



Clay Shooting

Often times described as “golf with a shotgun,” sporting clay targets are thrown in a great variety of trajectories, angles, speeds, elevations and distances. We offer an exhilarating off site session for both introductory and intermediary levels. Time includes travel to and from course.

Cost: \$198++ per person based on 2 hours. 6 person minimum. Transportation is additional, approximately 6 miles and 12 minutes from Salamander Resort & Spa.

Community Focused – Bike Building

The recreation team at Salamander facilitates a bike building program! We’d break up the participants in groups of 5-10 people to build bikes, teams would answer Trivia questions/complete challenges to gain supplies, at the end we would inspect the bikes and each team would nominate a representative to race around the front drive (weather dependent). At the very end we’d coordinate a representative (if available) from the organization the bikes are to be donated to accept the bikes. Event is approximately 60 minutes.

Cost is \$65++ per person. Price is based on a 25-person minimum.

Cornhole

Want to add a game rental to your social or looking for something during your outdoor cocktail hour than why not try cornhole? Cornhole is a lawn game in which players take turns throwing bags of corn or buckeye seeds at a raised platform with a hole in the far end. A bag in the hole scores 3 points, while one on the platform scores 1 point. Play continues until a team or player reaches the score of 21. The origination of the game is unknown but several claims have been made in Germany, Ohio, Illinois and Kentucky.

Cost: \$100++ per set, plus tax and service charge.

Countryside Trail Rides

Discover the natural beauty of the Hunt Country astride quiet trail horses while we meander through the woods and fields at a leisurely walk.

COST: \$125.00++ per guest for 1 hour (Maximum of 4 per hour at this time)

We can also rent additional horses for large groups for an additional fee. Minimum of two-weeks' notice.

Empower Adventures -Tree Top Zip Tour and more!

Located behind the Resort beyond the Grand Lawn within an 80-acre nature preserve. Contact the Empower Adventures office inside the Resort for availability and reservations, 540.692.9471.

Bundle select activities and save!

1. Zip Tour plus Rappelling Bundle: Combine the Tree Top Zip Tour with Rappelling and save 7%. 3 hours required. \$249 per person
2. Zip Tour plus Survival Bundle: Combine the Tree Top Zip Tour with Survival 101 and save 5%. 3 hours required. \$319 per person
3. Zip Tour Deluxe Bundle: Combine the Tree Top Zip Tour, Rappelling and Survival 101 and save 10%. 4 hours required. \$395 per person

Tree Top Zip Tour – Soar through the tree tops on an interconnected series of zip lines and bridges with your Empower tour guides. Perfect for families, friends, groups and team building. Minimum age is 8 years and required weight range is 70-250lbs. Private tours are available for an additional \$75 per person. 1.5-2 hours required. \$164 per person. Check with Empower for current tour schedule.

Kiddo Zip Lining – Kids under the minimums for the Tree Top Zip Tour can try this thrilling ride. With an Empower guide, zip line our 200' zip line 3 times! Minimum age is 4 years old and minimum weight is 40lbs. For children only. \$50 per child. Times are flexible but reservations are required.

Rappelling – Descend a vertical surface commando style! 1-hour required. \$105 per person.

Survival 101 - Learn the basics of survival and have fun doing it! Empower guides teach and guide participants through the basics of finding/trapping food, collecting water, survival first aid, tyrolean traversing and shelter building! 1-1.5 hours required. \$170 per person.

Personal Leadership Odyssey – This customized 4-hour adventure is for adults looking for a special, individualized adventure training session with an Empower guide. Utilizing the entire Empower Adventure facility defeat your fear of heights, learn to self-coach, expand your comfort zone and take on new challenges. \$329 per person.

Zip & Zen – Discover your adventurous side with the Tree Top Zip Tour then retreat to Salamander’s luxurious spa to enjoy lunch and a reviving massage. From \$305 per person.

Zip & Ride – Experience the varied elements of nature by horseback riding then zip lining through the beautiful Virginia countryside! \$245 per person.

Zip & Sip – Great for groups! Following the Tree Top Zip Tour, Empower will provide celebratory beverages for your group debrief upon conclusion of your experience. Choose from an assortment of beer, wine and house-made seasonal beverages. \$189 per person.

