund unless the cause is due to a change in the class schedule. If supplies were purchased on your behalf, that amount may also be deducted from your refund. Allow up to 30 days for your refund to be returned. A \$20 service charge will be assessed for any returned checks.

**Prices, event dates and times are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances.**

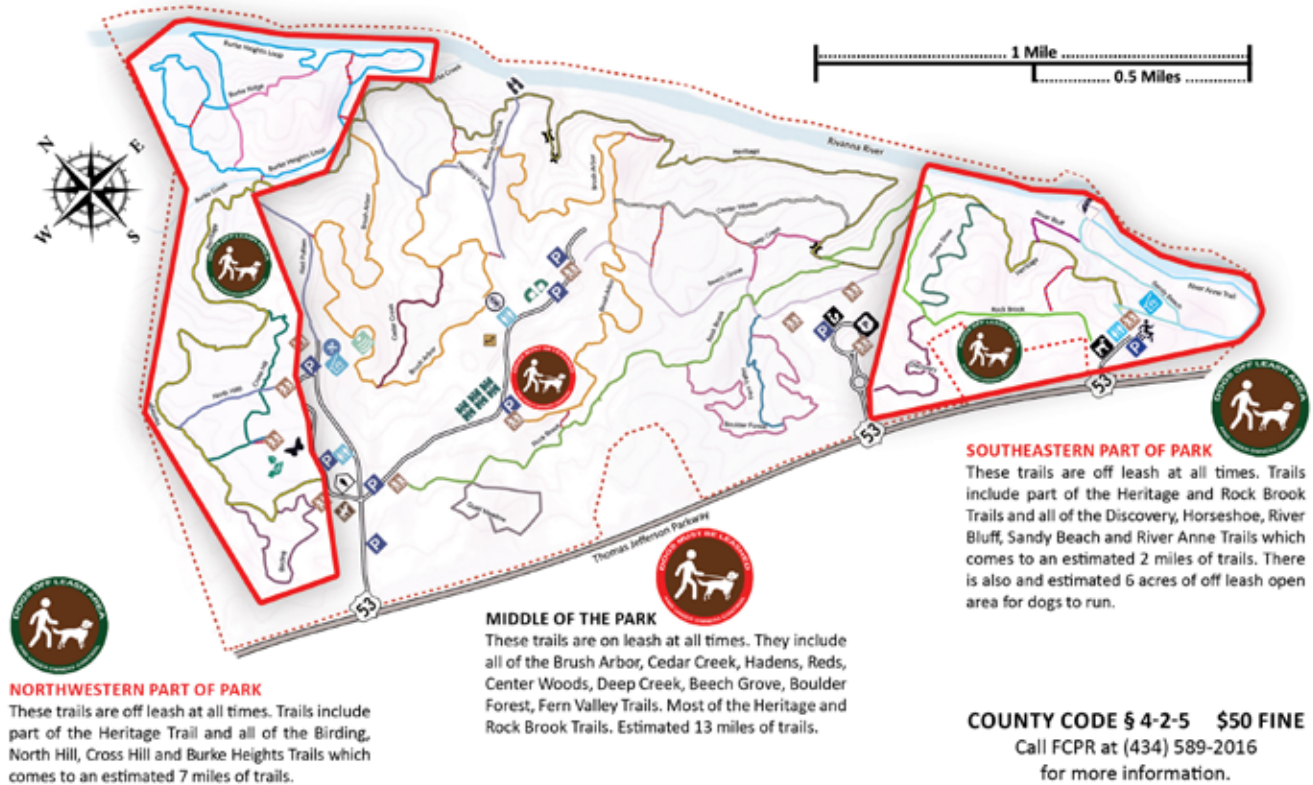
**COURSE INSTRUCTORS DO NOT COLLECT FEES AND CANNOT SIGN YOU UP FOR A PROGRAM.**

**FCPR INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY:** In the event of inclement weather, the Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation Department's sponsored activities will be cancelled when Fluvanna County Public Schools are on a delay or closed due to inclement weather. Programs may be postponed to another date or a refund may be issued when applicable.

Visit our Facebook page @ [www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation](http://www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation) for current announcements or call our office at (434) 589-2016, Monday - Friday 8AM - 5PM.



# PLEASANT GROVE PARK • DOG LEASH MAP UNDER NEW COUNTY CODE § 4-2-5 Off-leash Areas are Inside of the Red Lines



**ORDINANCE TO AMEND “THE CODE OF THE COUNTY OF FLUVANNA, VIRGINIA”,  
BY ENACTING § 4-2-5 TO PROHIBIT DOGS FROM RUNNING UNRESTRICTED WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES  
OF PROPERTY OWNED, LEASED, CONTROLLED OR OPERATED BY THE COUNTY WITH EXEMPTIONS FOR  
(I) DOGS WITHIN DESIGNATED OFF-LEASH AREAS; (II) SERVICE DOGS; (III) LAW ENFORCEMENT CANINES; AND  
(IV) DOGS IN COUNTY APPROVED OFF-LEASH EVENTS**

**BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Fluvanna County:**  
**(1) That The Code of the County of Fluvanna, Virginia is amended by enacting § 4-2-5, as follows:**  
**Sec. 4-2-5. Unrestricted dogs prohibited.**

**A. Definition.** For purposes of this section, the following term shall have the meaning indicated: **“Unrestricted”** means not under the control of the owner or his agent either by leash, cord, chain, or primary enclosure when off the property or premises of the owner or custodian. An electronic device does not qualify as a leash, cord or chain.

**B. Prohibition.** No dog shall run unrestricted within the boundaries of any property owned, leased, controlled or operated by the County.

**C. Enforcement.** The provisions of this section shall be enforced only by sworn law enforcement officers.

**D. Exceptions.** This Section shall not apply to any person who uses a dog as follows:

- **i)** Dogs within areas designated by a resolution approved by the Fluvanna County Board of Supervisors as off-leash trails, dog parks and dog exercise areas.
- **ii)** Service dogs whose handler is unable because of a disability to use a harness, leash, or other tether, or the use of a harness, leash, or other tether would interfere with the service animal’s safe effective performance of work or tasks.
- **iii)** Dogs under the control of Law Enforcement.
- **iv)** Dogs involved in County approved events including obedience training classes or shows, agility training or field trials, or similar activities where dogs are under the control of the owner or custodian.

**E. Impoundment.** Any dog found unrestricted shall be impounded, except that if the rightful owner of the dog can be immediately ascertained and located, then that owner shall be allowed to have custody of the animal, but may be subject to issuance of a civil penalty for violation of this section.

**F. Penalty.** A violation of this section by a habitual offender, defined as an owner or custodian having three or more violations of this section within two years, may result in a civil penalty of fifty dollars (\$50.00).

*That the Ordinance shall be effective thirty days after adoption (February 16, 2024).*

# FLUVANNA COUNTY PRESENTS



## The Atkinsons • Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>

Melding roots, country and rock into their own style of rambling swing rock & roll. Heartfelt storytelling is at the core of The Atkinsons, and it is complemented with three-part harmonies layered over mandolin, fiddle, drums, bass and electric guitars. From country, mountain, bluegrass, to straight-up rock & roll music, and the sound ends up being quite a musical stew.



## JBB • Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>

JBB is an eclectic psychedelic southern rock and roll jam band, that will have you on the edge of your seat awaiting what awesome jam or song or cover awaits around the next corner. Sift through the funk, to rockabilly to dance party grooves as you find your way to musical nirvana and discovering, what is JBB?!



## Dan and the Fam • Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>

A melodic odyssey of sonic exploration. Dan & The Fam is a psychedelic groove rock band from Richmond, VA that delivers unforgettable live performances filled with soul soaring originals, funky improvised arrangements, and special guest sit-ins that make every show unique.



## Tin Can Fish Band • Saturday, August 10<sup>th</sup>

Progressive Folk Rock and Roots. Acoustic guitar, bass, electric guitar, mandolin & fiddle, accordion, and drums. Primarily performing originals, TCFB draws from a wide variety of folk, rock and roots material ranging from public domain and Bluegrass to Americana and World music.



