



FLUVANNA
PARKS & RECREATION

Active Older Adults
Horseback Riding
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Summer Day Camp
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SUMMER 2025 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.

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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 6 pm of every month. BOS info at www.fluvannacounty.org/bos

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Event Updates and Current Trail Info...

www.facebook.com/FluvannaParksandRecreation

Send us an email: 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 for current announcements or call our office at (434) 589-2016, Monday - Friday 8AM - 5PM.

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 Live Music 5-7PM
 Food & Beer Garden 4-7PM
 2nd Saturdays, May-September

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Simply Trending and Montero Crepes • Saturday, May 10th

- **Simply Trending Foods** provides a wide variety of elegant or homestyle cuisines from smoked brisket, smoked mac and cheese or seared salmon with the lemon butter Dill cream sauce. No matter the event we can provide

Beer Garden Sponsor: Fluvanna Youth Baseball

D'Marys and The Barista Baker • Saturday, June 14th

Beer Garden Sponsor: Fluvanna Leadership Development Program

Doshier's Donuts and Authentic Latin American Soul Food • Saturday, July 12th

- **Doshier's Donuts** Providing the Central Virginia Area with OUR version of the delicious Potato Donuts.
- **Authentic Latin American Soul Food** "Just like grandma and grandpa used to make."

Beer Garden Sponsor: Fluvanna Youth Softball Association

Tasty Vittles and Blue Ridge Pizza • Saturday, August 9th

- **Tasty Vittles' Mission** "It's not just food ... it's family." These words have echoed in my head for the full 30 years of my professional Restaurant career. Nothing in our daily lives brings us together like a good meal, whether friends or family, there is always common ground and comradery around great food.
- **Blue Ridge Pizza** "Where wood-fired dreams have been coming true since 2012!" We're not just a pizza truck; we're a culinary experience on wheels. Nestled in the heart of Charlottesville, Blue Ridge Pizza is the go-to mobile catering company for those who crave a slice of perfection.

Beer Garden Sponsor: Fluvanna Girls Softball League

Arepas on Wheels and Tasty Vittles • Saturday, September 13th

- **What are Arepas?** Arepas are a type of sandwich that is made with a base of cornmeal that is mixed with water, shaped into a ball, and flattened out into a shape of a burger patty. Then it is cooked on the grill or griddle, and once the outside is crispy, it can be filled with lots of different fillings. Basically, it is a sandwich, a Venezuelan sandwich!

Beer Garden Sponsor: Jefferson District Youth Football League



NO OUTSIDE ALCOHOL BEVERAGES ALLOWED! NO PETS IN THE BEER GARDEN!

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FOOD TRUCKS: Simply Trending Foods and Crepes

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FOOD TRUCKS: D'Marys and The Barista Baker

Cake Fight • Saturday, July 12th

Cake Fight is an energetic modern pop and classic rock band that plays a little of everything from Dua Lipa to Devo to the Doors. Nikki Chambless, Trey Mitchell, Lance Holland, Matt Hartung, and Carl Detroia make up this five-piece Central-Virginia-based band that will have everyone from teens to grandparents singing and dancing to their favorite songs. <https://cakefightband.com>



FOOD TRUCKS: Doshier's Donuts and Authentic Latin American Soul Food

Joe The Spy • Saturday, August 9th

Based in Richmond, Joe The Spy is a 6-piece blues rock band playing music from Stevie Ray Vaughn to Aretha Franklin. Jose Rubio on guitar and vocals, Lee Gammon on bass, Bruce Thomas on drums, Brian Mhlongo on keyboard, Pix Ensign, master Blues harp player and Apollonia Morris, lead vocalist, sings the likes of Etta James to Janis Joplin to Tina Turner. A unique sound to sing and dance to! <https://www.facebook.com/joethespy>
<https://www.instagram.com/joethespybluesrva>



FOOD TRUCKS: Tasty Vittles' and Blue Ridge Pizza

Jefferson Speedboat • Saturday, September 13th

Jefferson Speedboat is a 5-piece band based in Fluvanna County. Their blend of rock, folk and blues is influenced by the likes of Hoyt Axton, Van Morrison and Bob Dylan, creating a musical experience that keeps audiences coming back for more. Singer and songwriter Kenn Herrington on guitar, Thom Bronez on keyboards and vocals, James Schoenster on bass and vocals, Scott Murdoch on rhythm guitar and vocals, and Steve Waller on drums and vocals. www.jeffersonspeedboat.com



FOOD TRUCKS: Arepas on Wheels and Tasty Vittles'

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, (2 out of 3 meetings) 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 FCPR while you're there, you must sign up with Faith Stuart at FCPR at least a day 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.

