

Retreat
September 20-21, 2012

W.E. Skelton 4-H Educational Conference Center
775 Hermitage Rd, Wirtz, VA (Smith Mountain Lake)
www.skelton4hcenter.org
540.721.2759

Starts: Thursday, September 20 at 12:00 PM
Ends: Friday, September 21 at 2:00 PM

The Retreat is designed to accomplish several goals:

- Meet your fellow participants
- Learn about yourself in a team environment
- Form a relationship with your planning group

Registration will begin at 11:15 AM on Thursday, September 20, 2012. The program will begin promptly at 12:30 PM. This retreat is designed to familiarize you with Leadership Roanoke Valley, learn how to operate in a team environment, learn what makes an effective leader, and begin learning how to design an effective program. Last, but not least, the retreat should be FUN!

Remember to bring:

- LRV participant handbook
 - Calendar / Scheduling device
 - Flashlight
 - Comfortable, casual clothing and shoes
(YES, we mean casual. Feel free to wear shorts, blue jeans, t-shirts, and tennis shoes. You may want to bring a jacket for cool evenings or rain.)
 - And always, enthusiasm, and creativity!
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Directions to W.E. Skelton 4-H Center

Take US-220 S toward Martinsville	14.5 mi
Turn left at VA 775	0.4 mi
Turn right at VA-697	0.3 mi
Continue on Wirtz Rd	3.8 mi
Turn left at VA-122	1.1 mi
Sharp turn at Burnt Chimney Rd	6.9 mi
Turn right at Lovely Valley Rd	0.8 mi
Turn right at VA-944	1.6 mi
Turn left at Heritage Ln/VA 669	0.9 mi
Slight right at Hermitage Rd	0.2 mi
End at 775 Hermitage Rd	

Other Programs . . .

Ropes Program

October 17, 2012

Location: Wilderness Adventure at Eagle's Landing (Craig County)

This program is designed to offer LRV participants an opportunity to cultivate class relationships. The program will include highly interactive exercises that will encourage participants to set goals and make decisions in an unfamiliar environment. Information about the program location and start time will be provided as it becomes available.

LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

November 28, 2012

Location: The Hotel Roanoke and Conference Center

This program is designed to offer LRV participants specific leadership knowledge, skills, and tools for your leadership tool kit. Participants will learn what makes an effective leader and learn about your personal leadership style. Information about the program schedule will be provided as it becomes available.

DISCOVERY JOURNEY

December 19, 2012

Location: TBD

This program is designed for you to introduce a comparable region with the opportunity to listen, learn and observe opportunities and challenges in government, economic development, educational, environmental and community issues. Information about the program location will be provided as it becomes available.

GRADUATION

June 4, 2013

Location: Wortmann Ballroom, Roanoke College

Graduation will be held in the evening starting at 5:30 PM with networking. Dinner will follow. The program will conclude around 9:00 PM. You and an adult guest (spouse, sponsor, etc.) will be invited to celebrate your accomplishments and reflect on the events from the past year. A class picture will be taken this evening, and dress for the evening is business or cocktail attire.