

Family Camp at The Green River Preserve!

Family Camp just keeps getting better, so we're doing it again! Make plans now to join us in this exciting Green River Preserve tradition, September 4 - 7, 2009. Families attending will have the opportunity to enjoy Green River camp life at it's best. Weekend showstoppers will include: mentor hikes with our GRP naturalists, a council fire with a storyteller and music, a good ole fashion square dance, and a family talent show. We'll also throw in swimming, the climbing tower, fly-fishing, crafts, and lots of other camp activities. There's plenty of time for just taking it easy and doing as little as possible or as much as you want to on the Preserve's 3400 acre wildlife preserve. So, dust off your sleeping bags, pull out your backpacks, and come to Green River Preserve Family Camp.

WHO: Families . . . old and new to Green River, GRP alumni, GRP staff, GRP & Expeditions campers and staff, Fall Wilderness School students, teachers and staff, families of all shapes and sizes.

WHERE: The Green River Preserve, a magnificent 3400 acre private wildlife preserve in the Blue Ridge Mountains south of Asheville, North Carolina.

WHEN: September 4 - 7 2009 Labor Day Weekend
Check in time: Friday, September 4th, 5:00 pm, Dinner - 7:00 pm
Check out time: Monday, September 7th, 1:00 pm
Minimum number of participants: 40* - bring your friends!
*Please register before August 1st, so we can notify people if the minimum is not met.

FEES: Adult and teenager\$285.00
Youth (6 - 12)\$230.00
Child (5 and under)\$130.00

This fee includes 9 meals, all snacks, activity fees, and special entertainment.

To register, complete and return the application with a \$100.00 deposit, which is applied to the total camp fee. If cancellation is necessary, half of the deposit is refunded if written notification is received prior to July 1, 2009. The deposit is totally refunded to applicants on the waiting list if space does not become available. The balance of the camp fee is payable on or before August 1, 2009. No reductions can be made for late arrivals, early departures, or no shows. Checks are made payable to The Green River Preserve and sent to 301 Green River Road, Cedar Mountain, NC 28718.

ACCOMODATIONS: Camper Cabins are nestled in the woods of our base camp. Each cabin has a central bathroom with sinks and toilets, and two large screened bedrooms. Each bedroom sleeps up to eight people in one family or eight really good friends. Each family lives in one of our camper cabin bedrooms. All cabins have twin size bunk beds and electrical outlets. Shower houses are separate. All cabins and rooms will be assigned on a first come basis, so early registration is advised.

Cribs for small children or infants are not available. Please feel free to bring a port-a-crib. Parents are responsible for chaperoning young children, toddlers, and infants not old enough to participate in camp activities.

Healthy, delicious meals are served family style in the Green River dining hall in The Lodge and prepared by our own kitchen staff. Three snacks a day (morning, afternoon, and evening) will be provided by the kitchen staff as well. Coffee, water, tea, milk, and juice will always be available in the dining hall. Dietary needs, including vegetarian, are available upon request on your registration form.

