

We Need Your Support

In the past ten years, more than \$200,000 has been awarded to over 200 students and professionals - VRPS members, nonmembers, and their staff - to attend workshops, conferences and in-service trainings.

The source of income for the Foundation includes individual and corporate memberships, as well as generous donations from VRPS Service Areas, Resource Groups, and individuals. Help us Create a Legacy!



FOUNDATION
Virginia Recreation and Park Society

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Since 1956, the Virginia Recreation and Park Society has acted as the unified voice of parks and recreation issues throughout the Commonwealth. Through diversified individual memberships the Society has provided and encouraged continuous developmental training opportunities for its members in order to improve recreation, parks and leisure services to the public.

A special committee studied the need to establish an independent charitable Foundation to adequately address the exclusive responsibilities of educating the public to the importance of parks, recreation and leisure pursuits in the lives of all persons in the Commonwealth.

In 1985, the IRS approved the 501(c)3 Foundation of the Virginia Recreation and Park Society as a public, non-profit organization. The Foundation is also registered with the State Corporation Commission.

Foundation of the Virginia Recreation and Park Society

Membership Information

Help us achieve our goal of raising \$1,000,000 to fund continuing education for park and recreation professionals.

Become a Member

<http://vrps.com/Foundation/Membership.aspx>

We ask you to consider an investment in an annual membership. You can choose from any level and join others in supporting the efforts of the Foundation to continue improving our programs in Virginia.

	Individual	Corporate
Bronze	\$15	\$150
Silver	\$25	\$250
Gold	\$50	\$500
Century	\$100	\$1000
Platinum	\$250	\$2500

Make a Donation

<http://vrps.com/Foundation/Donate.aspx>

As we develop a culture of generosity, our desire is to Create a Legacy that will support the Foundation for future generations of students and professionals, who in turn will keep VRPS in the forefront of the park and recreation movement. Your donation to the Foundation is tax-deductible and can be designated to one or more of these funds.

Education Endowment
Foundation Scholarships
Foundation General Donation
James K. Cole Scholarship
Jesse A. Reynolds Scholarship
George S. Cunningham Scholarship
LTI Alumni Challenge



How the Foundation Serves You

- Informs the public on critical concerns affecting parks and recreation.
- Educates the public as to the benefits of healthy leisure pursuits.
- Educates the public as to the importance of proper use and preservation of our natural resources.
- Supports students in an accredited park and recreation curriculum through a continuing scholarship program.
- Provides professional scholarships to practitioners in the field of parks and recreation through appropriate scholarships and grants.



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