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## Great American Campout is June 25 & 26 at Adkins Arboretum

Welcome summer by participating in the National Wildlife Federation's Great American

Campout, June 25 and 26 at Adkins Arboretum! Join a naturalist-led "walk and wade" along the Blockston Branch, roast hot dogs and marshmallows, catch fireflies, take a flashlight hike and scan the night sky with Delmarva Stargazers. Children's crafts, campfire songs, spooky stories, a morning bike ride, and squirt gun and sprinkler time round out the fun.



Campers should bring their own water bottles, camping gear, flashlights and a side dish to share. Bikes, guitars and water pistols are optional. The Arboretum will provide hot dogs, buns, marshmallows, paper goods and breakfast.

The campout is \$20 for adults, \$10 for children. Reserve your spot at <u>adkinsarboretum.org</u>, or call 410-634-2847, ext. 0. Visit <u>adkinsarboretum.org</u> for a schedule of events.

Adkins Arboretum is a 400-acre native garden and preserve at the headwaters of the Tuckahoe Creek in Caroline County. Open year round, the Arboretum is the region's resource for native plants and education programs about nature, ecology and wildlife conservation gardening. For more information, visit <u>adkinsarboretum.org</u> or call 410-634-2847, ext. 0.

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