



Sip of Virginia II

October 31 – November 4, 2024

Misty Mountain Camp Resort
56 Misty Mountain Road
Greenwood, VA 22943



Rally Hostess: Mindy Downie (540) 520-2357

Come find out why the Sip of Virginia is one of our most coveted rallies to attend. Besides being near over 50 wineries, breweries, distilleries, and cideries, you can visit historic downtown Charlottesville, tour Thomas Jefferson's Monticello or wander on the beautiful campus of the University of Virginia all just a short drive away. A 10-minute drive places you on either the Blue Ridge Parkway or Skyline Drive, both of which provide spectacular views and hikes of all levels.

The \$190 per person rally fee provides transportation on a Hop on-Hop off bus tour visiting four locations and ending the day at the stunning Hazy Mountain Vineyard/Brewery for a delicious dinner. At the campground on Saturday the day will begin with a hot breakfast and at 4 PM there will be a wine tasting by Dogwood and Thistle Winery followed by a catered dinner and live music. Coffee will be provided each day.

DISCLAIMER:

Alcohol consumption has inherent risks. Alcohol consumption is voluntary at all parts of this rally. The hosts, Grapes & Grains, and ACI are not responsible for the consequences of your choices and actions. You are responsible for yourself. Attendance at group events, at the campsite or otherwise, is not mandatory for attending the rally. Have a plan to get back safely to your airstream.

ADULT ACTIVITIES:

Grapes & Grains events are specifically centered around the responsible consumption of alcoholic beverages, which is considered an adult activity. These events will include visiting wineries, breweries, brew pubs and distilleries, which may require visitors to be of legal drinking age (21 years of age or older). Grapes & grains reserves the right to not allow anyone under the age of 21 to participate in any or all activities at a Grapes & Grains event.

REFUND/CANCELLATION POLICY:

Members who cancel after being registered for any event will forfeit any third-party non-refundable fees incurred by Grapes & Grains (G&G) or the event sponsor including but not limited to reservation fees, processing fees, site cancellation fees, prepaid excursion, tour, entertainment, and event fees. Any member/registrant who cancels within 30 days of the Rally

start date will forfeit any prepaid rally fees and depending on the venue, potential RV site fees. Regardless of the reason or cause, if the timeliness of cancellation of your attendance does not allow G&G or it's Host(s) to find replacement attendees or obtain refunds from any of the vendors or providers, a refund will not be made, and forfeiture of those costs will be incurred by the canceling member.

If Grapes & Grains should cancel a rally or event, all fees paid by any member/registrant will be refunded.

This Grapes & Grains refund policy is premised on the concept that the Intra-Club should neither profit from nor subsidize the cost of any member or registrant who cancels after registering for a G&G sponsored or hosted rally or event. We understand that circumstances arise where a cancellation may be necessary, and every effort will be made to minimize the financial impact on both the Intra-Club and the member/registrant.

Any member/registrant who does not agree with a refund decision made by the organizers of a G&G sponsored event may appeal that decision to the G&G Executive Board by filing a written appeal request, including the reasons for a reversal of the refund decision, within 30 days of the original refund decision.

Nearest Hospital/Emergency Room:

Sentara Martha Jefferson Hospital
500 Martha Jefferson Drive
Charlottesville, VA 22911
(434) 654-7000

Nearest Urgent Care:

Augusta Health Urgent Care
540 Radford Lane, Suite 250
Charlottesville, VA 22903
(434) 823-7896

Nearest Veterinary Clinic:

Animal Wellness Center
1100 Crozet Avenue
Crozet, VA 22932
(434) 823-8883



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All times approximate, some venues may change.
To reduce waste, please bring your own table setting to happy hours.

Thursday October 31 - Arrival

1:00 pm – Earliest check-in time

- Arrive early to decorate your rigs for Halloween!
- Best decorated rig will be announced Saturday evening.

5:00 pm – Happy Hour at the Clubhouse across from the office

- Welcome packets and review agenda
- Bring your beverage of choice

6:00 pm – Dinner on your own

- Possible trick or treaters in the campground

8:00 pm – Gather by the large firepit outside of the Big Community Room

Friday, November 1st

9:00 am – Coffee and breakfast by SkyMed in the Big Community Room

- SkyMed presentation

10:00 am – Grapes & Grains Officer Installation Ceremony

11:30 am – Bus 1 arrives and group 1 boards the bus in front of the office

STOPS

Devils Backbone/Blue Toad Cidery

Three Notch'd Brewery

Veritas Vineyards

Hazy Mountain – Dinner stations included – cash bar!

12:00 pm – Bus 2 arrives and group 2 boards the bus in front of the office

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Hazy Mountain – Dinner stations included – cash bar!

Complimentary water and chips will be provided on each bus

8:30 pm – Arrive back at Campground

- Enjoy firepit provided by Misty Mountain or spontaneous solo stove fires
- Games in the Clubhouse across from the office

Saturday, November 2nd

8:30 am – Hot breakfast casseroles, fruit, coffee in the Clubhouse across from the office

4:00 pm – Wine Tasting (Location TBD) by Dogwood and Thistle Wine Company

- Glasses of wine and bottles will be sold by vendor
- Bring snacks to share

6:00 pm – Dinner catered by Smoked BBQ – Pulled pork, ribs, sides, deviled eggs and brownies.

- Bring your own beverage and set ups
- Decorated Rig Judging and Prizes
- Costume contest
- Gather around the firepit and music provided by Misty Mountain
- Gaming in the Clubhouse across from the office

Sunday, November 3rd

DAY ON YOUR OWN

8:30 am – Coffee and donuts provided by Misty Mountain

12:00 pm – Check out time. Cheers and see you down the road!

- Note the rally officially ends here however there is so much to do and see in the area you may want to stay an extra day.

10:00 am – **Optional activity**

- Tour of Monticello, additional \$32 for all attendees that registered for this event
 - Please car pool
- Lunch at Michie Tavern

4:30 pm - Home Brew talk (tentative)

6:00 pm Pitch in dinner

Monday, November 4th – Departure Day

8:30 am – Coffee in the clubhouse

12:00 pm – Check out time. Cheers and see you down the road!

Spend time exploring the surrounding area.

Nelson county is home to over 50 wineries, breweries, distilleries and cideries. Some suggestions if you are going to arrive early or stay late.

- Monticello [Thomas Jefferson's Monticello - Official Website](#)
- Outdoor Recreation [Charlottesville VA Outdoor Activities | Trails, Parks, Hiking | Visit Charlottesville](#)
- Wineries/Craft Breweries/Restaurants [Add These New Attractions to Your 2024 Trip | Visit Charlottesville](#)
- [Wineries – Nelson 151](#) also lists craft breweries, distilleries and cideries
- Blue Ridge Tunnel [Hiking the Crozet Blue Ridge Tunnel Trail Near Waynesboro VA - Blue Ridge Mountains Travel Guide](#)