

VIRGINIA SALTWATER RECREATIONAL FISHING DEVELOPMENT FUND SUMMARY FISHING EVENT APPLICATION

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT: PROJECT LEADER: (name, phone, email) Middlesex Kiwanis Club Dave Cryer (interim) 804-363-0280 or PO Box 314 804-758-1502, davecryer@aol.com Urbanna, VA 23175-0314 Jackie Wake (Coordinator) (804) 832-3790, jsolomon14@gmail.com **DESCRIPTIVE TITLE OF EVENT: PROJECT LOCATION:** The Middle Peninsula **Primary Host Location: Holly Point Nature** 'Youts n' Coots' Park/Deltaville Maritime Museum (Counties of Middlesex, King & Queen, Gloucester, **Fishing Derby** Mathews & Essex) **NUMBER OF PARTICPANTS: COST PER PARTICIPANT:** 250 \$40

BRIEF EVENT PLAN SUMMARY:

This will be a coordinated salt-water fishing derby event at several locations throughout the Middle Peninsula involving the counties of Middlesex, King & Queen, Mathews, Gloucester and Essex. Following the morning fishing all participants will gather at the Holly Point Nature Park and Deltaville Maritime Museum.

The host organization will be the Middlesex Kiwanis Club (other clubs/organizations throughout the region will assist) in cooperation with the counties schools and Departments of Social Services. The event is designed to bring together special needs children and seniors in a shared fishing experience on the Chesapeake Bay and lower Rappahannock and York Rivers. The school system and DSS of each county will screen and provide qualified participants for the event.

Each county will provide transportation, as needed, to the enlisted marina(s) or static locations. Children and seniors will be pre-assigned to a specific boat; pairing to be based on the child's/senior's needs and the boats accommodations. Note: it is our policy to include an adult family member with each child and, when applicable, siblings. In some cases a healthcare assistant will be needed. It should be further noted that selected Marinas in Deltaville have agreed to host this event (provide dockage) for our boats.

Each boat will include a qualified chaperon or captain who will, during the three to four hour trip, cover basic fishing techniques and education about the environment and it's ecosystems including the stewardship needs of our waterways. Most of the fishing will be catch-and-release except, when possible, selected fish will be cleaned and packed so as to provide one family meal per

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participant. Boats will include licensed charter and private owners (all must meet appropriate safety guidelines and participant liability waivers must be included with applications). There will be a select number of children and seniors who have special needs that will require assistance for the duration of the derby. Specific boats will be selected and paired up with these individuals and shall include an approved 'fishing buddy'. Fishing Buddies will be included in the covered expenses of the event as will minor siblings of special needs children. In the case of children attending who qualify for State mandated free/reduced lunch an adult family member or designee may be included in the covered cost of the event.

After the return from fishing transportation will be provided by county school busses to the Holly Point Nature Park and Deltaville Maritime Museum. After a brief break and tour of the facilities lunch will be served. Following lunch there will an awards ceremony and distribution of participant memorabilia. This will be followed by a brief presentation on the Chesapeake Bay and lower Rappahannock and York Rivers by a VIMS representative who will also discuss types of fish caught and more about our salt-water ecosystems. We will give awards to children and seniors who catch the most, largest, smallest and the most diverse type of fish. All will receive a participant certificate. In addition to the fishing supplies, children will receive a back pack of school supplies and seniors a goodie pack donated by local organization.

SUPPLIES: Describe the supplies that will be covered by the proposed funding, and if they will be distributed to participants or kept by the organization for future events (for example: rods and reels that will be given to participants)

Rods and reels-given to participants*

Tackle-given to participants*

Tackle Boxes-given to participants*

School Supplies & Goodie-bags (donated)

Bait-used during event

Funding for fuel for boats-given to boat captains and associated cost for operation

Food for participants/volunteers-given to all (including on-boat water & snack)

Awards given to participants

T-shirts/hats-given to volunteers and participants

Certificates given to the boat captains and volunteers

Promotional materials and supplies for printing of applications and fliers

*Equipment used for fishing will be provided by boat captains

COSTS: (Please attach a detailed budget. Cost per participant must be included, as well as materials costs *Note source of all recipient funding in the detailed budget*)

SUMMARY COSTS

VMRC Funding: \$ 10,000

Recipient Funding \$ 9,750

Total Costs: \$ 19,750

The Middle Peninsula

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Qty.	Description	Unit	Total	CPP
200	Rod & Reel combination, boxes & tackle	\$26	\$5,200	\$26.00
20	Bulk Purchase of bait (@ \$50 per boat)	\$50	\$1,000	
300	Food for all participants & volunteers	\$5	\$1,500	\$5.00
200	Participant shirts and/or hats w/logo	\$7	\$1,400	\$7.00
100	Volunteer/sponsor shirt and/or hat w/logo	\$7	\$700	
20	Captains allowance for fuel & equipment	\$300	\$6,000	
n/a	Gratuity to Holly Point	n/a	\$1,000	
5	Busses for transportation	\$200	\$1,000	
250	On-boat water & snack	\$2	\$500	\$2.00
n/a	Supplies: advertising, fliers, name tags, etc.	n/a	\$750	
300	Awards and sponsor recognition certificates	\$3	\$900	
TOTAL			\$19,950	
	Local contributions		\$9,950	
	VMRS Request		\$10,000	
	Cost per participant			\$40.00
Note:	200 children and seniors + 50 Fishing Buddies (required for selected			
	handicapped and special need individuals) = 250 participants			