



W. E. Skelton 4-H Educational Conference Center

~Adult Education Opportunities for Fall 2010~



As part of its commitment to furthering the educational interests and needs of area adults, as well as visitors to our Lake from across the country, the W. E. Skelton 4-H Educational Conference Center at Smith Mountain Lake is pleased to present its schedule of Adult Education Programs for the Fall, 2010 period. In most cases enrollment will be limited and demand is expected to be high; consequently, early registration is advised.

Antiquing with "Colonel" Bill September 8-9, 2010

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM



This fun-filled two day course will teach you to recognize the differences in the various types of antiques you come across, whether it is a family heirloom passed down through the years, or something that catches your eye in the antique store. After spending some time with "Colonel" Bill, an experienced antique dealer and instructor, you will never again have worries of being "ripped off!" Course includes a "show and tell" opportunity to bring your own antique pieces to class, as well as a field trip to a local antique mall for a hands-on learning experience. Registration fee covers instruction, appraisals, snacks, lunch both days, and field trip.

Cost: \$60.00

Computers for the Barely Computer Literate

September 16, 2010

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM



In a positive, good humored environment, Clay Jackson will ensure that every student, no matter their current position on the "computer learning curve," leaves with a greater understanding of and appreciation for the benefits that a home computer can provide. Upon completion of this course, you will have learned the skills needed to "surf the net," as well as intelligently converse and correspond with your family and friends. Registration fee covers instruction and lunch.

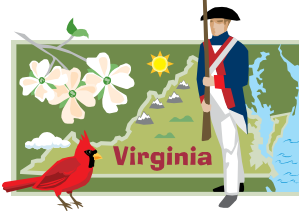
Cost: \$60.00

Virginia History For Those Who Didn't Like History in School

September 15, 22, 29, &

October 6, 2010

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM



Join Ron Coleman, a former Professor of History and expert on all of the "interesting tidbits" you never learned in school, for this informative and entertaining lecture series on four of Virginia's most fascinating historical figures:

- **Week 1:** Thomas Jefferson
- **Week 2:** Patrick Henry
- **Week 3:** Jubal A. Early
- **Week 4:** Robert E. Lee

If you're a recent "transplant" from elsewhere or a life long resident of the Old Dominion, this course will appeal to and satisfy your "inner Virginian."



Cost: \$15.00 per session or \$50.00 for the entire series

America's Boating Course September 20, 2010

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM



This course is accepted by the Commonwealth of Virginia to meet safety certification requirements for all recreational boaters, and covers a wide range of topics including safety equipment, navigation aids, anchoring, adverse conditions, trailer safety, personal watercraft safety, knots and lines, and much more! In addition to the 244 page, four color course book, participants also receive two bonus DVD's. The coursework DVD utilizes guided instruction and numerous video and audio clips to provide basic boating safety information to reinforce and review classroom learning. The second DVD, from Maptech, Inc., provides sample digital charts for hands-on practice of waypoint and route planning. Registration fee covers instruction and materials.

Cost: \$38.00

Beginner's Guitar

October 7, 14, 21, 28 &

November 4 & 11, 2010

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM



This special course is designed for true beginners. Under the patient guidance of experienced instructor Judi Britt, learn the basics of how to establish a firm foundation and understanding of the skills necessary to master and enjoy the guitar. Emphasis will be placed on Chording, Rhythm, and Picking. No musical experience needed, just a guitar, the desire to learn, and a positive attitude! Registration fee covers instruction for all six sessions.

Cost: \$50.00



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Introduction to Spanish and the Hispanic World

October 12, 19, 26,
November 2, 9, 16, 2010
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Join experienced instructor Joyce Dittrich for a fun and educational six week exploration of the Spanish language. Learn through a multitude of cultural perspectives such as music, art, literature, geography, as well as the language itself. Goals for the class will include using and comprehending a basic, “conversational” vocabulary, understanding the fundamental structure of the language, and learning proper pronunciation. In order to facilitate the learning environment, participants should be comfortable using the Internet.



The course schedule for Introduction to Spanish and the Hispanic World is listed on following column...

Introduction to Spanish and the Hispanic World Course Schedule

- **Week 1:** Discovering Your “Learning Style,” Greetings and Salutations, The Spanish Alphabet
- **Week 2:** Counting, Colors, Descriptive Words
- **Week 3:** Everyday Actions
- **Week 4:** Expressing Wants and Needs
- **Week 5:** Restaurants and Travel
- **Week 6:** Shopping

Registration fee covers instruction for all six sessions. Buen Precio!!
Cost: \$75.00

Cooking with Jason

November 29, 30, &
December 1, 2010
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM



Learn how to prepare and serve unique dishes appropriate for the holiday season under the expert guidance of Chef Jason Hardy, well known and respected chef at Westlake Kroger. Surprise your family and friends with truly delicious and memorable meals learned from this three-day course. Class size is limited to eight participants, so sign up early for this unique opportunity! Registration fee covers instruction, lunch each day, and all the leftovers you can eat!
Cost: \$60.00

To Register:
Please complete this form and mail with your payment at least one week prior to event to:
W. E. Skelton 4-H Educational Conference Center
Attn: Dennis Crowley
775 Hermitage Road
Wirtz, VA 24184
www.skelton4hcenter.org

Name: _____ Telephone: _____
(Last) (First) (M.I.)

Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Course/Course Date: _____