



Virginia Elks Association Youth Camp Millboro, Virginia

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December Newsletter
By Jay Bonnell, President

First let me start with extending condolences from the entire VEYC family to the family of Tina Shelton Cooper. Tina was our nurse this past summer at the camp. Camp Director Susie Keller informed me at the end of October that Tina was getting gas when she had a severe asthma attack. They took her to the hospital, but there was nothing they could do. Please keep her family in your prayers.

The Executive Committee held its meeting at the Fredericksburg Lodge on Saturday, November 12th. I would like to extend our thanks to the Lodge for their hospitality and lunch they prepared for us. During the meeting we discussed the duties and responsibilities of the officers, and laid out an organizational chart. We also talked about the dining hall re-shingling project. VP Karyn Swenor informed the committee that she may have someone willing to donate all, or a large portion of the shingles. We also went over several other projects in the works and will report on them as they progress.

A Budget and Bylaws meeting is scheduled for January 14th at the Charlottesville Lodge. Here we will put together a budget for the 2012 camping season and some needed updates and changes to the bylaws. We will then submit them to the VEA Trustees for approval and then to the membership at the Protocol meeting in March at the National Home in Bedford.

Upon closing, let me wish each and everyone of you "A Very Merry Christmas and a Safe and Prosperous New Year from My Family to Yours."

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