## Joe The Spy • Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>

Joe The Spy is a 6 piece blues rock band playing music from Stevie Ray Vaughn to Aretha Franklin. Jose Rubio, guitar and vocals and Lee Gammon, Bass guitar both studied music at VCU in Richmond. Glenn Jones, Drums, studied music at VSU in Petersburg Virginia. Brian Mhlongo comes to us from South Africa. Apollonia Morris, our lead vocalist sings the likes of Etta James to Joplin to Tina Turner. Pix Ensign, master Blues harp player from Ohio. A unique sound to sing and dance to!



# COMMUNITY SENIOR CENTERS



⇒ [Cunningham Community Senior Center](#) 10AM - 2PM on Mondays (the day before the 2nd & 4th Tuesdays) at VFW Post 8169.  
**2977 West River Road, Scottsville VA 24590**



⇒ [Troy Community Senior Center](#) 10AM - 2PM on Tuesdays (1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month) at Beaver Dam Baptist Church.  
**1794 Richmond Road, Troy VA 22974**



⇒ [Fork Union Community Senior Center](#) 10AM - 2PM on Wednesdays (day after 2nd & 4th Tuesdays) at the Fluvanna Community Center  
**5725 James Madison Highway, Fork Union VA 23055**



⇒ [Kents Store Community Senior Center](#) 10AM - 2PM on Thursdays (2 days after the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays) at the Agricultural Recreation Center.  
**ARC, 111 Kents Store Way, Kents Store VA 23084**

**MEMBERSHIP:** There is no cost to be a Member. You must be at least 55 years old and register at your first meeting, and then attend regularly, in order to be considered a Member.

**CENTER DAYS:** When not on a trip, we are open; 10AM - 2PM. Visitors and volunteers are welcome. *We socialize, exercise, play games, do crafts, plan trips.* You can visit as your schedule allows. However, if you'd like to get a meal provided by JABA while you're there, you must sign up with Faith Stuart at FCPR at least a week in advance.

*Each facility has a refrigerator, if you'd like to bring your own beverage/snacks/lunch.*

**SENIOR RESOURCES:** Being a Member, means you will be alerted regarding services offered to seniors by any of our community partners: JABA, Jaunt, MAACA, Virginia Tech Extension Office, the high school, local church groups, and the Virginia Department of Veterans Services.

**TRIPS:** Center Trips are planned for, and catered to, the membership of each center. FCPR offsets costs of trips for our Members. What each Member will pay is decided on, at least two weeks in advance of the trip, and can be paid to FCPR, up to the morning of the trip.

**LARGER TRIPS:** Being a Member, includes you in the larger group of all four centers. This means you will be invited to attend FCPR's holiday events and larger trips.

For more information or to subscribe to receiving informational emails, contact Faith Stuart:

**434-842-3150 (Office)**

**434-270-3245 (Work Cell)**

**fstuart@fluvannacounty.org**

<p><b>Cunningham</b> ✂</p> <p><b>Mondays:</b></p> <p>5/13 • 5/20 T</p> <p>6/10 • 6/24</p> <p>7/8 • 7/22</p> <p>8/12 • 8/26</p>	<p><b>Troy</b> ✂</p> <p><b>Tuesdays:</b></p> <p>5/7 • 5/21</p> <p>6/4 • 6/18 T</p> <p>7/2 • 7/16</p> <p>8/6 • 8/20</p>	<p><b>Fork Union</b> ✂</p> <p><b>Wednesdays:</b></p> <p>5/15 • 5/29 T</p> <p>6/12 • 6/26</p> <p>7/10 • 7/24</p> <p>8/14 • 8/28</p>	<p><b>Kents Store</b> ✂</p> <p><b>Thursdays:</b></p> <p>5/9 • 5/23</p> <p>6/6 • 6/20</p> <p>7/11 • 7/18</p> <p>8/8 • 8/22</p>
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**Attention Veterans and Dependents! Do you know your Veterans Benefits? We do!**  
**Virginia Department of Veterans Services** [www.dvs.virginia.gov](http://www.dvs.virginia.gov)  
 For an appointment call Jeannette Flint (434) 529 - 6431

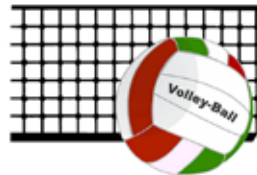


# OPEN GYM

## **VOLLEYBALL OPEN GYM / Summer 2024 / Free / Carysbrook Gym**

Hours subject to change and closure. Call (434) 589-2016 or check our Facebook page for current hours and closures. [www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation](https://www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation)

- **Mondays:** 6 - 9PM All Ages



## **BASKETBALL OPEN GYM / Summer 2024 / Free / Carysbrook Gym**

Hours subject to change and closure. Call (434) 589-2016 or check our Facebook page for current hours and closures. [www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation](https://www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation)

- **Tuesdays:** 6 - 9PM 17 Under Youth Basketball
- **Thursdays:** 6 - 9PM 18 Over Adult Basketball



## **PICKLEBALL OPEN GYM / Summer 2024 / Free / Carysbrook Gym**

Pickleball is a cross between Ping Pong, Tennis, and Badminton and is the fastest growing sport for athletes 50 and over! Players use oversized wooden paddles and a whiffleball that moves and bounces slower than a tennis ball. The game is played on a badminton-sized court that is divided by a 34 inch high net making the game easier for athletes to cover the court.

**Paddles and balls are provided.**

***Come and join the FUN!!!***

It's fast paced, easy to learn, great exercise, and a lot of fun.

- **Wednesdays:** 6 - 9PM All Ages
- **Saturdays:** 6 - 9PM All Ages



## **CARYSBROOK GYM RULES**

- Athletic clothing and shoes are required. Street worn clothing may contain loops, rivets, zippers and other adornments that may be hazardous to participants and/or facility and are prohibited from gym floor.
- Youth under 16 years old must be accompanied by a parent/guardian at all times unless they are participating in an organized program.
- Alcohol and tobacco use in this facility is strictly prohibited.
- No food or drinks allowed in gym area, except liquids in re-sealable containers.
- Profanity, suggestive language and aggressive behavior will not be tolerated.
- All individuals not playing will remain off court during warm-ups and games.
- No Dunking on basketball rims at any level.
- No marking by unauthorized personnel on gym floors at any time.
- No unauthorized personnel allowed in any of the facility storage rooms or areas.
- Participating in the facility's activities or programs is at your own risk.
- Please ask the "Facility Monitor" if you have any questions, concerns or needs.



**FAILURE TO FOLLOW ANY OF THESE RULES MAY LEAD TO YOUR REMOVAL FROM THE GYM!**

**Scan QR Code for Directions to Carysbrook Gym... →**  
**8788 James Madison Highway, Fork Union, VA 23055**



# VALLEY AMUSEMENTS



## PLEASANT GROVE PARK

May 8, May 9, May 10 & May 11, 2024

**FREE ENTRY - FREE PARKING**

**RIDES: \$20 Armbands or \$1 per Ticket**

Wednesday, May 8

6 PM to 10 PM

Thursday, May 9

6 PM to 10 PM

Friday, May 10

5 PM to 10 PM

Saturday, May 11

10 AM to 3 PM & 5 PM to 10 PM



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# FLUVANNA COUNTY PRESENTS

# CR ROOVIN' at the GROVE

Live Music  
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**The Atkinsons**  
**Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, 5-7PM**



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[theatkinsons.us](http://theatkinsons.us)

[instagram.com/theatkinsonsrva](https://www.instagram.com/theatkinsonsrva)

[facebook.com/theatkinsons](https://www.facebook.com/theatkinsons)

**FREE MUSIC IN THE PARK!**  
**Food Trucks and a Beer Garden!**  
**Library FUN Zone!**

PLEASANT GROVE PARK



# FCPR SUMMER YOUTH DAY CAMP

## **WEEK 1: THEME PARK WEEK**

**Ages 7-12 / June 3 -June 7 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM**

**\$300 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

Let's get the summer started with a Thrill and a Splash! Water Country USA, Kings Dominion, Massanutten Water Park, Busch Gardens and Soak City! Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, June 3:** Water Country USA
- **Tuesday, June 4:** Kings Dominion
- **Wednesday, June 5:** Massanutten Water Park
- **Thursday, June 6:** Busch Gardens
- **Friday, June 7:** Soak City

