Registration

Cost is \$189.00 per family (up to eight people) which covers one campsite for the weekend, three classes per camper, and most class materials. Registration will open on June 1 and close on August 16, 2019 or when all places are full.

To request disability-related accommodation to participate in this program, contact Becky Bartlett at (800) 278-5480 (toll-free in

Vermont) or (802) 257-7967 x 301 by Thursday, August 16 2019.

Register online at go.uvm.edu/outdoor-family. For updates, follow us on Facebook at OutdoorFamilyWeekendVT.



INFORMATION

Program: Allison Smith, (802) 651-8343 x509, (800) 571-0668 (toll-free in Vermont) or Allison.smith.2@uvm.edu.

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September 6—8, 2019 Stillwater State Park Groton State Forest









Outdoor Family Weekend

Hands-on outdoor skills and experiences for the entire

Join us at Stillwater State Park, located on picturesque Groton Lake in the 28,000 acre Groton State Forest. Your whole family will have fun learning such outdoor skills as canoeing, fishing, archery, wildlife identification, bushwhacking, and camping, wilderness and survival skills. In addition to Outdoor Family Weekend workshops, you'll have free time to enjoy other recreational activities including boating, swimming, and hiking.

Each camper may choose three workshops led by expert instructors. Each session offers numerous choices, including some meant especially for very young children and others appropriate for the older set.



UVM Extension 4-H and the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources Departments of Fish and Wildlife and Forests, Parks and Recreation collaborate on this annual event, designed to cultivate families' connections with the outdoors, through camping and the acquisition of new skills.

Classes for everyone in the family!

- Foraging
- Camp cooking
- Tree Identification
- Birding



- Fire craft
- Archery
- Mountain Biking
- Bike maintenance
- Canoeing
- Fishing
- Backpacking

Photos courtesy of the Vermont Department of Fish & Wildlife and the State of Vermont.

New Dates for 2019!

Outdoor Family Weekend has moved from the first week of June to the first week of September. Weather in Central Vermont should be warmer and drier, and the insects less voracious, at this time of year!



Schedule

Friday

3:00-8:00 p.m. C

Check in, set up camp

Saturday

9:00—11:00 a.m. 1:00—3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. Class Session 1 Class Session 2 Potluck Dinner

Sunday

9:00—11:00 a.m. 11:30—sunset Class Session 3 Enjoy the park!

Sunday night option

Free extra night

Location

Stillwater State Park Groton State Forest, Groton, VT



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