

“Feast of the Ramson” Advanced
Registration is Requested —But
Not Required

Include Self Addressed
Stamped Envelope For Return of
Advance Registration Tickets

Name (Individual Head of Party)

Address

City, State & Zip

E-Mail Address

Number In Attendance

Adults @ \$13 00 ea. _____

Children @ \$6.00 ea. _____

The above prices are for pre-
registered guests only! Tickets
purchased ***at the door*** are \$15.00
for adults and \$7.00 for children.

***For express service send your Pre-
paid Form with a self addressed
stamped envelope by:***

APRIL 20

Richwood Chamber of Commerce
38 Edgewood Avenue
Richwood, WV 26261

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FEAST OF THE RAMSON

April 22, 2017

Sponsored By
The Richwood Area Chamber of
Commerce
304-846-6790



—Artwork by John Ward

***The flood may have destroyed
parts of our community, but we
have risen above the destruction
and are rebuilding Richwood to be
better than ever! A special thanks to
all the volunteers~local, statewide,
and across the country.***

We are Richwood Strong!

WELCOME TO
RICHWOOD, WV

*“The Ramp Capital of the
World”*

“FEAST OF THE RAMSON”

April 22, 2017

10:30 am to 4:00 pm

Cherry River Elementary School

Live Entertainment

Arts & Crafts Show

*Crafts will be held in locations in Richwood
More details will follow.*

10:00 till 4:00

***Volunteers are
not paid...not
because they are
worthless, but
because they are
priceless.***

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MENU

RAMPS

Ham and Bacon
Potatoes & Brown Beans
Cornbread & Desserts
Sassafras (Gub's) Tea
Coffee
Cold Drink

COMING EVENTS

2017

Past 80 Party

June – Cherry River Cafeteria

Scenic Mountain Triathlon

July 9

Cherry River Festival

July 30 thru August 5

CRF 5K Walk/5K Run & 10K Run
Aug. 5

Nat'l Grandparents Day

September 10

Cranberry Mt. Shindig

September 24

Mountain Color Art Show

Oct. 8-14

Octoberfest

TBA

Harvest Party

Halloween Night Oct. 31

Hometown Holiday Marketplace

December 9

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RAMPS IN THE GOOD OLD DAYS

“Feast of the Ramson” was derived from a private meal, attended by thirteen ramp lovers. At this small gathering, the men decided to “go public” the following year.

There was much hoopla connected to that initial ramp feed. Only men were invited, and each man had to have a letter of permission to attend, submitted by his next of kin that absolved the newly formed “National Ramp Society” of liability.

Off to CCC Camp Cranberry they went to hear orations and tall tales. True mountain food was cooked over an open campfire. There was wild game of every variety, and side dishes of homegrown vegetables. It was reported that moonshine was the drink of choice. The keynote speaker was the Mayor of the City of Charleston.

It is this grass roots initiative of 1937 that the organizers of the current day “Feast of the Ramson” point to with pride. The modern day event has added heritage crafts and mountain-style music, but the star of the show has, and always will remain, that delicious mountain delicacy with a mystique all its own; THE RAMP.