## **WEEK 2: CAVE WEEK**

**Ages 7-12 / June 10 -June 14 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM**

**\$250 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

Let's stay cool this week and explore Virginia Caves! Shenandoah Caverns, Skyline Caverns, Natural Bridge Area, Massanutten Water Park, Luray Caverns and Grand Cavern. Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, June 10:** Shenandoah Caverns & Skyline Caverns
- **Tuesday, June 11:** Kayak the Rivanna & Bike or Disc Golf at Pleasant Grove
- **Wednesday, June 12:** Natural Bridge Area, Caverns, Safari Park and Zoo
- **Thursday, June 13:** Massanutten Water Park
- **Friday, June 14:** Luray Caverns, Luray Zoo, Rte 11 Chip Factory and Grand Cavern

## **WEEK 3: MUSEUM EXPLORERS WEEK**

**Ages 7-12 / June 17-June 21/ 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM**

**\$250 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

Let's visit the museums in our area and learn of our past. Montpelier, Frontier Culture Museum, Pamplin Historical Park, Richmond Zoo, Richmond Science Museum, Monticello and C'ville Escape Room!

Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, June 17:** Montpelier
- **Tuesday, June 18:** Frontier Culture Museum
- **Wednesday, June 19:** Pamplin Historical Park
- **Thursday, June 20:** Richmond Zoo & Richmond Science Museum
- **Friday, June 21:** Monticello and C'ville Escape Room

## **WEEK 4: ART WEEK**

**Ages 7-12 / June 24-June 28 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM**

**\$250 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at the Fluvanna Community Center**

Explore how everyday items can be used for creative and artistic purposes. Using a wide array of materials to create art, toys, gadgets, jewelry and more. On Wednesday we will take a field trip the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. All artwork and creations will be finished by the end of the day on Friday.

Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, June 24:** Art in the Classroom
- **Tuesday, June 25:** Art in the Classroom
- **Wednesday, June 26:** Field trip to the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts
- **Thursday, June 27:** Art in the Classroom
- **Friday, June 28:** Art in the Classroom

# FCPR SUMMER YOUTH DAY CAMP

## **WEEK 5: THEME PARK WEEK**

**Ages 7-12 / July 1 -July 3 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM**

**\$180 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

Get ready for the holiday! Massanutten Water Park, Busch Gardens and Kings Dominion!

Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, July 1:** Massanutten Water Park
- **Tuesday, July 2:** Busch Gardens
- **Wednesday, July 3:** Kings Dominion

## **WEEK 6: CAVE WEEK**

**Ages 7-12 / July 8 -June 12 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM**

**\$250 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

Let's stay cool this week and explore Virginia Caves! Shenandoah Caverns, Skyline Caverns, Natural Bridge Area, Massanutten Water Park, Luray Caverns and Grand Cavern.

Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, July 8:** Shenandoah Caverns & Skyline Caverns
- **Tuesday, July 9:** Kayak the Rivanna & Bike or Disc Golf at Pleasant Grove
- **Wednesday, July 10:** Natural Bridge Area, Caverns, Safari Park and Zoo
- **Thursday, July 11:** Massanutten Water Park
- **Friday, July 12:** Luray Caverns, Luray Zoo, Rte 11 Chip Factory and Grand Cavern

## **WEEK 7: ART WEEK**

**Ages 7-12 / July 15 -July 19 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM**

**\$250 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at the Fluvanna Community Center**

Explore how everyday items can be used for creative and artistic purposes. Using a wide array of materials to create art, toys, gadgets, jewelry and more. On Wednesday we will take a field trip the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. All artwork and creations will be finished by the end of the day on Friday.

Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, July 15:** Art in the Classroom
- **Tuesday, July 16:** Art in the Classroom
- **Wednesday, July 17:** Field trip to the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts
- **Thursday, July 18:** Art in the Classroom
- **Friday, July 19:** Art in the Classroom

## **WEEK 8: MUSEUM EXPLORERS WEEK**

**Ages 7-12 / July 22 -July 26 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM**

**\$250 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

Let's visit the museums in our area and learn of our past. Montpelier, Frontier Culture Museum, Pamplin Historical Park, Richmond Zoo, Richmond Science Museum, Monticello and C'ville Escape Room!

Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, July 22:** Montpelier
- **Tuesday, July 23:** Frontier Culture Museum
- **Wednesday, July 24:** Pamplin Historical Park
- **Thursday, July 25:** Richmond Zoo & Richmond Science Museum
- **Friday, July 26:** Monticello and C'ville Escape Room



# FCPR SUMMER YOUTH DAY CAMP

## WEEK 9: THEME PARK WEEK

**Ages 7-12 / July 29 -July 31 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM  
\$180 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

Let's end the summer with a Thrill & a Splash! Water Country USA! Kings Dominion and Busch Gardens!  
Limited to 20 registrants per program.

- **Monday, July 29:** Water Country USA
- **Tuesday, July 30:** Kings Dominion
- **Wednesday, July 31:** Busch Gardens

## FCPR YOUTH BASKETBALL DAY CAMP

**Ages 5 - 12 / June 10 - 14 / \$60 / Carysbrook Gym**

The game of basketball is a fun experience for all ages.

This camp is a non-competitive environment to teach boys and girls the fundamentals of passing, dribbling, shooting, offensive and defensive strategies.

Learn these fundamentals while having lots of fun with your new friends.

- **Ages 5 - 8 years:** 9:00AM - 10:15AM
- **Ages 9 - 12 years:** 10:30AM - 12PM

## MOUNTAIN BIKING SKILLS CLINIC

**Ages 8+ / \$45 / Experience: Beginner - Intermediate**

**Saturdays in May / 8AM - 11AM / Meet at the Pleasant Grove House Parking Lot**

Are you looking for a local mountain biking skills class to learn more about trail riding? You found it! If you are a rider that enjoys rolling around the neighborhood and would like to take your riding to the next level, this is where you belong. You will learn and practice basic mountain biking skills necessary to navigate the trail system at Pleasant Grove Park. The skills covered include body position, bike separation, shifting, braking, climbing, descending, and dealing with minor obstacles. We will also talk about trail user communication and trail etiquette.

Bring a bike, helmet, water bottle and snack and be ready to ride.

***Bikes are available but inventory and sizes are limited! Please indicate at registration!***

Have a bike that needs a tune up? Email Matt Stancil at [mstancil@fluvannacounty.org](mailto:mstancil@fluvannacounty.org) and he will help you get it trail ready!

***Bring your bike, helmet, water bottle, snack and be ready to ride!***

## MOUNTAIN BIKING AT PLEASANT GROVE

**Ages 10+ / Free - Registration Required / Experience: Beginner - Intermediate**

**Saturdays June & July / 2 - 4PM / Meet at the Pleasant Grove House Parking Lot**

Beginner group rides are now available for anyone who would like to know more about the trail system at Pleasant Grove. Riders will learn and fine tune basic riding skills while experiencing the extensive trail system in a supportive setting of like-minded riders.

Bring a bike, helmet, water bottle and snack and be ready to ride.

***Bikes are available but inventory and sizes are limited! Please indicate at registration!***

Have a bike that needs a tune up? Email Matt Stancil at [mstancil@fluvannacounty.org](mailto:mstancil@fluvannacounty.org) and he will help you get it trail ready!

***Bring your bike, helmet, water bottle, snack and be ready to ride!***



**All bike programs are depended on the weather and trail conditions.  
If Cancelled due to weather or trail conditions, you will be refunded.**

# FLUVANNA COUNTY PRESENTS

# ROOVIN' at the GROVE

Live Music  
Pleasant Grove Park

## JBB

Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 5-7PM



JBB is an eclectic psychedelic southern rock and roll jam band, that will have you on the edge of your seat awaiting what awesome jam or song or cover awaits around the next corner. Sift through the funk, to rockabilly to dance party grooves as you find your way to musical nirvana and discovering, what is JBB?!

