

Day at the Range & Outdoor Adventure Fair



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GREAT OUTDOORS

DATR's Mission:

Providing an accessible outdoor experience in a barrier-free environment for people with disabilities so they may participate in recreational activities that EMPOWER them:

- ❖ Target shooting (firearms, archery)
- ❖ Fishing
- ❖ Crafts
- ❖ Outdoor education and demos

FULLY ACCESSIBLE

Provided at NO COST to participants...

- ❖ For all disabilities (all ages; public)
- ❖ All organizations invited (residential care)
- ❖ Family, friends or attendants may attend

BASIC AMENITIES PROVIDED:



- Lunch/unlimited water
 - Sunscreen
 - Insect repellent
 - Mementos (hat, bags, etc.)
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FIREARMS



ARCHERY



OTHER OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES





FISHING



CRAFTS



SPRING TURKEY HUNT



ADAPTIVE TECHNOLOGY



FALL DEER HUNT



THE BUD LIFT



CHALLENGES INVOLVED...

- Finding an accessible location
- Preliminary costs (set up, insurance, equipment)
 - Securing annual sponsors/funding
- Transportation to event
 - Spreading the word
- Locating/training Volunteers
 - Ensuring safety of attendees
- Expansion costs (as event grows)



PARTNERSHIPS

Building relationships is vital...

- ❖ MO Department of Conservation
- ❖ National Wild Turkey Federation
- ❖ Area organizations (grocers, hospitals, etc.)
- ❖ Other non-profits (ARC, ATOP Outdoors, etc.)
- ❖ For-profit businesses (current vendors)

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Any questions?



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