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 larger events and 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

Cunningham
Mondays:
5/12 • 6/9
7/7 • 7/21
8/11 • 8/25

Troy
Tuesdays:
5/6 • 6/3
7/1 • 7/15
8/5 • 8/19

Fork Union
Wednesdays:
5/14 • 6/11
7/2 • 7/9
7/16 • 8/6
8/13 • 8/27

Kents Store
Thursdays:
5/8 • 6/5
7/3 • 7/17
8/7 • 8/21

Attention Veterans and Dependents! Do you know your Veterans Benefits? We do!
Virginia Department of Veterans Services www.dvs.virginia.gov
For an appointment call Jeannette Flint (434) 529 - 6431

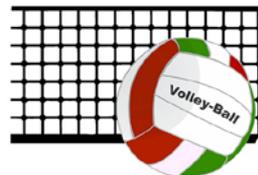


OPEN GYM AT CARYSBROOK

VOLLEYBALL OPEN GYM / Summer 2025 / 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

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



BASKETBALL OPEN GYM / Summer 2024 / Free / Carysbrook Gym

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- **Tuesdays:** 6 - 9PM All Ages
- **Thursdays:** 6 - 9PM All Ages



PICKLEBALL OPEN GYM / Summer 2024 / Free / Carysbrook Gym

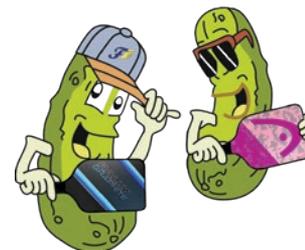
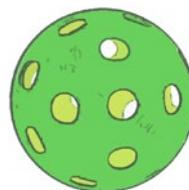
Pickleball is a cross between Ping Pong, Tennis, and Badminton and is the fastest growing sport for athletes 50 and over! Players use oversized wooden paddles and a whiffleball that moves and bounces slower than a tennis ball. The game is played on a badminton-sized court that is divided by a 34 inch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

- Athletic clothing and shoes 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 or guardian at all times unless they are participating in an organized program.
- Alcohol, tobacco, vape and cannabis use in this facility is strictly prohibited.
- No food or drink 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 or hanging on rims or nets.
- No marking by unauthorized personnel on gym floor at any time.
- No unauthorized personnel allowed in any of the facility storage areas.
- Participating in the facility's activities and or programs is at your own risk.
- Please ask the "Facility Monitor" if you have any questions or concerns, or call Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation at (434) 589-2016.



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 7, May 8, May 9 & May 10

FREE ENTRY - FREE PARKING - NO PETS

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

Wednesday .. May 7 ... 6PM to 10PM

Thursday May 8 ... 6PM to 10PM

Friday May 9 ... 5PM to 10PM

Saturday May 10.. 10AM to 3PM & 5PM to 10PM



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Pleasant Grove Park
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Food & Beverages 4-7PM
Live Music 5-7PM



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Saturday, May 10th, 2025

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FOOD TRUCKS: Simply Trending Foods

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FCPR SUMMER YOUTH DAY CAMP

WEEK 1: THEME PARK WEEK

Ages 7-12 / June 2 - June 6 / 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. Schedule subject to change due to weather.