Equi-Power – Perfect for corporate retreats and corporate leadership seminars – This unique package combines two powerful team activities into one – Salamander Resort’s “Equi-Spective” program and Empower’s Tree Top Zip Tour. This innovative discovery program gives individuals and teams an opportunity to uncover their authentic communication, leadership and relationship style by connecting and communicating with horses and then zipping through the tree tops! This activity does not involve horse-back riding.

- Maximum # of participants at one time is 30 people
- There are minimal physical limitations or restrictions.
- Generally 2 hours is required per activity (4 hours total)
- Pricing starts at \$299++ per person
- Reservations are encouraged 30 days in advance; check with Empower for scheduling
- Empower does require the client to process a deposit as well as sign an Empower Services Agreement.

Equi-Spective

This innovative personal discovery program gives individuals and teams an opportunity to uncover their authentic communication, leadership and relationship style by connecting with horses. This activity does not require any horse experience or riding. By successfully achieving goals working with the horse, participants will be given effective tools to carry into other aspects of their lives.

Cost: \$250++ per person for a two-hour private session
\$150++ per person for a two-hour group session, four or more people.
\$200++ per person for a four-hour group session, four or more people.
\$450++ per person for a six-hour group session, four or more people. (includes beverages, snacks and lunch)

Falconry - Birds of Prey Offerings

Master Falconer Jennifer Westhoff of Raptor Hill, a falconry and wildlife sanctuary, allows Salamander guests to experience the world of raptors up close. Her birds of prey, or raptors, are well trained ambassadors that will allow you to create lifelong memories and spark a lasting appreciation for these majestic hunters of the skies.

Falconry 101 - We welcome you to a first-hand encounter with the world of Birds of Prey. This once-in-a-lifetime experience presents the fascinating natural history, training, conservation and concerns about these majestic predators. Examine the equipment, tools, and methods used for the sport of falconry. Following a live demonstration of the training methods and an overview of the natural behavior of raptors, each participant will have the opportunity to hold a live raptor on their arm (equipment is provided) for a wonderful photo opportunity as Falconry's 4000 year old history is revealed! 4 guest minimum, 20 guest maximum. Ages 12 & up (ages 6-11 must be accompanied by a paid adult) \$125 per person • 1.5 hours

Raptor Walk Around - This unique interactive raptor experience at a reception or happy hour will be the highlight of your event. Enchant your guests with once-in-a-lifetime close-up encounter with birds of prey. Meet a master falconer and several of her raptors. The raptors will be carried on the glove of a falconer, as she strolls through your event and interacts with your guests. This experience allows for photo opportunities for your guests with birds of prey. Bring your camera! Excellent for groups of all sizes. First hour: \$800. Additional hour: \$400. Add flight demonstration: \$400

Flying Demonstration - This is the one hour Raptor walk-around plus a fight demonstration. Watch a master falconer thrill your group with a flying demonstration. Learn the basics of the training involved and then experience the thrill of seeing a raptor flying to the falconer's glove or the lure. Bring your camera! Excellent for groups of all sizes. Flight demonstration and introduction: \$1200++. Fall, Winter & Early Spring only.

Owl Experience - Owls are some of the most fascinating birds of prey on our planet. Meet up close and personal a few of these well adapted hunters. Join our master falconer for an interactive session. This experience can either be a walk-around or presentation. This experience allows for photo opportunities for your guests with an owl. A great addition to a gathering at the Salamander fire pit. Bring your camera!

Excellent for groups of all sizes. First hour: \$800++. Additional hour: \$400++

Golf

The Salamander Resort & Spa is affiliated with the nearby **Creighton Farms Golf Club**, which is about six miles away from the resort. It is a beautiful golf course designed by Jack Nicklaus and located in the private community of Creighton Farms, which opened in 2007.

Great Cook-Off

Choose from one of the many banquet exciting banquet menu options or have your group's leader, or company CEO, submit a recipe to the Executive Chef. The ingredients are given to the teams, but the recipe is not. There are a few extra ingredients put out there as well. Teams have 30 minutes to develop a recipe in the Cooking Studio. Teams vote for "Closest to the Boss's Recipe," which has been prepared by the Executive Chef, and for most "Creative Use of Ingredients." Best of all, you then get to enjoy the meal as it intended which has been delicately prepared by Salamander Chefs.

Cost: \$125++ per person and \$200 Chef Attendant Fee based on 90 minutes. For groups of 11 to 24.

Guided Nature Hike

Join an area naturalist and learn about the flora and fauna of the mid-Atlantic. Bring your camera along for a 60 minute hike!