[jbb-live.com](http://jbb-live.com)    [instagram.com/jbb\\_live](https://www.instagram.com/jbb_live)    [facebook.com/jbbliveband](https://www.facebook.com/jbbliveband)

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# HORSEBACK RIDING CLASSES

## EQUUS SPRINGS FARM DAY CAMP

**Ages 8 and Up / All Skill Levels / July 22-26 / 8AM- 4PM / Pre-Registration Required**

**\$375 / Equus Springs Farm / drop off as early as 7:30, pick up as late as 4:30, later by personal arrangement**

Spend a week at a family run working Horseback Riding Stable where the learning possibilities are endless: riding lessons, horse care, feeding, first aid, clipping, tack care, hoof care, bathing, anatomy, judging, critiquing, showmanship, training, foaling, pool time, games on horseback, field trips, crafts, and so many more possibilities. Daily riding lessons, weather permitting. Improve your intro/beginner to intermediate riding skills. Find out what it really means to own a horse. Proper heeled riding boots required. Bring your lunch, swim suit, towel, sunblock as needed, and dress for the weather each day, as this is an OUTDOOR camp.

Participants will be actively involved in the daily routine of running a horse farm; learning by doing, and getting dirty, hot, and tired.

**Registration deadline one week prior to camp start date (July 15, 2024).**

Space is limited; first come first serve. There are a total of 4 slots available.

## HORSEBACK RIDING CLASSES AT EQUUS SPRINGS FARM

**Hunt Seat and Western Lessons Available / Instructor: Heather Antonacci**

**Ages 6 - 96 / 4 week class / \$140 / Equus Springs Farm**

Equus Springs Farm Horseback riding classes are open to all levels of riders, ages 6 to 96. (Weight limit 180#). Beginners learn grooming, tacking up, leading, and riding. More advanced riders may learn to jump courses, do lead changes, ride patterns, ride equitation tests, and so much more. Each rider learns at their own pace and level within the program. School horses and ponies available in a wide range of sizes and abilities to suit each rider. Each class is 4 weeks long. Lessons are an hour long, but tend to run over time. Riders should come in long pants, need to wear shoes/boots with a separate heel (no sneakers), and dress for the weather.

**Class size is limited to three new students per session.**

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| • <b>Session 09:</b> Thursdays | May 2 - May 23   | 6:00- 7:00 PM   |
| • <b>Session 10:</b> Thursdays | May 16 - June 6  | 4:30- 5:30 PM   |
| • <b>Session 11:</b> Saturdays | May 18 - June 8  | 10:30- 11:30 AM |
| • <b>Session 12:</b> Saturdays | July 6 - July 27 | 10:30- 11:30 AM |
| • <b>Session 13:</b> Thursdays | July 11 - Aug 1  | 6:00- 7:00 PM   |
| • <b>Session 14:</b> Thursdays | July 18 - Aug 8  | 4:30- 5:30 PM   |
| • <b>Session 15:</b> Thursdays | Aug 29 - Sept 19 | 6:00- 7:00 PM   |
| • <b>Session 16:</b> Saturdays | Aug 31 - Sept 21 | 10:30- 11:30 AM |



**Scan for Scholarship Application Form-----** 

Questions, call Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation at (434) 589-2016



Register online: **<https://fluvanna.recdesk.com>**

Questions, call Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation

at (434) 589-2016 or Scan this QR Code..... 



# FCPR SUMMER ADULT RIVER PROGRAMS

## **ADULT - KAYAK THE RIVANNA RIVER - CROFTON TO PALMYRA**

**Ages 18+ / See Dates Below / 9AM / \$45 / Pre-Registration Required**

**Meets at the Palmyra VA DWR Boat Launch, Shuttle Provided**

For those who have some kayak experience and are ready to paddle the Rivanna River. **This is not for beginners.** Take a leisurely float down the Rivanna River from Crofton to Palmyra. Guided by an experienced Fluvanna Parks and Recreation River Guide.

Kayak, paddle and life-jacket (PFD) provided. Paddling experience required. You must be able to swim, there is always the possibility of going overboard when kayaking. You must be able to carry one end of a boat and assist in lifting it onto a trailer.

Please wear appropriate water clothing or swimsuit and river shoes (**No Crocs!**). Insect repellent, sunblock and a hat recommended. Bring two full water bottles (32 oz.), lunch and a snack.

Questions, please contact Eric Armentrout at (434) 589 - 2016 or [earmentrout@fluvannacounty.org](mailto:earmentrout@fluvannacounty.org)

**Saturday June 22 and Saturday July 20**

**All Kayak Treks are depended on the weather and river conditions.**

**If Cancelled due to weather or river conditions, you will be refunded.**

## **ADULT - RIVANNA RIVER HISTORY - CROFTON TO PALMYRA**

**Ages 18+ / See Dates Below / 9AM / \$55 / Pre-Registration Required**

**Meets at the Palmyra VA DWR Boat Launch, Shuttle Provided**

For those who have some kayak experience and are ready to paddle the Rivanna River. **This is not for beginners.** Take a leisurely and educational float down the Rivanna River from Crofton to Palmyra. Guided by local historian and boatman Brian Coffield. Stop and visit historic sites and structures that were an integral part of commercial navigation on the Rivanna in the 18th and 19th centuries.

Kayak, paddle and life-jacket (PFD) provided. Paddling experience required. You must be able to swim, there is always the possibility of going overboard when kayaking. You must be able to carry one end of a boat and assist in lifting it onto a trailer.

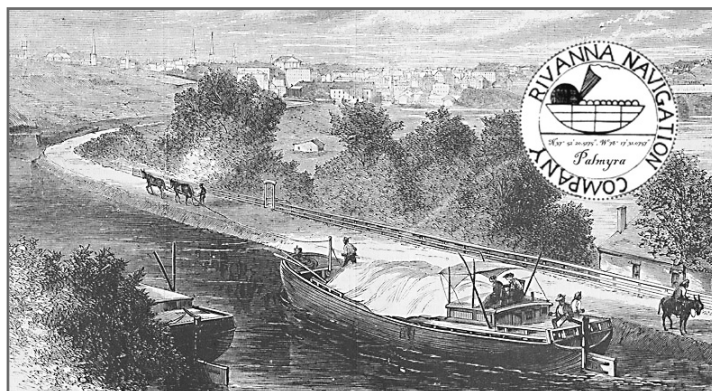
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Questions, please contact Eric Armentrout at (434) 589 - 2016 or [earmentrout@fluvannacounty.org](mailto:earmentrout@fluvannacounty.org)

**Saturday June 8 and Saturday June 29**

**All Kayak Treks are depended on the weather and river conditions.**

**If Cancelled due to weather or river conditions, you will be refunded.**



# Pleasant Grove Disc Golf Volunteer Work Day

## ***June 15, 2024, 9AM-1PM***

Get your work gloves and join us for a day of Volunteer Trail Maintenance and Fellowship with other Disc Golf Enthusiast, on the Pleasant Grove Disc Golf Course!

Call FCPR at (434) 589-2016 for more info. Sign up online now:  
<https://fluvanna.recdesk.com/Community/Program/Detail?programId=1699>



**Sponsor a Disc Golf Basket & Tee Pad at Pleasant Grove's Disc Golf Course!**  
Sponsorships are \$150 for the first year, and \$100 per year for each following year.

***Sponsors will have their logo and info displayed on a metal sign at their Tee-Pad.***



Eagle Scout Zack Harris, built this stage, with the help of BSA Troop 154 and FCPR, for his Eagle Scout Project.

This stage will be used for our new summer music series Groovin' at the Grove, as well as the Fluvanna County Fair and many more events to come!

