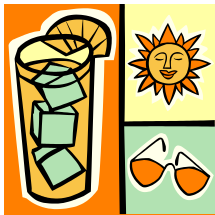




ON THE LEVEL

SUMMER FUN IS ON THE WAY!

Reduced-price tickets are available to Six Flags in Largo, MD; Water Country, Williamsburg, VA and Busch Gardens, Williamsburg, VA. Call the FCFT office for further information.



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FCFT is offering two free Kings Dominion (Doswell, VA) Theme Park tickets to members for the 2013 season.

There are two types of tickets, KDOption 1 and KDOption2, each with the 14 operating days listed for the EARLY and LATE season at Kings Dominion.

Check the ticket dates carefully before making a choice.

FCFT will not issue replacement tickets for lost, stolen, or unused tickets once your tickets have been mailed to you.

Tickets are issued on a first-come, first-served basis and only one request per member will be processed.

All ticket orders will be on line at www.fcft.org. The following dates are

KDOption 1—April 27, April 28; May 26, May 27, May 31; June 27, June 29, June 30; July 5, July 7, July 15, July 20, July 27, July 28.

KDOption 2—August 2, August 3, August 8, August 11, August 17; September 1; October 5, October 6, October 12, October 13, October 19, October 20, October 26, October 27.

Tickets will be issued while supplies last. See our website, www.fcft.org.

PLAN NOW FOR FCFT GOLF IN JUNE

Plan now to register for the FCFT golf tournament to be held on Monday, June 24, 2013. The tournament will be held at Old Hickory Golf Club, Woodbridge, VA. Registration with directions to the club are on our website, www.fcft.org.



Remember that all proceeds from the event will provide funds to support selected instructional programs and grants/scholarships for FCFT members. By participating you will be helping your fellow teachers.

FCFT AND CONFIDENTIALITY

You might have a bothersome school situation and need to discuss it with someone. It is wise not to discuss some problems with the other teachers. You need to be circumspect in what you say at school. FCFT is the place to turn for advice. All of the people you will talk to here at the FCFT office are trained in Labor-Relations issues. They know FCPS regulations and School Law well. What you tell them will remain confidential. Nothing will be revealed without your approval to do so. You can count on them to give you timely and accurate advice. We urge you to do what they suggest to protect

your self and your job. You have civil rights and your rights as an employee. Our staff understands these rights and will work in your best interests. FCFT is just a phone call away. Don't just dwell upon a school situation, call FCFT for counsel.



Please respond to the FCFT Principals' Survey as soon as you can. All comments are confidential. Surveys are due by May 3, 2013.

RESPOND TO THE PRINCIPALS' SURVEY

You should have received the Principals' Survey form at your home address. Please respond honestly and write as many comments as you like. FCFT wants to know who are the best Fairfax County Public School Principals. All of your comments are strictly confidential and will be seen by the FCFT staff only. Your comments are

also anonymous. If you don't respond, your principal may not be recognized for outstanding work. When the votes are tallied, FCFT will reward the winners with certificates, notify the School System, and publish the winning names.

Send your surveys by May 3, 2013.

KEEP TWENTY DAYS

FCFT advises our members to keep twenty days of sick leave in their accounts, just in case something happens for which short-term disability (STD) would be needed. Before short-term disability begins, there is a twenty-day elimination-period. This means, days one through twenty will be your sick

leave days. Day twenty-one will begin short-term disability.

If an employee does not have twenty days of sick leave, those days will become leave without pay.