\$45 per person, plus tax and service charge. Minimum 4 people, maximum 20 people.

History Repeats Itself

Walking Historic Tour of Middleburg. Visit the National Sporting Museum and Library, learn about America's oldest Inn, Jacqueline Kennedy Pavilion, the Civil War and much more! Add more time on for shopping! End at the Salamander Market for cheese and wine.

Cost: \$50++ per person based on 90 minutes. Price based on 4 person minimum. Cheese and wine is additional.

Lawn Olympics

A spin on classic Lawn games mixed in with silly competitions supplies your group with plenty of laughs and encourages some competition. Water balloon launching, trivia and handball provide the perfect combination for both active and non-active participants. Ideal for large groups. Volleyball, Closest to the wicket and Cornhole also work well as great contests!

Cost: \$65++ per person based on 90 minutes. Price based on 25 participant minimum.

Military-style Driving – “Salamander Seals 7”

Through special arrangements, we have organized for guests to spend the day at the country’s premier military off-road driving school and being instructed how to drive their unique vehicles with you behind the wheel. You'll be instructed on technical off-road driving skills, recovery skills and how to roll a vehicle upright - all hands on with you behind the wheel.

Cost: \$600++ per person based on full day event (3 person minimum). Lunch & non-alcoholic beverages included. Must be 18 years or older. Transportation is additional. Approximately 1 hour and 10 minutes from the resort.

Paintball

Welcome to the world of paintball. During your stay at The Salamander Resort and Spa, experience one of the fastest growing sports in America. You and your team will feel the excitement grow as we discuss safety and game rules, and are issued gear and paintball markers. The price per person includes everything needed to enjoy the competition. Each team member will receive a semi-automatic paintball gun, paintballs and a face shield. So, strap on your goggles on and feel the excitement of the pursuit! Located approximately 15 minutes of the resort.

Cost: Pricing starts at \$49 per person, plus tax and transportation. Additional fees may apply for jumpsuit, extra ammo and if you would like a recreation staff member to accompany the group.

Private Fitness Classes

Salamander Resort & Spa offers several fitness based classes including leadership experiences, meeting fitness goals or simply trying something new. Stress Burner Yoga: an executive program, Nature Hikes, Zumba, Boot Camp, Pilates, several more types of yoga and water based programs are available. The Fitness Center also offers personal training.

Cost: \$35++ per person based on 60 minute programs and a 10-person minimum. Individual and small group pricing is also available.

Salamander Amazing Nature Race

The Salamander Resort and surrounding Middleburg, VA are steeped in a rich historical and outdoor tradition. Salamander's Amazing Nature Race couples this tradition with excitement and challenge to create an unforgettable afternoon. This challenge based race requires teams to utilize both their physical, mental and creative prowess. Each team will be tasked with solving clues that unlock a series of questions, finding 4-10 fixed locations (depending on amount of participants) and completing challenges to earn points. In the end, the team that scores the most point...wins. This immersive race requires a team to act decisively and wisely if they hope to prevail and be called victors!

Cost: Allow 3 Hours for full race experience Cost: \$299++ per participant plus tax and service charge, 12 participant minimum. An estimated number and heights for bicycles is due 30 days out and confirmed number is due 2 weeks out. The cost without bikes is \$250++ per person.

The Amazing Nature Race now has a Zip Line adventure add on! An additional \$75++ per person for a tyrolean traverse, suspension bridge and 1 zip line.

Salamander Art Offerings

Salamander Resort and Spa's art classes are led by Artist-in-Residence Mary Jennings. Working as a professional artist in textile and interior design, Jennings has established herself as a mural artist for many years. She holds a Bachelor of Fine Arts from Moore College of Art and also a graduate of Duke Ellington School of the Arts, Washington, D.C. Her work has been featured on several episodes of HGTV's "Bed and Bath Design" and her fine art has been accepted in juried shows with the Torpedo Factory Gallery as well as other local galleries and exhibits. Jennings enjoys sharing the joy of creating art with all skill levels.

Prices listed below are based on 10 participants. Guaranteed participant numbers are needed two weeks out. The Aldie Room located in the Equestrian Center is the ideal location to set up the painting classes and wood burning. The natural light and close proximity to the paddocks create an ideal setting.

