



Charlottesville, VA

Carter Mountain Orchard Field Trip

Who: Science Explore Students (grades k-6) & their families (older & younger siblings welcome)

Date: Friday, September 23

Time: 1:30 pm

Cost: Free Educational program on seasons of the apple tree, pollination and the importance of honeybees, caring for an orchard throughout the year, and more. There is also a self-guided educational station that deals with the rings of a tree and how the tree can tell us about the weather it has lived through. Pay only for apples that you pick to take home

Where: Carter Mountain Orchard

Schedule: Please arrive at 1:20 pm, so that we may begin promptly at 1:30 pm. Give yourself extra time to drive up the steep driveway into the orchard. We will gather just past the apple barn on the right in the grass to hear the educational talk. What kinds of apples do they have? What is the best use for each kind? What diseases do apple trees get? Following the presentation from 1:30-2:00, you may look through the self-guided tour displays and families may pick apples to take home.

Register: Please turn in a registration form to the box on the front table at ACTS on September 12 or 19.

Questions: Contact: klvprsn5@gmail.com

Please note: Rain Cancels

Directions: From Charlottesville: I-64 East to Exit 121A

Go ½ mile on Route 20 South, Turn left onto VA-53

Go ¾ mile, turn right at the Carter Mountain Orchard sign, follow the steep driveway up the hill to the apple barn.

Website Information: <http://www.cartermountainorchard.com/>

Under 'in the kitchen' there is a chart on the uses of different kinds of apples.

Place form below in registration box at ACTS (Do not include any money.

You will pay at the orchard for any apples that you pick.

Carter Mountain Apple Orchard Field Trip Registration.

Family Name _____

Number of children attending (grades k-6) _____

Number of adults attending _____

Number of older/younger siblings attending _____

Please turn form in to Kathy Pierson in the box at the front table at ACTS