

CAMPING GUIDELINES FOR RETREAT 2019

We are very happy to have you with us for the retreat. To keep everyone safe and comfortable, please follow these guidelines while you are here. Please stop by the pavilion to check in BEFORE parking. We will have a few spots reserved for larger campers or those who have a medical need. Please contact the Carpenters at 970-884-9722 if you fall into those categories.

HOSTS: Ken and Lois Carpenter, and Karen, Bob and John Klinger

EMERGENCY: Do come to the house if you have a night time emergency. In an emergency, we can call from the house. Cell phones don't work by the river.

TRASH: Please either bring your trash to the pavilion **by 10pm**, and deposit in/by trash cans, or lock it in your car. (Bears, oh my) We will pick it up and put it in the garage at the house.

FOOD: Please lock it in your car overnight. Same reason.

WATER: Potable/drinkable water is located in the sink in the pavilion and the hose bib behind pavilion. We will have a cold water container on the counter. All hoses by the cabin are river water.

COOKING/CLEANING UP: For safety, there will be no open fires except for the campfire Friday night. Small gas stoves may be used at your campsite for cooking. You may plug in a crock pot at the pavilion for the potluck, but be careful not to have too many things plugged in to the same outlet (will flip the breaker). The sink doesn't have a proper drain, septic or a disposal, so please put all waste in the trash. There will be a dishwashing station on a table by the pavilion with hot water and soap for washing personal utensils. Please make sure your utensils and any items for the potluck are labeled.

FIRE: Fire extinguishers are at the pavilion and cabin.

ANIMALS: Please be aware we have deer and some young fawns on the property. The fawns might be hidden during the day, so please keep dogs on leash, under control, and please clean up after them.

BATHROOMS: There are three porta-potties by the pavilion and one down at the end of the road/camping area. There will be solar lights outside and possibly lights inside, but you should have a flashlight with you at night. Extra TP will be located in the cabinets in the pavilion

PARKING: Please park cars just off the edge of the gravel road, on the river side. Please pay attention to parking signs. Campers and tents may be near the river. Please drive slow (dust and sparks). NO CARS are allowed below the second set of porta-johns (on the lower level), but you may carry tents and gear to that area and camp. Be aware that if it rains, you need to be on higher ground. No parking in the circle by the pavilion. That is reserved for the Carpenters, emergency vehicles, and drop offs.

NO SWIMMING: The river is fast, and the rocky bottom is slippery. Please no swimming. The lake is 2 miles up the road, and is fun for taking a dip.

QUIET HOURS: Please be thoughtful of the campers. Quiet hours are 10pm to 7am.