

# Southeast Dairy Youth Retreat 2019

Round Hill Inn  
750 Round Hill Road  
Orange, VA 22960

July 7-11

## Sunday

Groups arrive in  
afternoon

Cook out dinner at hotel

## Tuesday

Breakfast at hotel  
Cool Lawn Farm  
Lunch  
Al-Mara Farm  
Cow N Corn  
Dinner  
Barn Dance

## Wednesday

Breakfast at hotel  
Kings Dominion  
Dinner  
Evening activities

## Monday

Breakfast at hotel  
Battlefield Greenhouses  
Marshalls Dairy  
Lunch  
Montpelier  
Dinner

## Thursday

Breakfast at hotel  
  
Thanks for coming and  
have a safe trip home!

[www.youth.dasc.vt.edu](http://www.youth.dasc.vt.edu)

## Join us for a fun-filled week!

Tour cutting-edge farms, a state-of-the-art-greenhouse facility,  
and former President James Madison's historical home!

Test your nerve on some of the wildest rides on the east coast,  
enjoy retreat activities, and make new friends!

**Kings  
Dominion**



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4-H Agents, FFA Advisors, Youth Leaders and Parents,

The 2019 Southeast Dairy Youth Retreat is scheduled for July 7<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> in Orange, VA. This annual event is a tremendous opportunity for youth ages 9 to 19. During the retreat, youth participants from seven southeastern states will interact with dairy industry professionals during hands-on learning activities. This year's group will visit a wide variety of farms from dairy to large-scale greenhouses while getting involved in a number of interactive workshops! The group will also make an outing to Kings Dominion and have dinner at Montpelier! This looks to be an incredible schedule of activities.

The cost is **\$240** per youth participant and includes lodging (4 youth per room), events, most meals, travel, and chaperones. Group transport will be arranged by UGA Extension and will depart from Athens, GA on Sunday. You will be provided more information following receipt of your registration materials.

We are looking for young people from Georgia to attend this tremendous event where they will gain a greater understanding of the dairy industry while building long lasting friendships in agriculture! Please distribute information to your youth members and let me know if you have any questions. Please visit the URL below to find all forms and information regarding the 2019 retreat.

<https://site.extension.uga.edu/dairy/>

Registration materials (forms and payment) are due by June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019. On the payment form, you will see that contact information is REQUIRED for the "county coordinator". This person will be contacted to verify registrants. Each youth registrant MUST have the signature (recognizing support of youth member) of a county coordinator. The county coordinator may be an Extension Agent or FFA Advisor.

If you have any trouble with the link, please e-mail me at the address above and I will get you to the correct forms.

I hope that youth from your county will take advantage of this tremendous event! There are few others offered that are anything like it. As a final note, we will need chaperones. If interested in chaperoning the event, please contact me directly via e-mail to [jfain@uga.edu](mailto:jfain@uga.edu). For all approved chaperones, the cost of lodging and registration will be covered thanks to the generous support of Georgia Dairy Youth Foundation and Southeast Milk Check-off.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jillian Bohlen".

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