



# FAIRFAX COUNTY PARK AUTHORITY



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## Cub Run Hosts Wilderness Survival Camp

The kids are out of school, and they have dreams of a carefree, wild summer. Mom and Dad want them to survive their wild dreams. The Fairfax County Park Authority has the answer.

Cub Run RECenter is hosting a Wilderness Survival Camp, and it is about more than just getting through the summer. The camp is about exploring parkland and the creek behind the RECenter – and there’s plenty to explore. Campers will learn to read maps, catch critters, hike trails, fish, and start a campfire. They’ll also learn how to cook over that campfire, and they’ll be ready for a family camping trip, because they’ll also learn how to pitch a tent.

Parents need not worry about the summer heat because after a morning outdoors, the campers head indoors for an afternoon swim in Cub Run’s leisure pool complete with a slide that heads outside the building on the way down. All of this comes under the guidance of experienced counselors.

Cub Run is the only Fairfax County Park Authority RECenter with a nature program, and the combination makes it a perfect place for a summer camp. The Wilderness Survival Camp for 8-to-12-year-old youth runs twice at Cub Run, from July 6 through 10 and on August 17 through 21. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Before-camp and after-camp care is also available. The cost is \$295 for Fairfax County residents and \$310 for out-of-county participants

Call Chris Malm at 703-817-9407 for more information. Cub Run RECenter is located at 4630 Stonecroft Blvd. in Chantilly, Va.

More information about Park Authority Camps is online at [www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/camps/rec-camps.htm](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/camps/rec-camps.htm).

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