Creative Sketchbook Journey - Gathering in the Library, each participant is led through an active journey of sketching and expressing by Mary Jennings. Using drawing supplies provided for the class, participants gain confidence in drawing and spontaneity while creating art in a book to keep and hopefully continue to fill during their stay at Salamander Resort & Spa. \$45++ per artist

Plein Air Painting - Every season delivers it's very own beautiful views surrounding the picturesque Salamander Resort & Spa. Under the instruction of Mary Jennings, these views are captured on canvas using fast drying oils, watercolor or drawing materials. \$65++ per artist, lunch available (additional fee)

Pyro-graphic Salamander-Scape - A classic landscape, such as the views surrounding Salamander Resort & Spa, is made even more spectacular using wood and wood burning techniques to capture it. At the end of class, participants will have a one-of-a-kind memento of their stay. \$45++ per artist

Brushes & Bellinis - Wind down at the end of the day and stir up some creativity at the same time by experiencing this social painting event under the guidance of Mary Jennings. Enjoy painting a personal creation, suitable for framing and in keeping with the atmosphere of Salamander Resort & Spa. \$75++ per artist, refreshments available (additional fee) 6 minimum.

Trek Mountain Bike Rentals

Hit the trails on a mountain bike or take a leisurely cruise into Middleburg for shopping. We also can arrange for a guided trail ride. 5 participants max.

Cost: \$45 per bike for 3 hours for rental.

Volleyball

How about a 6 on 6 game of backyard volleyball with your team? Set up on the Grand Lawn or in the fields near the putting green.

Cost: \$500 for volleyball system, plus tax and service charge. Add \$100 per system to make it into a Tournament with a referee.

What Was I Drinking?

This activity involves bottle Shocker tasting event for those who are sure their palates are better than their colleagues. Each bottle has an undisclosed Wine Rating, country/state of origin. The group designates teams of appropriate size and they then taste and rate with limited Sommelier assistance. The group will predetermine to either have this event be a casual tasting and scoring with a group reveal or have the Sommelier lead the evening and dictate the timing and flow of the tasting and reveal. It is when they disclose their comments that the fun really begins. The closest totals to the real ratings earns the winning team a gift item of groups choosing from our Salamander Touch Gift Shop or from the wine selections they enjoyed during the event at an additional cost.

Cost: \$79++ per person based on 60 minutes. Plus a onetime \$300 Sommelier Fee.

White Water Rafting

This half day trip is the perfect option for beginner to intermediate level paddlers. You will explore Class I-III (sometimes I-II+) rapids on this 7 mile stretch of the Shenandoah and Potomac Rivers. This is a unique location, where 2 rivers (the Shenandoah and Potomac) and three states (Maryland, Virginia, and West Virginia) come together! No previous rafting experience necessary. Travel time to and from Salamander Resort & Spa is approximately 45-55 minutes. Kayaking and tubing is also available there!

Cost: \$80 per person, plus tax, service charge and transportation.

Wickets & Wine

Whether you are dressed in white or in business attire this afternoon activity would be a great break from your meetings. Join us for an introduction to croquet while trying piedmont wine favorites (wine not included). Choose from 6-wicket tournament croquet, backyard 9-wicket croquet or golf croquet.

\$500 per set, plus tax and service charge. Wine is additional.

Additional croquet option: Add croquet to your cocktail hour or event, \$125 per set. Does not include staff instruction. Organized Croquet Tournaments start at \$950 per court.

Winery Tours with Osborne Events

Across the Northern Virginia area, you'll discover more than 80 wineries thanks to relative elevations that offer perfect sites for grape vines. We like to think at the end of our rainbows is perfect grape! The rolling landscape, with its rich soils from eons of granite and sandstone erosion, gives good air and drainage for wine grapes. Add the moderate winters and a generous growing season and the result is very productive ground for winemaking grapes. Northern Virginia wineries produce fine examples of every wine Virginia offers, including Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chambourcin, Chardonnay, Mandolin, Merlot, Norton, Petit Verdot, Riesling, Sauvignon Blanc, Seyval, Vidal Blanc, Traminette and Zinfandel as well as many fruit wines.

ESTIMATED COST:

\$85.00 per person and up, depending on times and group size- subject to availability. This is based on visiting two local wineries. Additional information regarding each local winery is available upon request.

FEATURES:

- Round-trip transportation via deluxe climate controlled Luxury Vehicle
- On Site Transportation & Winery Coordinator
- All fees, admissions and appointments
- Guided Tasting at Wineries
- Tax and Gratuity
- Complete tour/event coordination

NOTE: Cheese & Charcuterie may be added at any winery for additional cost.