- **Monday, June 2:** Water Country USA
- **Tuesday, June 3:** Kings Dominion
- **Wednesday, June 4:** Soak City
- **Thursday, June 5:** Busch Gardens
- **Friday, June 6:** Massanutten Water Park

WEEK 2: CAVE WEEK

Ages 7-12 / June 9 - June 13 / 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 9:** Shenandoah Caverns & Skyline Caverns
- **Tuesday, June 10:** Kayak the Rivanna & Bike or Disc Golf at Pleasant Grove
- **Wednesday, June 11:** Natural Bridge Area, Caverns, Safari Park and Zoo
- **Thursday, June 12:** Massanutten Water Park
- **Friday, June 13:** Luray Caverns, Luray Zoo, Rte 11 Chip Factory and Grand Cavern

FCPR YOUTH BASKETBALL DAY CAMP

Ages 5 - 12 / June 9 - 13 / \$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**

WEEK 3: MUSEUM EXPLORERS WEEK

Ages 7-12 / June 16 - June 20/ 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM

\$200 / 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 16:** Melrose Caverns
- **Tuesday, June 17:** Frontier Culture Museum
- **Wednesday, June 18:** Pamplin Historical Park
- **Thursday, June 19:** Juneteenth Holiday*
- **Friday, June 20:** Monticello and C'ville Escape Room

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

Scan this QR Code.....➔



FCPR SUMMER YOUTH DAY CAMP

WEEK 4: KAYAK AND HIKING WEEK

**Ages 9-12 / June 23 - June 27 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM
\$200 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

Kayak on Lake Monticello, hike and explore Pleasant Grove Park, and if the river is in our favor, kayak and explore the Rivanna River.

Limited to 12 registrants per program.

- **Monday, June 23:** Kayak Lake Monticello and explore Pleasant Grove Park.
- **Tuesday, June 24:** Splash City
- **Wednesday, June 25:** Kayak Lake Monticello and explore Pleasant Grove Park.
- **Thursday, June 26:** Kings Dominion

Friday, June 27: Kayak the Rivanna River and explore Pleasant Grove Park.

WEEK 5: WATER WEEK

**Ages 7-12 / June 30 - July 3 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM
\$200 / 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, June 30:** Massanutten Water Park
- **Tuesday, July 1:** Busch Gardens
- **Wednesday, July 2:** Kings Dominion
- **Thursday, July 3:** Kayak

WEEK 6: CAVE WEEK

**Ages 7-12 / July 7 - July 11 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM
\$250 / Pre-Registration Required / Meets at Pleasant Grove Park**

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- **Thursday, July 10:** Soak City
- **Friday, July 11:** Luray Caverns, Luray Zoo, Rte 11 Chip Factory and Grand Cavern

WEEK 7: ART WEEK

**Ages 7-12 / July 14 - July 18 / 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 14:** Art in the Classroom
- **Tuesday, July 15:** Art in the Classroom
- **Wednesday, July 16:** Field trip to the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts
- **Thursday, July 17:** Art in the Classroom
- **Friday, July 18:** Art in the Classroom



FCPR SUMMER YOUTH DAY CAMP

WEEK 8: THEME PARK WEEK

Ages 7-12 / July 21 - July 25 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM

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

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- **Friday, June 6:** Massanutten Water Park



WEEK 9: THEME PARK WEEK

Ages 7-12 / July 28 - August 1 / 8AM - 5PM / Check In: 8 - 8:30AM / Check Out: 5 - 5:30PM

\$300 / 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 28:** Water Country USA
- **Tuesday, July 29:** Kings Dominion
- **Wednesday, July 30:** Massanutten Water Park
- **Thursday, July 31:** Busch Gardens
- **Friday, August 1:** Soak City



**Saturday - June 14 • 10AM - 3PM
4PM - 7PM**

Saturday - September 13 • 10AM - 3PM

*Pleasant Grove Park
271 Pleasant Grove Dr. Palmyra, Virginia*

**LOCAL ARTISTS AND ARTISANS, PERFORMERS,
FOOD TRUCKS, AND CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES**



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HORSEBACK RIDING CLASSES

EQUUS SPRINGS FARM DAY CAMP

Ages 8 and Up / All Skill Levels / July 7-11 / 8AM- 4PM / Pre-Registration Required

\$350 / 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 (June 30, 2025).

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.

- **Session 09:** Saturdays May 17 - June 7 10:30- 11:30 AM
- **Session 10:** Thursdays May 22 - June 12 4:30- 5:30 PM
- **Session 11:** Thursdays July 3 - July 24 6:00- 7:00 PM
- **Session 12:** Saturdays July 12 - Aug 2 10:30- 11:30 AM
- **Session 13:** Fridays July 18 - Aug 8 6:00- 7:00 PM
- **Session 14:** Thursdays July 31 - Aug 21 4:30- 5:30 PM



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..... 



