# Access Adventures 2023

#### Dude Ranch Adventures Weekend

Dates: Friday, June 2, 2023 - Sunday, June 4, 2023 Cost: \$1095 Base Price, 1:1 Support (\$390.00 additional), 1:2 Support (\$300.00 additional)

Harness your inner rodeo rider and let's do like the cowboys do! Have a Dude Ranch Adventure Weekend!

Spend your weekend home on the range at the Melwood Recreation Center in Nanjemoy, Maryland. Take a trip back to the Wild Western Days. Enjoy bonfires under the stars, activities at the barn, arts and crafts, an adventure to a local farm, and wrap up the weekend with a trip to Dave & Buster's for some modern day entertainment.

On Friday, you will be provided transportation to your home on the range at the Melwood Recreation Center in Nanjemoy, Maryland. Lunch will be provided on the way. After settling into your cabin accommodations and enjoying the farm, you will take a trip back to the "Wild Western Days".

This adventure is from Friday late morning until Sunday evening and includes meals, snacks, transportation, staffing, activities and lodging. There will be a considerable amount of walking during this trip.

Lower support ratios are available at an additional cost. Check In and Check out will be at Melwood's Waldorf location, 12705 Country Lane, Waldorf, MD 20601. For more information, please contact Recreation <a href="mailto:Center@melwood.org">Center@melwood.org</a> or 301-870-3226.

# Relaxing Retreat in Southern Maryland

Dates: Friday, September 22, 2023 - Sunday, September 24, 2023 Cost: \$1095 Base Price, 1:1 Support (\$390.00 additional), 1:2 Support (\$300.00 additional)

Relaxation surrounded by the beauty of Fall foliage is what you will experience during this peaceful weekend in the country.

During this exciting yet restful weekend, you will participate in some arts and crafts, go on nature walks, birdwatch, interact with the animals at the barn, or cast a line into the pond and see what you catch.

This weekend you will also test your endurance limits, by participating in the Access Adventures Amazing Race, a 3K race/walk/stroll around the picturesque Melwood Recreation Center. Culminate the evening with a nice dinner, followed by a movie under the stars with your friends.

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### Thanksgiving Harvest Retreat

Dates: Friday, November 17, 2023 - Sunday, November 19, 2023 Cost: \$1095 Base Price, 1:1 Support (\$390.00 additional), 1:2 Support (\$300.00 additional)

It's harvest time, time to celebrate Thanksgiving! And where better to celebrate than the picturesque Melwood Recreation Center!

After settling into your cabin and checking out the scenery, you will be challenged to think about your Thanksgiving menu. You will be helping to prepare a meal for yourself and your fellow travelers. You will also have the opportunity to enjoy activities such as arts and crafts, hiking/walking, or equestrian/barnyard activities. Later, enjoy a Thanksgiving movie with your fellow travelers or help them to create decorations for the Thanksgiving Feast. Later, all the hard work and preparation will result in a wonderful Thanksgiving Feast, prepared by you!

Culminate this trip on Sunday, with an excursion to Toby's Dinner Theater in Columbia, Maryland. There, we will enjoy a meal and see the live musical version of Miracle on 34th Street.

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## Home for the Holidays

Dates: Friday, December 15, 2023 - Sunday, December 17, 2023 Cost: \$1095 Base Price, 1:1 Support (\$390.00 additional), 1:2 Support (\$300.00 additional)

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas! And we are hoping for a winter wonderland at the Melwood Recreation Center as we prepare for Home for the Holidays!

This weekend's we will celebrate the holidays together. Enjoy carols around a fire, holiday cookie baking, and making holiday tree ornaments. Culminate the weekend by traveling together to one of the dazzling drive through holiday lights extravaganzas to celebrate the season. And finally on the last day, travel to the National Harbor, in Oxon Hill, Maryland and attend the Gaylord's annual ICE Experience. Prepare to be cold! This adventure is from Friday late morning until Sunday evening and includes meals, snacks, transportation, staffing, activities and lodging. There will be a considerable amount of walking during this trip.

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