With so many Eagle Scout Projects and Girl Scout Projects here at Pleasant Grove Park, FCPR is thankful for our local scouting community. Including **BSA Troop 154, BSA Troop 138, BSA Troop 1154, BSA Troop 1138, BSA Troop 54, Venturing Crew 54, Venturing Crew 763, GSUSA Troop 1106 and GSUSA Troop 883.** *Thank You!*

**The New Stage at Pleasant Grove Park.**



# FLUVANNA COUNTY PRESENTS

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Live Music  
**ROOVIN' at the GROVE**  
Pleasant Grove Park

**Dan and the Fam**  
Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>, 5-7 PM



A melodic odyssey of sonic exploration. Dan & The Fam is a psychedelic groove rock band from Richmond, VA that delivers unforgettable live performances filled with soul soaring originals, funky improvised arrangements, and special guest sit-ins that make every show unique.

[danandthefam.com](http://danandthefam.com) [instagram.com/danandthefamband](https://www.instagram.com/danandthefamband) [facebook.com/Danandthefam](https://www.facebook.com/Danandthefam)

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# DOG OBEDIENCE TRAINING

## DOG OBEDIENCE CLINICS

**Ages 10+ / \$50 per Clinic / Times Below / Dog Spot @ Fluvanna Community Center  
Class Minimum 4 Dogs - Class Maximum 6 Dogs**

**Questions about your dog's obedience level?** Please contact Ashleigh at [aymorris@hotmail.com](mailto:aymorris@hotmail.com)  
Prerequisite-completing a class or working with Ashleigh privately, basic skills are required to get the most out of the Clinics. The Clinics are a perfect way to practice your dog's skills in a practical setting and take them to the next level. No two Clinics are the same. The Clinics are designed as semi-private sessions. Once Ashleigh receives the registration list, she will reach out to inquire what your main goal is in taking the Clinic. She then takes the goals of all students and comes up with a personalized Clinic to benefit each pup/person team. We work on things like greetings, having your dog respond in the presence of distractions, commands at a distance and other fun things to build on your dog's skills and manners. No need to commit to a weekly schedule, this one-hour clinic will give you the tools to continue the practice on your own.

**Clinic 09:** Tue, May 14 / 2PM  
**Clinic 10:** Wed, May 22 / 3PM  
**Clinic 11:** Wed, June 5 / 10AM

**Clinic 12:** Mon, June 17 / 3PM  
**Clinic 13:** Tue, July 9 / 2PM  
**Clinic 14:** Wed, July 17 / 11AM



## LECTURE SERIES: THINKING OF GETTING A DOG?

**Ages 10+ / Dates Below / 6PM / Fluvanna Community Center  
\$30 individual / \$50 for a couple / \$60 for a family of 4**

This one hour lecture will address many things that need to be considered when adding a new furry member to your family. "Should I get a puppy or adult dog, from a breeder or rescue, what breed is the best fit for my lifestyle?" Things can get a bit confusing in this process! Ashleigh will present information that will help you to not only make the best decisions but also include insight into how to prepare your home and life for your new furry addition.

**Lecture 05:** Tue, May 14

**Lecture 06:** Wed, June 5

**Lecture 07:** Tue, July 9

## NEW LEASH ON SOCIETY CLINICS

**Ages 10+ / Dates and Locations Below / \$65 per Clinic**

A New Leash on Society Clinic - practicing public behavior around FluCo. Per students' requests, the Dog Spot is taking it to the streets! In these one-hour clinics students will meet at locations around Fluvanna to practice with their pups in real life settings. We'll be taking their skills to an even more practical level as they have fun outings. Dog etiquette and safety will also be discussed. As with the Dog Spot Clinics, Ashleigh does her best to personalize the Out & About Clinics to meet each dog's individual needs and goals making each Clinic unique to the students participating. Prerequisite-completing a class or private training with Ashleigh.

**Out & About Clinic 05:** Wed, May 8 / 3:30PM Court Square in Palmyra  
**Out & About Clinic 06:** Wed, June 12 / 4:30PM Ace Hardware in Palmyra  
**Out & About Clinic 07:** Wed, July 24 / 5PM Ace Hardware in Palmyra

**About the Instructor:** Upon graduating from UVA, Ashleigh Morris looked to the dog world for a career path. Her natural ability with dogs led her to pursue a career in dog training. Studying under an Animal Behavior Consultant, Ashleigh learned a variety of skills to help people learn to more effectively communicate with their dogs as well as solve their dog's behavior problems. She also learned to train dogs and humans in the basic skills needed to enhance the human - animal bond. Ashleigh has been training on her own since 2005 and continues to expand her knowledge and education in order to help people mold their dogs into the perfect companions. She uses positive reinforcement methods. Ashleigh also offers private training sessions. To learn more about what training opportunities will work best for your personal goals, visit [www.fluvannadogs.com](http://www.fluvannadogs.com) or contact her at (434) 589-7209 or email [aymorris@hotmail.com](mailto:aymorris@hotmail.com)

# FLUVANNA COUNTY PRESENTS

# CR ROOVIN' at the GROVE

Live Music  
Pleasant Grove Park

## Tin Can Fish Band Saturday, Aug 10<sup>th</sup>, 5-7PM



Progressive Folk Rock and Roots. Acoustic guitar, bass, electric guitar, mandolin & fiddle, accordion, and drums. Primarily performing originals, TCFB draws from a wide variety of folk, rock and roots material ranging from public domain and Bluegrass to Americana and World music.

[www.tincanfishband.com](http://www.tincanfishband.com)

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# **DOG OBEDIENCE TRAINING**

## **BEGINNING OBEDIENCE CLASS**

**Ages 10+ / \$125 per Session / Times Below / Classes are 1 Hour**

**Class Minimum 4 Dogs - Class Maximum 6 Dogs / Dog Spot @ Fluvanna Community Center**

Dogs will be dogs until humans teach them manners. Learn how to positively motivate your dog to learn how to live in the human world.

This class teaches sit, look, down, stay, come, leave it, and loose leash walking - all building blocks to a well-mannered dog. Typical behavior problems and solutions for biting, barking, and many other issues will be discussed. Dogs of all ages with up-to-date shots are welcome.

**Session 05:** Mon, May 6; Thur, May 9; Mon, May 13; Thur, May 16; Mon, May 20 / 5PM

**Session 06:** Fri, May 31; Tue, June 4; Fri, June 7; Tue, June 11; Fri, June 14 / 11:45AM

**Session 07:** Mon, July 8; Thur, July 11; Mon, July 15; Thur, July 18; Mon, July 22 / 5:15PM

## **CONFIDENCE CLASS**

**Ages 10+ / \$135 / 10:30AM- 11:30AM / Tue, June 4; Fri, June 7; Tue, June 11; Fri, June 14**

**Class Minimum 4 Dogs - Class Maximum 6 Dogs / Dog Spot @ Fluvanna Community Center**

**Confidence Class** helps dogs to build their confidence through the use of beginning low-impact agility equipment and advanced dog training skills. Learning new skills and trying new things helps dogs overcome fears and gain confidence. It's a fun way to practice basic commands and take them to the next level. This is a good follow-up class to Beginning Obedience for any dog.

**Prerequisite:** Beginning Obedience Class or private training with Ashleigh.

## **INTERMEDIATE OBEDIENCE CLASS**

**Ages 10+ / \$135 / Times Below / Classes are 1 Hour**

**Class Minimum 4 Dogs - Class Maximum 6 Dogs / Dog Spot @ Fluvanna Community Center**

Intermediate Obedience Class takes your dog's beginning skills to the next level. We work on the basics with more of a focus on hand signals, distance work, durations and lots more distractions.

**Prerequisite:** Beginning Obedience Class or private training with Ashleigh.

**Session 03:** Mon, May 6; Thur, May 9; Mon, May 13; Thur, May 16 / 3:45PM

## **CANINE GOOD CITIZEN CLASS**

**Ages 10+ / \$135 / Times Below / Classes are 1 Hour**

**Class Minimum 4 Dogs - Class Maximum 6 Dogs / Dog Spot @ Fluvanna Community Center**

**Canine Good Citizen Class** helps dogs to expand their skills learned in Beginning Class and prepare them to take the AKC CGC test. (*Ashleigh is a CGC AKC Approved Evaluator*) **The class covers the ten skills required in the test to include:** greetings, grooming, passing other dogs, come, stay, down, and more. Class graduation is the test and the student can decide if they want to take a practice test or pay for the certification test.