MOUNTAIN BIKING AT PLEASANT GROVE

MOUNTAIN BIKE SKILLS CLINICS

Ages 11+ / \$45 per Clinic - Registration Required / Experience: Beginner - Intermediate

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, shifting, braking, bike maintenance, and dealing with minor obstacles. We will also talk about trail user communication and trail etiquette.

Email mstancil@fluvannacounty.org or call the office at 434-589-2016 to schedule an individual or group session.

You are welcome to bring your own trail ready bike or Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation can provide bikes and helmets. Schedule a tune up or a bike fitting by calling the Parks and Recreation office at 434-589-2016.



FCPR SUMMER ADULT RIVER PROGRAMS

ADULT KAYAK - 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.

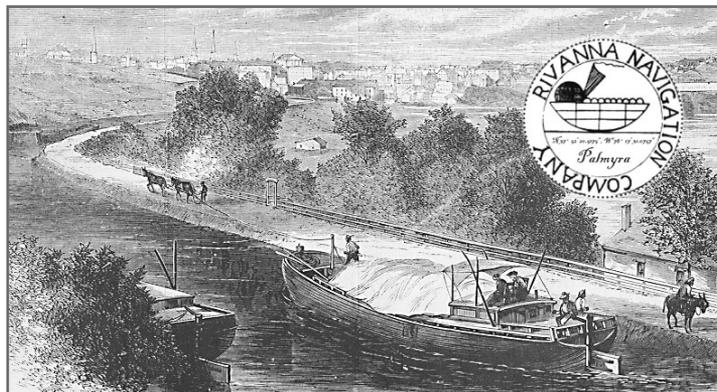
Please wear appropriate water clothing or swimsuit and river shoes (**No Crocs!**). Insect repellent, sunblock and a hat recommended. Bring two full water bottles (32 oz.), lunch and a snack

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

- **RIVANNA RIVER HISTORY FLOAT 1: Saturday May 24, 2025**
- **RIVANNA RIVER HISTORY FLOAT 2: Saturday June 7, 2025**

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

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



ADULT KAYAK ON LAKE MONTICELLO: Sunset Paddle

Ages 18+ / 5 - 8PM / \$25 / Pre-Registration Required / Space is Limited

Meets at Lake Monticello Beach 4

Learn the basics of kayaking. Kayak, paddle and lifejacket (PFD) provided. You must be able to swim, there is always the possibility of falling into the water when kayaking. Please wear appropriate water clothing or swimsuit and river shoes. Sunblock and hat recommended. Bring a full water bottle (32 oz) and a snack.

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

- **SUNSET PADDLE: Saturday May 17, 2025**

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

Questions, call Fluvanna County Parks and Recreation at (434) 589-2016 or Scan this QR Code.....➔



CGROOVIN' at the GROVE

Pleasant Grove Park
Live Music 5-7PM
Food & Beer Garden 4-7PM
Saturday, July 12th, 2025
Cake Fight

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FREE LIVE MUSIC with Cake Fight • Saturday, July 12th from 5-7PM • with Food Trucks and a BEER Garden from 4-7PM.

Cake Fight is an energetic modern pop and classic rock band that plays a little of everything from Dua Lipa to Devo to the Doors. Nikki Chambless, Trey Mitchell, Lance Holland, Matt Hartung, and Carl Detroia make up this five-piece Central-Virginia-based band that will have everyone from teens to grandparents singing and dancing to their favorite songs. <https://cakefightband.com>

FOOD TRUCKS: Doshier's Donuts and Authentic Latin American Soul Food

Pleasant Grove Park, 271 Pleasant Grove Drive, Palmyra, Virginia 22963 • (434) 589-2016

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

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: Wednesday May 7 @ 2PM

Clinic 10: Tuesday May 20 @ 5:30PM

Clinic 11: Wednesday June 4 @ 11AM

Clinic 12: Monday June 16 @ 5PM

Clinic 13: Wednesday July 9 @ 6PM

Clinic 14: Thursday July 17 @ 2PM

Clinic 15: Wednesday August 6 @ 1PM

Clinic 16: Tuesday August 26 @ 5PM

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: Tuesday July 15

Lecture 06: Wednesday August 20

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 personalized the public 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.

