



Pet Policy

- ***Pets are ONLY allowed in our guest housing.*** There is a **two-pet maximum per housing unit. If damages occur, there will be additional charges to repair or replace damaged materials.**
- Pets are allowed at Camp Blue Ridge in the campground area and on hiking trails.
- Pets are not allowed in public facilities, meeting facilities or cafeteria.
- State regulations prohibit pets at designated swim areas and require pets to be confined or kept on a leash no longer than 6 feet and kept under supervision while on property.
- To avoid potential inconvenience, we ask that you bring proof of current rabies vaccination.
- Pet owners must clean up after their pets. If a pet is left unattended, becomes a nuisance in violation of the leash law, disturbs others by barking during quiet hours or damages Camp Blue Ridge property, the owner's stay may be terminated without a refund. The owner will be billed for any damage caused by pets.
- Service dogs are welcome in all facilities at no additional charge. Per VA State Law service dogs must be identified in particular ways:
 - a guide dog must be in a harness.
 - a hearing dog must be on a blaze orange leash, and
 - any other type of service dog must be in a backpack, harness, or vest that identifies it as a trained service dog.
 - ADA nor Virginia's service animal law protects the right to have an ESA (Emotional Support Animal) in a public accommodation. Virginia's disability law specifically excludes emotional support animals from its definition of a service dog. The law states that providing companionship, emotional support, well-being, or comfort does not qualify as performing work or tasks for a person with a disability.

Firewood Quarantines

- Invasive insect pests and diseases threaten Virginia's forests. The transport of firewood is a primary cause for the spread of these harmful pests. For this reason, Camp Blue Ridge follows the Virginia State guidelines and regulations regarding transportation of firewood. Visit [Don't Move Firewood](#) for details on the threats of moving Firewood.
- Camp Blue Ridge offers bundles and ½ Chords of wood for sale and ask that our guests burn all the wood before leaving. Quarantines have been issued by the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to restrict the movement of firewood from pest-affected counties. There are also federal quarantines in Virginia for three insect pests. Visit the USDA's Hungry Pests web page for details. Thanks for your cooperation in keeping our trees safe!