**Session 03:** Mon, July 8; Thur, July 11; Mon, July 15; Thur, July 18 / 4PM

**Check with Ashleigh or our Facebook page for class updates.**

# FLUVANNA COUNTY PRESENTS

# Live Music CRROOVIN' at the GROVE Pleasant Grove Park

**Joe The Spy**  
**Saturday, Sept 14<sup>th</sup>, 5-7PM**



A 6 piece blues rock band playing music from Stevie Ray Vaughn to Aretha Franklin. Jose Rubio, guitar and vocals and Lee Gammon, Bass guitar both studied music at VCU in Richmond. Glenn Jones, Drums, studied music at VSU in Petersburg Virginia. Brian Mhlongo comes to us from South Africa, a self-taught keyboardist and vocalist who toured with the Choir of The Lion King musical. Apollonia Morris, our powerhouse lead vocalist sings the likes of Etta to Janis to Tina. Newly added is Pix Ensign, a master Blues harp player from Ohio. Together we have found a unique sound to sing and dance to!

<https://www.facebook.com/joethespy>

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# 2024 SUMMER READING @ FLUVANNA LIBRARY

Fluvanna County Public Library, 214 Commons Blvd., Palmyra, VA 22963

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## The Adventure Begins @ Fluvanna Library!

Registration for Reading Program & workshops begins Monday, May 6.

**READING LOGS ALL DUE BY Saturday, August 17.**

### **AGE GROUP PRIZES**

**Kids (ages infants – 8) 15 minutes/**

**Tweens (ages 9-12 or reading J books) 30 minutes**

1 dot/ time increment - 10 dots = FREE book or a spin of the prize wheel (Up to 10x) & a chance to win BIG!

**Teen (ages 13-18 or reading YA books) – Mark off 1 spot for every hour you read. Complete 5 dots and win a prize (Up to 10x) & a chance to win BIG!**

### **BIG GRAND PRIZE**

**Super Reader Program (All ages after you complete your age group) – 30 minute increments**

Mark off 1 dot for every time increment you read. Complete 10 dots for a chance to win Amazon gift cards (Top prize \$100).

Do as many as you can before the deadline.

Adult – 1 entry for every book you read or listen to.

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS (No registration required)

### **WEDNESDAY mornings at 11-11:45 AM**

- **June 12** – TaleWise: Science Heroes: Adventures of the Lost Treasure (Science)
- **June 26** – Wes Iseli (Magician)

### **FRIDAY morning 10-11:30 AM**

- **May 31** – Mini Menagerie Petting Zoo (live animals)
- **FRIDAY morning 11 AM**
- **June 21** – Peter McCorry – One Man Band (music)

## PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS (No registration required)

### **Summer Story Time**

**Fridays, July 5-August 16 - 10-10:30 AM**

Stories & songs on the porch and fun activities with Mrs. Erinn. Toddler to Kindergarten ages welcome with caregiver.

### **Twisted Tuesdays**

**Tuesdays, July 2 – August 13 – 9:30-10:30 AM**

Weather permitting – outside messy craft &/OR sensory bin Toddler to Kindergarten ages welcome with caregiver.

## SPECIAL ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES (No registration required)

### **Drive in Movie with Cardboard Box Cars/Planes**

Decorate a box here – or use a box you have at home and bring it with you.

FREE Popcorn! (10 AM to make your “car” & 10:30 AM movie)

**Friday, June 7 - Paw Patrol: The Mighty Movie (PG) AND Monday, August 12 - Finding Nemo (PG)**

### **Interactive Movie Day**

**Friday, July 26 - Harry Potter and the Sorcerer’s Stone (PG) – 1 PM to make crafts / 2 PM for Movie (FREE Popcorn)**

### **Monday Movies**

Mondays @ 2 PM  
Mondays, June 3, 17 &  
July 1, 15 & Aug. 5  
Bring Your Own Snack  
or Drink!

### **LEGO FUN!**

Fridays, June 14 AND  
Friday, July 12 AND  
Friday, Aug. 9  
2-4 PM

### **End of Summer Bash &**

**Dolly Parton Day**  
Indoor/Outdoor FUN!  
Saturday, August 3  
10-2 PM

### **Life Size Candy Land**

Saturday, Aug. 3 –  
Wednesday, Aug. 14  
Main Area  
of the Library

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## Craft Days for ALL AGES (No Sign-up Needed – While Supplies Last)

- Friday, May 31-Tuesday, June 4 – Farm
- Friday, June 7-Tuesday, June 11 – Jungle/Safari
- Thursday, June 13-Saturday, June 15 – Father’s Day
- Monday-Tuesday, June 17-18 – Juneteenth
- Friday, June 21-Tuesday, June 25 - Woodlands
- Friday, June 28-Wednesday, July 3 - Patriotic Crafts
- Saturday, July 6-Tuesday, July 9 - Space
- Friday, July 12-Tuesday, July 16 - Ocean
- Friday, July 19-Tuesday, July 23 – Polar
- Friday, July 26 – Wednesday, July 31 - Olympics

## Workshops! - REGISTRATION REQUIRED! (Reg. starts May 6)

KIDS AGE 2+ - SPECIAL BLUEY STORY TIME/Play/Crafts -- Monday, July 22 at 10AM (Hands-on caregivers needed)

KIDS AGE 4+ (Hands-on caregivers needed for younger ages)

- Paint a Wooden Vehicle – Monday, June 3 at 10 AM
- Felt Handpuppets – Thursday, June 6 at 10 AM
- Nature Friend (WildRock) – Thursday, June 6 at 2 PM
- Foam Fun – Monday, June 10 at 10 AM
- Make &/or Paint Your Own Birdhouse – Wednesday, July 24 at 10 AM
- Dinosaur Day – Monday, August 5 at 10 AM

KIDS AGE 5+ (Hands-on caregivers needed for younger ages)

- Tiny Worlds (WildRock) – Thursday, June 13 at 2 PM
- Ecosystems Engineers (WildRock) – Thursday, June 20 at 2 PM
- Medieval Day – Monday, June 24 at 2 PM
- Paint Mermaid & Tractor Banks – Monday, July 1 at 10 AM
- Wild About Animals (WildRock) – Wednesday, July 3 at 10 AM
- Paint a Printed Canvas - Thursday, July 18 at 10 AM

KIDS AGE 9+

- Snap Circuits – Thursday, May 30 at 10 a.m. AND Friday, June 14 at 10 AM (You can do both)
- Rock Painting – Tuesday, June 4 at 2 PM
- Diamond Painting Stickers – Monday, June 10 at 2 PM AND Tuesday, July 2 at 2 PM (You can do both)
- Twirligig Paper Spinners – Thursday, June 13 at 10 AM
- Create Shell Monsters – Monday, June 17 at 10 AM
- Journal Making/Decorating – Tuesday, June 25 at 2PM
- Pressed Flower Lanterns – Thursday, June 27 at 10AM
- Paint Ceramic Owl Plant Pots – Friday, June 28 at 2PM
- Mason Jar Aquariums – Monday, July 15 at 10AM
- Swiftie Party – Wednesday, July 17 at 2 PM
- Paint Russian Nesting Dolls - Thursday, July 25 at 10 AM
- Tech Day – Wednesday, Aug. 7 at 2 PM

TEEN – ADULT (AGE 12-ADULT)

- Candle Painting – Wednesday, June 12 at 2 PM
- Landscape Printed Canvas Painting – Wednesday, June 26 at 2 PM
- Pressed Flower Lanterns – Thursday, June 27 at 2PM
- Glass Mosaic Coasters – Thursday, July 11 at 10AM AND Thursday, Aug. 8 at 2 PM
- Make Magazine Beads – Thursday, July 18 at 2 PM
- No Sew Rope Buckets – Tuesday, July 23 at 2 PM
- Mini Diamond Painting - Wednesday, July 24 at 2 pm AND Thursday, August 1 at 2 PM (You can do both)
- Hand Painted Silk Scarves – Thursday, July 25 at 2 PM
- Paint Russian Nesting Dolls – Tuesday, August 6 at 2 PM
- Magazine Recycled Ceramic Art – Monday, August 12 at 2 PM

See Connect with Nature flyer for programs on Tuesdays at 10 a.m. by Fluvanna Master Gardeners and Naturalists.  
The Friends of the Library sponsor all Summer Reading programs.