Public Clinic 09: Wednesday May 14 @ 4:30PM

Public Clinic 10: Tuesday May 27 @ 3PM

Public Clinic 11: Tuesday June 10 @ 11:30AM

Public Clinic 12: Wednesday June 18 @ 5:30PM

Public Clinic 13: Tuesday July 8 @ 3PM

Public Clinic 14: Wednesday July 30 @ 6PM

Public Clinic 15: Wednesday Aug 13 @ 5:30PM

Public Clinic 16: Tuesday August 19 @ 3PM

Ace Hardware in Palmyra

Court Square in Palmyra

Court Square in Palmyra

Tractor Supply in Palmyra

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

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

CR ROOVIN' at the GROVE

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Live Music 5-7PM
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Saturday, Aug. 9th, 2025
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FREE LIVE MUSIC with Joe The Spy • Saturday, August 9th from 5-7PM • with Food Trucks and a BEER Garden from 4-7PM.

Based in Richmond, Joe The Spy is a 6-piece blues rock band playing music from Stevie Ray Vaughn to Aretha Franklin. Jose Rubio on guitar and vocals, Lee Gammon on bass, Bruce Thomas on drums, Brian Mhlongo on keyboard, Pix Ensign, master Blues harp player and Apollonia Morris, lead vocalist, sings the likes of Etta James to Janis Joplin to Tina Turner. A unique sound to sing and dance to!

<https://www.facebook.com/joethespy> • <https://www.instagram.com/joethespybluesrva>

FOOD TRUCKS: Tasty Vittles' and Blue Ridge Pizza

Pleasant Grove Park, 271 Pleasant Grove Drive, Palmyra, Virginia 22963 • (434) 589-2016

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 thrive 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 06: Thursdays & Mondays, May 8, 12, 15, 19 & 22 @ 6:15PM

Session 07: Tuesdays and Fridays, June 3, 6, 10, 13 & 20 @ 12:45PM

Session 08: Mondays & Thursdays, June 30, July 3, 7, 10 & 14 @ 6:45PM

Session 09: Tuesdays and Fridays, July 15, 18, 22, 25 & 29 @ 2:15PM

Session 10: Mondays & Thursdays, August 11, 14, 18, 21 & 25 @ 5:45PM



CONFIDENCE CLASS

Ages 10+ / \$135 / 11:30AM - 12:30PM / Tuesdays and Fridays. June 3, 6, 10 & 13

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 of training and socialization. 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, duration and lots more distractions.

Prerequisite: Beginning Obedience Class or private training with Ashleigh.

Session 03: Mondays and Thursdays, June 30, July 3, 7, 10 @ 5:30PM

Session 04: Mondays and Thursdays, Aug 11, 14, 18 & 21 @ 4:30PM



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, loose leash walking, passing other dogs, come, stay, down, and more. The last class will be the test and the student can decide if they want to take a practice test or pay for the certification test.

Session 03: Thursdays and Mondays, May 8, 12, 15 & 19 @ 5PM

Session 04: Tuesdays and Fridays, July 15, 18, 22 & 25 @ 1PM

About the Instructor: 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 or contact her at (434) 589-7209 or email aymorris@hotmail.com

CR ROOVIN' at the GROVE

Pleasant Grove Park
Live Music 5-7PM
Food & Beer Garden 4-7PM
Saturday, Sept. 13th, 2025
JEFFERSON SPEEDBOAT

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FREE LIVE MUSIC with Jefferson Speedboat • Saturday, September 13th from 5-7PM • Food Trucks and a BEER Garden from 4-7PM. Jefferson Speedboat is a 5-piece band based in Fluvanna County. Their blend of rock, folk and blues is influenced by the likes of Hoyt Axton, Van Morrison and Bob Dylan, creating a musical experience that keeps audiences coming back for more. Singer and songwriter Kenn Herrington on guitar, Thom Bronez on keyboards and vocals, James Schoenster on bass and vocals, Scott Murdoch on rhythm guitar and vocals, and Steve Waller on drums and vocals. www.jeffersonspeedboat.com

FOOD TRUCKS: Arepas on Wheels and Tasty Vittles'

Pleasant Grove Park, 271 Pleasant Grove Drive, Palmyra, Virginia 22963 • (434) 589-2016

2025 SUMMER READING @ FLUVANNA LIBRARY

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

www.fcplva.org • (434) 589-1400 • fluvannalibrary@gmail.com

Color Our World @ Fluvanna Library!

