



## DISCOVER A SUMMERTIME FAIRY TALE WITH FAMILY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIALS AT BARNESLEY RESORT

ADAIRSVILLE, GA (April 9, 2015) –This summer escape to Barnsley Resort for adventure, kids activities and even a little magic from their Fairy Godmother. Guests can take advantage of the [Family Fun Special](#) available from \$285 per night, including admission for two children in the Explorers Club for each night's stay from June 1 through August 27, 2015.

### **Be an Explorer**

The Barnsley Resort Explorers Club for kids ages five to 12, offers fun and educational activities to keep young guests entertained. Rotating themes such as “Grow What You Sow,” “Horsin’ Around,” “Tyin’ and Flyin,’” and “A Trek Through Time” highlight a variety of encounters that are unique to Barnsley Resort, creating fun and eye-opening experiences that incorporate the fascinating history, diverse outdoor adventures, and expansive gardens. Each day’s activities include both crafts and active components to provide a fun and engaging program, while teaching lessons related to the theme along the way. The program costs \$40 per child and starts Monday, June 1, 2015.

### **Fairy Surprises**

The resort’s [Fairy Godmother](#) uses her crystal wand to create once-in-a-lifetime experiences just for kids. Her menu of Fairy Godmother Surprises includes the “Fairy Welcome,” which is a customized gift package full of treats to enhance a child’s stay; the “Buggin’ Out” garden adventure; or a farm-tastic “Barnyard Picnic,” where families can enjoy a traditional picnic with treats to share with the horses. To ensure little ones will drift into dreamland, the Fairy Godmother even offers a “Fairy Turndown Service” complete with a storybook, new snuggle friend, a bubble bath in a big claw foot tub, and milk and cookies. The surprises range in price from \$55 to \$100 and should be reserved 48 hours in advance.

### **Family-Friendly Resort Activities**

Guests can spend long summer days enjoying some of Barnsley Resort’s family activities, such as Frisbee golf at the nine-hole course or paintball at Wolf Cave Mountain Field. Complimentary poles are available for catch-and-release fishing, and miles of trails at Barnsley Resort are perfect for hiking or bicycling, with bicycle rentals available at SpringBank Sporting Club. Guests can also enjoy a pristine pool with kids’ playground, tennis, volleyball or lawn games such as bocce ball and croquet. As a perfect ending to a full day, ingredients for s’mores are included with every stay to toast in the fire bowls scattered throughout the resort.

### **Nearby Summer Adventures**

Families looking for additional child-friendly attractions in the area can venture to nearby Cartersville for two unique museum experiences. At the [Booth Western Art Museum](#), Georgia’s second-largest museum, families can visit the largest permanent installations of Western art in the country, including paintings, sculptures, replicas of stagecoaches and covered wagons, or attend one of the museum’s summer events. The [Tellus Science Museum](#) features a number of interactive exhibits that are perfect for kids of all ages, including gem and fossil digging and magnets, rainbows, mirrors and more.

For families wanting to explore the great outdoors, [Redtop Mountain State Park](#), [Lake Allatoona](#) and the [Etowah Indian Mounds State Historic Site](#) are located within 30 minutes from Barnsley Resort.

For additional information about Barnsley Resort, the summer children's programs, or Fairy Godmother Surprises, please visit [www.barnsleyresort.com](http://www.barnsleyresort.com) or call 1-877-773-2447.

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**About Barnsley Resort:**

In the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, just 60 miles north of Atlanta, Barnsley Resort welcomes guests into a storybook romantic setting of incomparable service. Encompassing 3,300 acres, the historic grounds offer a unique getaway experience. Originally built as an opulent estate in the 19th century, the grounds have been transformed into a world-class resort. All accommodations are in private rooms, suites or cottages, all luxuriously appointed with a mix of old-world charm and modern convenience. Whether looking for a relaxing weekend, strategic meeting or an elegant wedding, guests will discover a retreat of privacy and perfection. Amenities include gourmet dining, immaculate gardens, historic ruins, a European-style spa, and exciting recreational choices such as world-class golf, wing-shooting and hunting at SpringBank Plantation – Georgia's most unique hunting preserve, and horseback riding along scenic trails. Barnsley Resort is also an inaugural member of the *Southern Living* Hotel Collection, a prestigious group of independent hotels, resorts and inns spanning 18 Southern states. [www.barnsleyresort.com](http://www.barnsleyresort.com)

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