# Pleasant Grove Park: A Natural Experience



## **Virginia Master Naturalist led monthly hikes at Pleasant Grove Park**

Bring the family and enjoy a Virginia Master Naturalist-led Monthly Hike on the first Saturday of the month, meets at 10AM. Please register in advance for free: <https://fluvanna.recdesk.com>

- **May 4:** Meet at the kiosk next to the Dog Park. Come take a spring walk with us on the ADA friendly Sandy Beach and River Anne Trails. See a beautiful view of the river as we search for early blooming flowers on plants and trees that are already supporting pollinators and other wildlife.
- **June 1:** Meet at the Equestrian Parking to walk the Birding Trail. We will see rejuvenation in progress in this meadow habitat after a recent prescribed burn. Learn why it is important to maintain meadow habitats and how they support wildlife that live in and around the meadow. We will look for our summer visiting birds and listen for their beautiful birdsongs, and look for signs of other wildlife as well. This is a grassy .7 mile loop trail.
- **July 6:** Meet at the Parking lot across the road from the soccer fields to walk the Brush Arbor Trail. We will walk through three habitats that will reveal how a meadow transitions to a forest, as we enjoy the arbor path created by Eastern Red Cedars and pines. We will walk about a mile total out and back on this relatively flat trail.
- **August 3:** Come to the Butterfly Garden and meet the pollinators! We will take a tour of this lovely garden created by the Master Gardeners. See what butterflies, bees, and other pollinators are out and about and what plants they are attracted to. We'll stop at the Chestnut plot next to the garden and learn about the most recent efforts to restore the American Chestnut tree to our landscape, then take a walk on the self-guided trail. The Garden is in full sun, so bring plenty of water and sun protection!
- **September 7:** Meet behind the library to walk the Boulder Forest and Fern Valley Trails. The names of these trails conjure up images of ancient forests of the past! Expect the unexpected on this walk! As we walk these trails in the present day, we'll take an imaginary journey into the last ice age. What animals roamed the land in Virginia during that time? (Preview: there were beavers the size of bears!) We will also imagine what trees and plants filled the landscape at that time as well. We will take about a one mile walk on these wooded trails that loop and curve through the woods.

**Please Pre-Register, Children MUST be accompanied by a parent or responsible adult.**

**Please wear appropriate hiking attire, good walking shoes. Please bring a full water bottle and a snack.**

**The following nature experience opportunities are available whenever you visit Pleasant Grove Park:**

- Visit the Nature Room in the Summer Kitchen with interpretive exhibits and animal artifacts native to the park.
- Visit the native plant Butterfly Garden (brochure available).
- Chestnut Restoration Demonstration Plot; learn about the effort to restore a once dominant tree to our forest (brochure available).
- Self-Guided Nature Hike starting at the Cross Hill Trailhead Kiosk near the Butterfly Garden.
- Hike on one of the 23 trails covering over 20 miles. Trail Maps available at trailhead kiosk and at the Pleasant Grove House Museum.
- Go birding - Walk in the Park, observe wildflowers, native grasses and wildlife. Bird ID field guides and checklist available at the Pleasant Grove House and the Fluvanna County Library.
- Hike the arboretum Tree ID Trail behind the Library to observe 23 native tree species identified by interpretive plaques. Youth scavenger hunt brochures available, with prizes for completion, at the Fluvanna County Library.
- Observe one of the Bluebird, American Kestrel, Bat or Eastern Screech Owl Nesting Boxes located throughout the park.
- Walk the Rail Trail in the Village of Palmyra, using the new interpretative Nature and History Walk Guide.

**Brochures, guides and maps are available at the Pleasant Grove House Museum and the Library.**

Groups, field trips, church groups, history groups, home school, scouts; Please call the Pleasant Grove House Museum at (434) 589-2016 to arrange for a guided tour of the museum or guided hike at the park.

Visit [www.vmn-rivanna.org](http://www.vmn-rivanna.org) and [www.rivannariver.org](http://www.rivannariver.org) for more nature opportunities in Fluvanna County. To check trail conditions, call the Pleasant Grove House Museum at (434) 589-2016 the day of the hike or visit [www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation](https://www.facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation)



# RENTALS & RATES

Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation rents facilities for weddings, receptions, meetings, conferences, lectures, dances, luncheons, parties and family reunions. Facilities and equipment are listed below. Refunds may be given when requested ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE START OF THE RENTAL. A \$10 service charge will be deducted from the refund unless the cause is due to a change in the class schedule. \$200 refundable deposit on all rentals.

## Pleasant Grove Park

**Athletic Fields:** \$25/hour/\$200 Deposit  
Baseball, Softball, Soccer (Per Field)

**Tournaments:** \$100/day / \$200 Deposit

**Pole Barn:** \$150/All Day/\$200 Deposit

**Pole Barn:** \$80/Half Day/\$200 Deposit

**Horseback Trails:** \$8/ Daily

**Outdoor Stage:** \$150/day/\$200 Deposit

## Eastern Trailhead Pavilions (Dog Park)

**Large Pavilion:** (40 people)  
\$50/day/\$200 Deposit

**Small Pavilion:** (25 people)  
\$25/day/\$200 Deposit

## Fluvanna Community Center

**Meeting Room:** \$30/hour/\$200 Deposit

**Auditorium:** \$100/hour/\$200 Deposit

## Carysbrook Sports Complex

**Athletic Fields:** \$25/hour/\$200 Deposit

**Tournaments:** \$100/day/ \$200 Deposit

**Gymnasium:** \$80/hour/\$200 Deposit

## Civil War Park

In Palmyra, VA 1/2 acre with picnic tables, near the Old Stone Jail Museum.

Contact FCPR for info: (434) 589 - 2016

## Tables

**Rectangular:** \$6 each per day/\$200 Deposit

**Round:** \$8 each per day/\$200 Deposit

## Chairs

\$4 each per day/\$200 Deposit

## Big Tent

18' x 30' Tent Canopy  
\$150 per day/\$200 Deposit

## Small Tent

14' x 20' Tent Canopy  
\$100 per day/\$200 Deposit

## KAYAK LIVERY at PLEASANT GROVE

KAYAKS/\$25 per day/\$200 security deposit

\$60 per weekend /\$200 security deposit

Call (434) 589-2016 to arrange rental.



**Rentals call Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation at (434) 589-2016**

*Fluvanna County... A great place to live, learn, work and play!*



# Registration Form



PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM  
 MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "FCPR"  
 P.O. Box 70, PALMYRA, VA 22963 (434) 589-2016

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Gender M / F

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size:      Youth Adult Small Medium Large X-Large

Special Needs/Disabilities \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies \_\_\_\_\_

Household Members:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Activity Title	Date(s)	Time(s)	Fee (non-resident add 15%)

**Assumption Of Risk**

I understand the nature of the activity in which I am (my child is) being enrolled. I understand that there are certain risks inherent with participating in recreational activity and that it is the duty of each participant to exercise reasonable care for their own safety and that of other participants. If this consent is given for my child, I also understand that, while participating in the activity, my child will be expected to behave in a reasonable and responsible manner and that the activity's supervisory staff has the authority to discipline my child in a manner similar to that imposed in Fluvanna County's public schools. I understand that under Virginia law, both Fluvanna County and its employees are immune from liability for negligence should I (my child) suffer any injury while participating in the activity and that I may consider procuring insurance to protect myself (my child) from such occurrences. With all this in mind, I hereby give my consent to enroll myself (my child) in the activity indicated. I also agree for my child to be transported by Parks and Recreation to the appropriate facility for my child to participate in such class if needed.