Reading Program & Registration for Workshops begins Monday, May 5.

READING LOGS ALL DUE BY Saturday, August 16.

AGE GROUP PRIZES

Kids (ages infants – 8) 15 minutes

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

Teens (ages 12-18 or reading YA books) 1 hour

GRAND PRIZES

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

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

SPECIAL PROGRAMS (No registration required)

WEDNESDAY mornings at 11-11:45 AM

- **June 18** – Science Heroes: Adventure of the Missing Color (Story & Science)
- **June 25** – Wes Iseli (Magician)

FRIDAY morning 10-11:30 AM

- **May 30** – Japanese Taiko Drumming
- **June 6** – Mini Petting Zoo (live animals)
- **June 27** – Mike Klee Big Balloon Show
- **July 11** – Larsen's Family Reptiles (live animals)

PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS (No registration required)

Summer Story Time

Fridays, July 18-August 22 - 10-10:30AM

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

Twisted Tuesdays

Tuesdays, June 3 – July 1 – 9:30-10:30AM

Weather permitting – outside messy craft AND/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" & 10:30AM movie)

Friday, June 13 – Toy Story (G) AND Monday, July 21 – A Bug's Life (G)

LEGO FUN!

Friday, May 30 - 2-4PM

Monday, Aug. 11 – 2-4PM

End of Summer Bash & Dolly Parton Day

Indoor/Outdoor FUN!

Saturday, August 2 – 10-2PM

See Connect with

Nature flyer for programs on Tuesdays at 10 AM by

Fluvanna Master Gardeners and Naturalists.

Blast from the Past Friday Movies

Fridays @ 2PM - FREE Movie & Popcorn!

- June 13 - Miracle of the White Stallion (G)
- June 27 - Goonies (PG)
- July 11 - Jaws (PG) (Celebrate Shark Week July 6-13)
- July 25 - Jumanji (PG) original

Team Puzzle Competition

Saturday, June 21 – 10 AM - Teams of no more than 4 people compete to see who can complete the same Garden themed puzzle the fastest. Puzzles are 300 pieces and ALL AGES are welcome!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

MANY MORE WORKSHOPS AND PROGRAMS ARE SCHEDULED! VISIT THE LIBRARY'S WEBPAGE!

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Pleasant Grove Disc Golf Volunteer Work Day

June 21, 2025, 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>



All 18 Holes are Open! Please play around any tee pads under construction.



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.

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 3:** 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 7:** 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 5:** 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 2:** 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 6:** 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 and 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.

Pleasant Grove Park

Athletic Fields: \$25/hour

Baseball, Softball, Soccer

Tournaments: \$75/day

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: \$90/hour/\$200 Deposit

Carysbrook Sports Complex

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

Tournaments: \$75/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

Disc Golf Set

Set of Nine Various Disc

\$10 per day/\$50 Deposit

KAYAK LIVERY at PLEASANT GROVE

KAYAKS/\$25 per day/\$200 Deposit

\$45 per weekend/\$200 Deposit

Call (434) 589-2016 to arrange rental.



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

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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: ____/____/____

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

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

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

Pleasant Grove Disc Golf Course

271 Pleasant Grove Drive
Palmyra, VA 22963

- 18 hole disc golf course

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

Fluvanna Art Association

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

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

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

Girl Scouts of Virginia Skyline

info@gsvsc.org
(540) 777-5100
www.gsvsc.org

Scouts BSA

Boy Scouts of America
info@virginiaheadwaters.org
(540) 943-6675
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

Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources (DWR)

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

Chamber of Commerce

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



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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

BASEBALL

Fluvanna Youth Baseball
Ages 4 - 15
baseballfluvannayouth@gmail.com
fluvannayouthbaseball.com

SOFTBALL

Fluvanna Girls Softball League
Ages 5 - 18
fluvannasoftball@gmail.com
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



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

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

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.