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COVID-19 Update

Last night, our Board of Directors decided to close to overnight rentals and programs until April 1st. As more information is available, we intend to continue our responsibility in social distancing, comply with VDH recommendations, align with school closures, and share our concern for the outbreak. A few notes below:

- Spring Work Weekend is **rescheduled to May 15-17**. Online registration has been updated to these new dates. We encourage you to sign up soon so that you receive more details as they are available. Sign up for Work Weekend here.
- All March rental groups are rescheduling or have already moved their retreat to new dates. <u>Find rental availability here</u>.
- All remaining Family Nights have been cancelled. New Family Nights will be planned for fall/spring.
- We will allow **day use for families and individuals** during this time. You are welcome to come find renewal and spend time outdoors at Caroline Furnace from 9 to 5 each day. Please **check in and out at the office** a check-in sheet will be provided outside the office door.
 - Just like you do in the National Forest, plan to "pack it in, pack it out." Bring your own food/snacks and a reusable water bottle. Everything you bring to Caroline Furnace needs to return home, including trash.
 - Leave pets at home. Service animals are welcome.
 - Restrooms are available under the Farmhouse. They are well marked and can be accessed from the concrete steps and side door on the south side of the building. All other buildings are locked.

Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns: tom@ or julie@carolinefurnace.org, (540) 449-0012

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