



# 2012 Winter Retreat



Do you like to play games? Wouldn't it be nice to go away for a weekend of gaming where you don't have to drive home late at night after playing a game and you don't have to cook your own meals? If this sounds appealing to you, please consider joining us for our 2012 Winter Retreat at the West River Retreat Center in Churchton, MD.

\* Read more about the Retreat Center at [www.westrivercenter.net](http://www.westrivercenter.net) .

Dates: Friday, January 13<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 pm – Sunday, January 15<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 pm

Price: \$102 per person (includes two nights lodging and 5 meals)  
\$82 per person ages 13-17 / \$62 per person ages 4-12  
\$5 per person discount for GCOM Supporting Members  
\$10 per person discount for GCOM Patron Members

\* Payments must be made via Paypal through our online store or checks mailed to Michelle Hymowitz, 6025 Augustine Avenue, Elkridge, MD 21075.

Meals: Food is served promptly at these times and is available for 30 minutes, but you can stay in the dining hall to eat for up to an hour after the meal start time.

Saturday/Sunday Breakfast	– 8:00 am
Saturday Lunch/Early Sunday Dinner	– 12:00 noon
Saturday Dinner	– 5:30 pm

Accommodations: Each lodge has 8 separate rooms with 2 sets of adult-size bunk beds (up to 4 people will share a room) and 2 community bathrooms with private shower stalls and toilet facilities.

\* You will need to bring your own sheets/sleeping bag and towels for your stay.

Gaming Space: The meeting room is less than 200 feet from the dining hall and lodges, and there is a common area in each lodge that can be set up for late-night gaming so that all you have to do is walk 10 feet to your room when you are done.

\* GCOM Library games will be available for use at the retreat – feel free to contact Michelle Hymowitz (see email below) to request that certain games be brought.

Snack Food: Groups are allowed to bring their own food into the facility, so attendees would be able to order out pizza/take-out for dinner Friday night and bring their own snacks and drinks to have on hand to munch on between meals.

\* If you have any questions, concerns, or accessibility/dietary restrictions, please email Michelle Hymowitz @ [michelle@lactose.homelinux.net](mailto:michelle@lactose.homelinux.net). Registration forms must be emailed or sent to 6025 Augustine Avenue, Elkridge, MD 21075 by the deadline.

\* DEADLINE for registration is Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2011.

**GCOM 2012 Retreat Registration Form**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Age (if under 18):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Bunk type (top OR bottom):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Food Allergies:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Accessibility issues:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Games you would like to see brought from the GCOM games library:** \_\_\_\_\_

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