

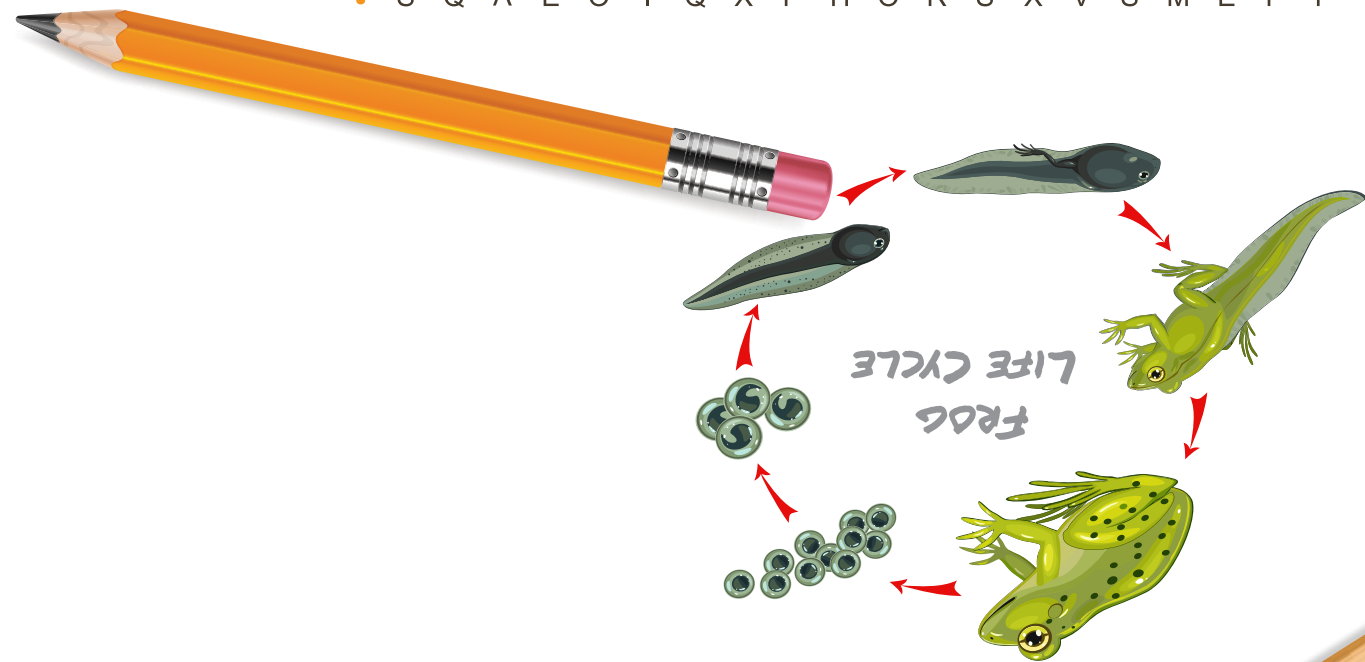
Word Find

Can you find them all?

Using the list below, find the words that are hidden in the jumble.

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| ROPE | TENT |
| STARS | INSECTS |
| TREES | MOUNTAIN |
| LANTERN | CLIMB |
| FISHING | CAMP |
| KNIFE | FLASHLIGHT |
| SUN | WATER BOTTLE |
| TRAIL MIX | BOOTS |
| BACKPACK | HIKE |
| ADVENTURE | SLEEPING BAG |
| COMPASS | CAMPFIRE |
| MOON | NATURE |

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Spring/Summer 2024

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Join us at the

12th Annual

OUTDOOR ADVENTURIE CAMP

JUNE 1, 2024



Claudia L. Workman Wildlife Education Center
 Saturday, June 1st from 10am - 2pm

The center is located at 301 Forks of Coal Way, Alum Creek, WV 25003. We will have hundreds of giveaways, prizes, FREE food and ice cream, fishing, archery, laser tag, shows, and so much more!

Save some time by registering online in advance at beyondthebackyard.org



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Fishing in the Mountain State

Fishing in West Virginia offers an unforgettable outdoor adventure for kids with more than 100 public fishing lakes and ponds. While West Virginia has only one natural lake, Trout Pond in Hardy County, 48 of the state's 55 counties have at least one public lake.

