

**Historic Rivers Chapter – VMN  
General Membership Meeting Minutes  
End of Year Party  
December 8, 2010**

The End-of-Year Party and the December General Membership Meeting of the Historic Rivers Chapter of the Virginia Master Naturalists was held at the Windsor Club House, 108 Wyndham Way, Williamsburg, VA. The meeting was called to order by President, Bruce Hill at 6 p.m.

- Over 70 members and their guests attended the meeting and potluck end of year party. As usual, the Chapter members provided and enjoyed many delicious gourmet appetizers, salads, main courses and desserts! The social committee members included: Jeanette Navia, Alice Kopinitz, Felice Bond, Patty Riddick, Barbara Boyer and Patty Maloney.
- An outstanding 20-minute slide show highlighted the chapter's many volunteer service projects, advanced training events and Chapter activities during 2010. Felice Bond did an exceptional job in developing the slide show and capturing the true spirit of the chapter.
- Alice and Seig Koponitz provided the evening's entertainment with a rousing "name-that-flora/fauna" game. Portions of 20 songs were played and each table tried to identify the flora or fauna in the song. All members and guests thoroughly enjoyed the challenge. The winning table included: Larry Riddick, Patty Riddick, Barbara Boyer, Susan Powell, Gary Hammer, Sheila Kerr-Jones and J.R. Kerr-Jones.

Reminders:

- Training for the Vernal Pool Project at the Rice Center is scheduled for the month of December. If you want to participate, please contact Dean Shostak or Felice Bond.
- Please make sure you have reported your service and advanced training hours in the system. Our Chapter's end of year report will be compiled in December and forwarded to Michelle Prysby.
- The Audubon Christmas Bird Count will be held in Williamsburg area on 19 Dec. Please contact Bill Williams if you are interested in participating.

Respectfully submitted:

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Co-Secretary