Signature of Participant or Legal Guardian if under 18 years of age \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Legal Guardian's name for participants under 18 years of age: \_\_\_\_\_

**Refund Policy:** Refunds may be given when requested provided the request is made prior to the start of the activity. A \$10 service charge will be deducted from the refund unless the cause is due to a change in the class schedule. If supplies were purchased on your behalf, that amount may also be deducted from your refund. Allow up to 60 days for your refund to be mailed. A \$20 service charge will be assessed for any returned checks.

Office Use Only: Rec'd Date _____ By _____ Check # _____ Cash _____ CC _____
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# FLUVANNA COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION FACILITIES

## Pleasant Grove House Museum & Visitor Center

271 Pleasant Grove Drive  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
(434) 589-2016

- Parks and Rec Office
- County Welcome Center
- Transportation Museum
- Summer Kitchen
- Nature Room

[www.fluvannacounty.org/parksrec](http://www.fluvannacounty.org/parksrec)

## Fluvanna Community Center

5725 James Madison Highway  
Fork Union, VA 23055  
(434) 842-3150

- Parks and Rec Office
- Fork Union Active Older Adults Center
- Playground
- Classrooms
- Rentals All Year Long

## Pleasant Grove Park and Western Trailhead

271 Pleasant Grove Drive  
Palmyra, VA 22963

- Hiking, Biking and Equestrian Trails
- Pole Barn
- Playground
- Athletic Fields, including Disc Golf
- Butterfly Garden
- Outdoor Stage

## Carysbrook Sport Complex

8788 James Madison Highway  
Fork Union, VA 23055

- Athletic Fields
- Gymnasium
- Playground
- Picnic Shelter

## Event Updates, Photos and Trail Info...

[www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation](http://www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation)

## Pleasant Grove Dog Park and Eastern Trailhead

110 Thomas Jefferson Parkway  
Palmyra, VA 22963

- Dog Park with 3 fenced areas
- for large and small dogs
- ADA Trailhead
- Picnic Shelters
- Fitness Trail
- Hiking Trails

## Carysbrook Performing Arts Center

8880 James Madison Highway  
Palmyra, VA 23055

- Various Performances

## Civil War Park

Village of Palmyra, VA 22963

- 1/2-acre with picnic tables,  
near the Old Stone Jail Museum

## FLUVANNA COUNTY COMMUNITY PARTNERS

### Fluvanna County Extension Office

5725 James Madison Highway  
Fork Union, VA 23055  
(434) 591 - 1950

### Department of Social Services

8880 James Madison Highway  
Fork Union, VA 23055  
(434) 842 - 8221

### Child Services Act

132 Main Street  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
(434) 591 - 1933

### Fluvanna County Library

214 Commons Boulevard  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
(434) 589 - 1400

### School Board Office

14455 James Madison Highway  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
(434) 589 - 8208

### Fluvanna County Sheriff's Office

160 Commons Boulevard  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
(434) 589 - 8211

[www.fluvannacounty.org/sheriff](http://www.fluvannacounty.org/sheriff)

### Fluvanna Art Association

[www.fluvannaart.com](http://www.fluvannaart.com)

### Fluvanna County Historical Society

14 Stone Jail Street  
or PO Box 8  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
fluvannahistory@gmail.com  
(434) 589 - 7910  
[www.fluvannahistory.org](http://www.fluvannahistory.org)

### Jefferson Area Board for Aging

674 Hillside Dr. Ste. 9  
Charlottesville, VA 22901  
jabacares@gmail.com  
(434) 817 - 5222

### Fluvanna Heritage Trail Foundation

PO Box 501  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
(434) 589 - 4839

### Fluvanna Master Gardeners

(434) 591 - 1950  
[www.fluvannamg.org](http://www.fluvannamg.org)

### Fluvanna Arts Council

Box 210  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
Info@Carysbrook.org  
(434) 842 - 1333

### Fork Union Military Academy

4744 James Madison Highway  
Fork Union VA 23055  
(434) 842 - 3212  
[www.forkunion.com](http://www.forkunion.com)

### Girl Scouts of Virginia Skyline

info@gsvsc.org  
(540) 777-5100  
[www.gsvsc.org](http://www.gsvsc.org)

### Scouts BSA

### Boy Scouts of America

info@virginiaheadwaters.org  
(540) 943-6675  
[www.vahcbsa.org/monticello](http://www.vahcbsa.org/monticello)

### Fluvanna Farm Bureau

15905 W. River Road  
Fork Union, VA 23055  
fluvanna@vafb.com  
(434) 842 - 3411  
[www.vafb.com/offices/fork-union](http://www.vafb.com/offices/fork-union)

### Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources (DWR)

(804) 305-8940  
[https://dwr.virginia.gov/waterbody/  
rivanna-river](https://dwr.virginia.gov/waterbody/rivanna-river)

### Partnership for Aging

Curtis Putnam  
(434) 906-8400

### Chamber of Commerce

177 Main Street  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
(434) 489 - 3262  
<https://fluvannachamber.org>



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Facebook

## Event Updates and Current Trail Info...

[www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation](http://www.Facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation)

# FLUVANNA SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS

## **BASKETBALL**

**Fluvanna County  
Parks & Recreation**  
(Fall & Winter) Ages 3 - 17  
(434) 589 - 2016  
<https://fluvanna.recdesk.com>

## **TENNIS**

**Camp Friendship Tennis Center**  
tennis@campfriendship.com  
[www.friendshiptennis.com](http://www.friendshiptennis.com)

## **BASEBALL**

**Fluvanna Youth Baseball**  
Ages 4 - 15  
baseballfluvannayouth@gmail.com  
[fluvannayouthbaseball.com](http://fluvannayouthbaseball.com)

## **SOFTBALL**

**Fluvanna Girls Softball League**  
Ages 5 - 18  
fluvannasoftball@gmail.com  
[www.fluvannagirllsoftball.com](http://www.fluvannagirllsoftball.com)

## **FOOTBALL**

**Jefferson District Youth  
Football League**  
(Fall) Ages 8 - 14  
coachjfyf@gmail.com  
<https://www.jdyfl.org>

## **SOCCER**

**Fluvanna Youth Soccer  
Association**  
FYSAforce@aol.com  
<http://fysaforce.org>

## **LACROSSE**

**Fluvanna Lacrosse Club**  
Boys 2 - 8 Grade  
fluvannalaxclub@gmail.com  
[www.facebook.com/FlucoLax](http://www.facebook.com/FlucoLax)



## **DANCE**

**Flutterwheels Square Dance Club**  
Contact: Janice Grandstaff  
(434) 286 - 2585  
[www.facebook.com/  
FluvannaFlutterwheels](http://www.facebook.com/FluvannaFlutterwheels)

## **SWIMMING**

**Lake Monticello Swim Team**  
(Summer)  
lmstsharks@gmail.com  
[www.lmstsharks.com](http://www.lmstsharks.com)

## **Fluvanna Aquatics Sports Team FAST**

info@fluvanna-swimming.org  
[https://www.teamunify.com/team/  
vsfast/page/home](https://www.teamunify.com/team/vsfast/page/home)

## **BATON TWIRLING**

**Next Generation Twirlers**  
Contact: Amy Hill  
nextgenerationtwirlers@gmail.com  
[nextgenerationtwirlers.weebly.com](http://nextgenerationtwirlers.weebly.com)

## **Pleasant Grove House Museum**

A slice of Fluvanna history resides in the renovated Pleasant Grove House, Summer Kitchen and Farm Heritage Museums.

Showcasing the history of transportation and agriculture in Fluvanna County.

Pleasant Grove House also serves as Fluvanna County Parks and Rec's main office and the County Visitor Center.

### **Museum and Office Hours:**

Monday - Friday, 8AM - 5PM

Museum Staff Guided Tour Hours:

Saturday and Sunday 9AM - 6PM

### **Address:**

271 Pleasant Grove Drive  
Palmyra, VA 22963  
Phone: (434) 589 - 2016



The Pleasant Grove House Museum, built by William D. Haden in 1854, also serves as the County Visitor Center and headquarters for Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation.