

Comparison of VYCC Crew Types 2010

Crew Type	Description	Spring Session I Dates	Summer Session I Dates	Summer Session II Dates	Fall Session I Dates	Crew Living Experience	Crew Size	Corps Member Age	AmeriCorps experience?
Community	Community Crews work together on projects in their community, Monday through Friday from 8 am - 5 pm, for seven weeks. Corps Members both have evenings and weekends off.	n/ a	6/ 21-8/ 6	n/ a	n/ a	Live at home and commute to work	8-10 CMs 2 CLs	16-24	No
Park	Park Crews live at a State Park for the duration of the season, and are responsible for all day-to-day operations of that park. All Corps Members are AmeriCorps members, who are between the ages of 18 and 24 and must have at least a high-school diploma or	n/ a	5/ 20-9/ 10	n/ a	n/ a	Live with crew at State Park	varies depending on the Park	18-24	Yes
Wilderness	Each Wilderness and Roving Crew lives and works together as a crew for four weeks at a time, while camping in either front- or backcountry sites.	n/ a	6/ 19-7/ 17	7/ 24-8/ 22	n/ a	camping: spike	8 CMs, 2 CLs	16-24	No
Roving		n/ a	6/ 19-7/ 17	7/ 24-8/ 22	n/ a	camping: spike or at a designated campground	8 CMs, 2 CLs	16-24	No
Forest Service	Forest Service Crews have four different sessions in Spring, Summer and Fall. Each crew will camp in the Green Mountain National Forest, and work closely with the Forest Service on a variety of projects.	4/ 26-5/ 22	6/ 19-7/ 17	7/ 24-8/ 22	9/ 4-10/ 2	camping: at a Forest Service campground	6 CMs, 2 CLs	16-24	No
LEAP	LEAP stands for Learn, Earn and Prosper. During the first session Corps Members with visual impairments live in an apartment in Burlington, VT and work at Recycle North. The second session is an inclusive crew and is spent camping on VYCC property, and working on local trail projects here in Richmond.	n/ a	6/ 19-7/ 17	7/ 24-8/ 22	n/ a	Sess I: crew lives in apartment; Sess II: camp in lean-tos	Sess I: 6CMs, 2CLs; Sess II: 8 CMs, 2 CLs	16-24	No
Leadership Development	Leadership Development Crews offer an intense crew opportunity for Corps Members between the ages of 20-24 to hone and practice their leadership skills in a residential setting. Crews will operate under the same residential model as a Wilderness or Roving Crew, but will engage in a progressive leadership theory curriculum in addition to doing WoRD. We offer both a Co-Ed and all Female Leadership Crew.	n/ a	6/ 19-7/ 24 & 7/ 27-8/ 22	n/ a	n/ a	camping: spike or at a designated campground	6 CMs, 2 CLs	20-24	No