Fishing isn't just about the catch— it's about fostering a connection to nature and creating lasting memories with family and friends. Whether it's the excitement of reeling in your first trout, or the peaceful moments spent casting lines while enjoying the sounds of nature, every fishing trip can be a cherished adventure.

Where are some of the best places for fishing in West Virginia?

ELK RIVER

21 miles long, spanning across several counties including Braxton, Webster, & Kanawha

BLACKWATER RIVER

7 miles long, located in Tucker County

CRANBERRY RIVER

24 miles long, located in Monongahela National Forest

PAINT CREEK

14 miles long, spanning across Fayette and Kanawha counties

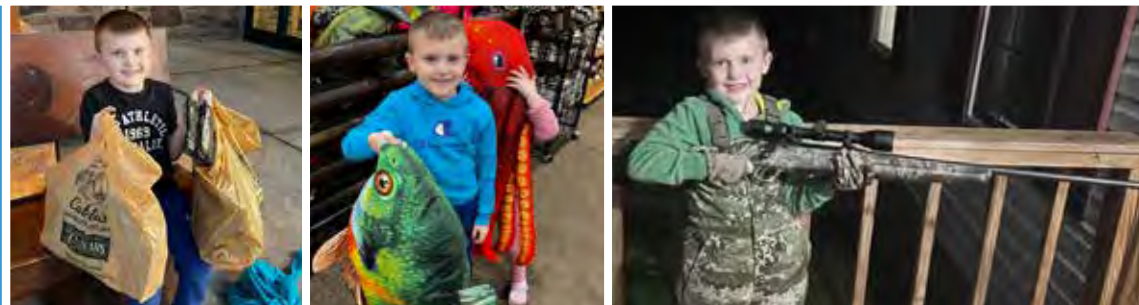
SOUTH BRANCH OF POTOMAC RIVER

11 miles long, located in Grant and Hardy counties

Wherever you decide to fish, be sure to have fun and stay safe! Feel free to send us your fishing pictures this summer on social media at 'Beyond the Backyard' on Facebook and Instagram.

Our 2024 Hunting & Fishing Show

**\$500
Cabela's
Gift Card
Winner**



Member Grayson Williams, age 7, went on an amazing shopping spree at Cabela's after he won a gift card from Beyond the Backyard at the Hunting and Fishing Show in February. He spent his money on new hunting clothes, his first deer rifle, a gift for his sister, and some beef jerky. Congratulations, Grayson!

To receive this newsletter by email, call 866-WV-WOODS or email Ishinkle@beyondthebackyard.org

SUMMER GIVEAWAY: OUTDOOR ADVENTURE AWAITS!



EXCLUSIVE TO THIS NEWSLETTER

Want to win a prize JUST for getting outside? That's right, we are giving away 5 different prizes to kids who can check off all the boxes. To enter, you must complete all the adventures below and submit photos for proof. This contest will NOT be running on social media, you can only read about it here in our exclusive newsletter!

- Take a photo of you fishing this summer, a bonus entry if you have a catch!
- Snap a picture of you on a hike, please name the trail and location!

TRAIL

LOCATION

- Take a picture of you playing an outdoor sport. This can be anything. Soccer, tennis, softball, etc.
- Take a picture of a crawdad, tadpole, lizard, or a frog
- Write one paragraph about your favorite outdoor activity and tell us why you love it.

Please do not submit old pictures for this contest, this is meant to be completed throughout the 2024 summer season

When you have completed all 5 adventures, have your parent or guardian submit your pictures in one email to our Public Relations Director, Leanne at Ishinkle@beyondthebackyard.org. All entries must be submitted by Monday, August 12th. If you check all the boxes, your name will be entered into a drawing and 5 kids will be selected to win prizes such as outdoor gear, hunting and fishing supplies, or a gift card. Winners will be announced and contacted by September. Please include your child's full name, age, best contact number, and location.

WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOUR SUMMER FUN!

Check us out online at beyondthebackyard.org to volunteer, donate, join, or tell a friend!