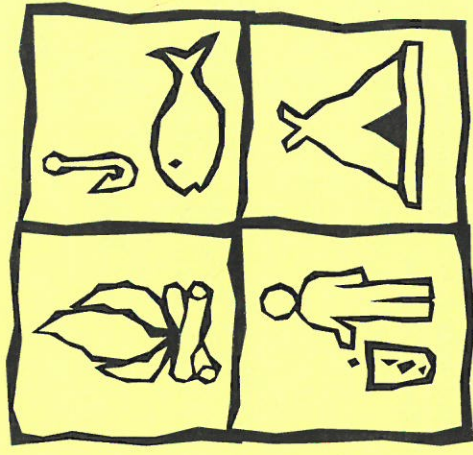


# JUNIOR CONSERVATION CAMP



June 19 - 23, 2017

CEDAR LAKES

RIPLEY, WEST VIRGINIA

Sponsored by the



West Virginia Department of  
Environmental Protection

For further information concerning  
Junior Conservation Camp contact:

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NAME OF CONTACT PERSON (sponsor or parent) \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSORING ORGANIZATION (leave blank if parent is contact) \_\_\_\_\_

FULL MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF CAMP SUBSIDIES AT \$175 EACH (ATTACH CHECK) \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSORING ORGANIZATION OR PARENT CHOOSING CAMPER \_\_\_\_\_

PARTIAL CONTRIBUTION \_\_\_\_\_

REQUEST DEP TO CHOOSE CAMPER \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF CAMPER IS NOT REQUIRED ON THE APPLICATION FORM. THE APPLICATION CANNOT BE CONFIRMED WITHOUT PAYMENT.  
**APPLICATION FORM WITH PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN MAY 1, 2017**

## JUNIOR CONSERVATION CAMP AN OPPORTUNITY...

- ▶ to become knowledgeable about conservation and the environment.
- ▶ to gain experience in sound conservation management practices.
- ▶ to become good stewards of our natural resources.

### DATE

Junior Conservation Camp takes place **June 19-23, 2017**, at Cedar Lakes Conference Center, Ripley, West Virginia.

### AGE

Junior Conservation Camp is open to children ages 11 through 14 years. Please make sure when selecting a camper that he/she is of the proper age. There will be no exceptions to the age requirement. **Camper must be age 11 on or before June 19, 2017, and must not reach age 15 on or before June 23, 2017.**

### COST

The cost is \$175 per camper which includes food and lodging. Make your check payable to: **"WV Department of Environmental Protection"** and mail with the attached application form by **May 1, 2017** to:

**West Virginia Department of  
Environmental Protection  
PIO Junior Conservation Camp  
601 57<sup>th</sup> Street, SE  
Charleston, WV 25304**

**When payment is received, camper registration forms will be mailed as quickly as possible to the contact person at the mailing address listed on the application form.**

### A DAY AT CAMP

A wide variety of classes that focus on environmental education are offered every morning. Campers learn about nature, wildlife, forestry, solid waste management and various other environmental issues.

- ◇ FORESTRY AND METHODS
- ◇ FISHING TECHNIQUES
- ◇ NATURE WALK
- ◇ RECYCLING
- ◇ FIRST AID
- ◇ HUNTER SAFETY
- ◇ WILDLIFE
- ◇ WATER STUDY

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Afternoons are filled with outdoor activity classes.

- ◇ ARCHERY
- ◇ CANOEING
- ◇ CAMP PROJECT
- ◇ GEOCACHING/ORIENTEERING
- ◇ SWIMMING

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Echoes of laughter and cheer can be heard as campers root for their teammates and join in the fun of various sports activities.

- ◇ BASKETBALL
- ◇ KICKBALL
- ◇ MINIATURE GOLF
- ◇ RELAY RACES
- ◇ VOLLEYBALL

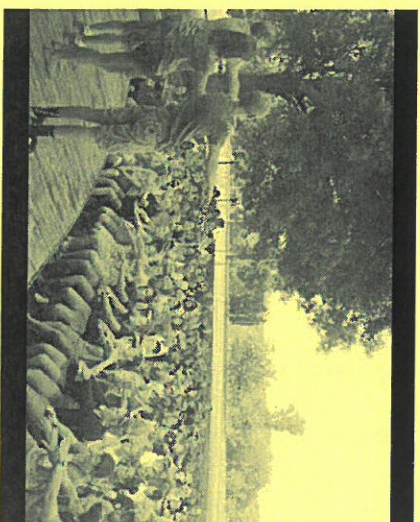
## INSTRUCTORS

Many dedicated and knowledgeable people from various environmental agencies devote their time to assist with Junior Conservation Camp. Agencies that have provided leaders are:

- ▶ WV Department of Environmental Protection
- ▶ WV Division of Natural Resources
- ▶ WV Division of Forestry
- ▶ WVU Extension Service
- ▶ WV Conservation Agency

## LOCATION

Cedar Lakes is located in the western part of West Virginia off I-77 between Charleston and Parkersburg. Take the Fairplain – Ripley exit and follow the signs to Cedar Lakes Road. The conference center is about 2 miles from the interstate. **Transportation of the camper to and from Cedar Lakes is the responsibility of the parent/guardian.**



Morning Assembly