

# CASHIERS, NORTH CAROLINA

The Heart Of The Blue Ridge Mountains™



*Mark your Calendar now for the*  
**2015 FLABOTA Retreat and Board of Directors Meeting**  
In beautiful Cashiers, North Carolina  
Thursday, October 15 – Saturday, October 17, 2015

Each October, members and our Board of Directors meet in the beautiful mountains of North Carolina for a meeting and retreat. Enhancing communication and reassessing priorities – with plenty of R&R – are among the goals of this annual weekend away from the stressful atmosphere of the workplace.

Join us for golf at High Hampton Golf Course and the Country Club of Sapphire Valley, delicious meals with good friends and colleagues – including an evening at Kathy and Bob Cole's beautiful mountain home – hiking in the colorful mountains, and plenty of time for relaxing and exploring the area.



HIGH HAMPTON GOLF COURSE



COUNTRY CLUB OF SAPPHIRE VALLEY

**For more information, please call Margie at (727) 797-4187  
or check the website.**

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**ACCOMMODATIONS**

**www.vrbo.com** The world leader in vacation rentals has no booking fees and is free for travelers.

**Mountain Lake Rentals (828-743-6875 or [www.mountain-lake-rentals.com](http://www.mountain-lake-rentals.com))** offers lakefront, lake view, and mountain view homes, all within 15 minutes of Cashiers, for rent. The houses here have a three-day minimum in the fall.

**Wyndham Resort at Fairfield Sapphire Valley (800-533-8268)** is conveniently located approximately 3 miles east on Highway 64 from the “four corners” intersection of Hwy 64 and 107. Our Saturday board meeting and dinner that evening (and Sunday breakfast) will take place at the Country Club of Sapphire Valley, and you actually drive through the Wyndham Resort grounds to reach the country club. The Wyndham has a wide variety of types of accommodations, so ask the reservationist which options will suit your needs best.

There is a **Hampton Inn & Suites (828-743-4545)** across Highway 64 from the entrance to the Wyndham Resort and the Country Club of Sapphire Valley with rooms offering a wide variety of configurations and views, and including breakfast and free wi-fi. You can get a 10% discount for AAA or AARP memberships, or a 15% discount for 14-day advance reservations but that is online only. They do sell out quickly so DON'T DELAY!

**High Hampton Inn (828-743-2411)**, located at 1525 Highway 107 South, is a charming family-friendly inn on the National Register of Historic Places having welcomed guests there since 1922. They have all types of accommodations (rooms, suites, cottages), but all come with a full American meal plan.

**Innisfree Inn By the Lake (828-743-2946)** is a self-described 4 diamond romantic bed and breakfast inn overlooking Lake Glenville (closer to where Bob and Kathy Cole's home is).





## FLABOTA Cashiers, North Carolina Retreat Registration

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Firm \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Office \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

My anticipated arrival time is \_\_\_\_\_ on (day) \_\_\_\_\_

My accommodations in Cashiers will be \_\_\_\_\_

**Dinner at The Orchard:** Thursday evening hors d'oeuvres with beer and wine begin at 6:00. Dinner, wine and desert will be served at 7:00. Set in a 100-year-old farmhouse, the dining ambiance is rustic elegance with mountain charm. American cuisine with a Southern flavor. Jeans are absolutely fine. (\$125/person includes hors d'oeuvres, beer and wine throughout the evening, desert, tax and gratuity.)

☐ 1 - \$125      ☐ 2 - \$250      ☐ 3 - \$375      ☐ 4 - \$500

The Orchard • 905 Highway 107 South • Cashiers, NC 28717 • (828) 743-7614

From the intersection of Highway 107 and U.S. 64, follow 107 south for about a mile. The Orchard is on the left side across the street from the Methodist Church.

**Friday Golf at High Hampton Country Club** (\$85/person includes cart, green fee and tax). The 18-hole "High Hampton" course at the High Hampton Inn & Country Club facility in Cashiers, North Carolina features 6,012 yards of golf from the longest tees for a par of 71. Designed by George W. Cobb, ASGCA, the High Hampton golf course opened in 1956. Our golf tee times begin at 8:33 a.m. on Friday morning. The driving range and putting green open at 7:30 a.m.

☐ 1 - \$85      ☐ 2 - \$170      ☐ 3 - \$255      ☐ 4 - \$340

Please let us know who your preferred golf partners are and we will do our best to accommodate.

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High Hampton Inn & Country Club • 1525 Highway 107 S • Cashiers, NC 28717 • (828) 743-2450  
High Hamptons Golf Course is approximately two miles south of the crossroads, on 107.

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**Friday evening cocktails and dinner hosted by Kathy and Bob Cole at their home, at 6:30 p.m.** “Mountain Casual” means that jeans really are OK. Be comfortable!

☐ 1                      ☐ 2                      ☐ 3                      ☐ 4

Kathy and Bob Cole’s home • 1057 Woods Mountain Trail • Cullahwee, NC 28723 • (828) 743-4583

A car pool to the Cole’s home will leave the south side of the Ingel’s Market parking lot at 6:15 p.m. Please arrive before 6:15 p.m. Ingel’s Market is on U.S. Highway 64 East of Cashiers.

**Saturday morning FLABOTA Board of Directors meeting**, includes continental breakfast.

☐ 1                      ☐ 2                      ☐ 3                      ☐ 4

Country Club of Sapphire Valley • 120 Handicap Drive • Sapphire, NC 28774 • (828) 743-2462

The Country Club of Sapphire Valley is at 120 Handicap Drive in Sapphire. On Highway 64, approximately three miles east of 107.

**Saturday afternoon Lunch at The Country Club of Sapphire Valley** (\$30/person). The Country Club of Sapphire Valley, the Gem of the Mountains, has always been a place of inspiration . . . a unique land of waterfalls and green valleys, endowed with beautiful mountains and majestic views that seem to span hundreds of miles.

☐ 1 - \$30                      ☐ 2 - \$60                      ☐ 3 - \$90                      ☐ 4 - \$120

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**Saturday afternoon Golf at The Country Club of Sapphire Valley:** The Country Club of Sapphire Valley’s pristine 18-hole golf course was designed by renowned golf course architect, George C. Cobb and opened in 1956. Unique among mountain courses, it combines the beautiful vistas of a high mountain valley with the playability of a traditional level course. Laced with trout streams, dotted with ponds and surrounded by large wooded private properties set back from the course, Sapphire Valley is truly the “Gem of the Mountains.” Our golf tee times begin at 1:20 p.m. (\$130/person).

☐ 1 - \$130                      ☐ 2 - \$260                      ☐ 3 - \$390                      ☐ 4 - \$520

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### **Saturday Afternoon Activities**

Your best source of information for things to do Saturday afternoon include [www.gocashiers.com/guide](http://www.gocashiers.com/guide) and ABOTA members who live in the area.

**Hiking:** Feel free to ask for ideas and explore trails on your own, or join friends and colleagues on a group hike on some of long-time resident Bob Cole’s favorite trails. We’ll let you know where and when to meet, if you check one of these boxes.

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**In previous years, some of our members have enjoyed and recommended:**

Horseback Riding through the Blue Ridge Mountains with Arrowmont Stables & Cabins

Arrowmont Stables & Cabins, LLC • 276 Arrowmont Trail • Cullowhee, NC 28723 • (800) 682-1092

Shooting at Smoke Rise Field Club

Smoke Rise Field Club • 1050 Diamonds Creek Road • Rossman, NC 28772 • (828) 862-6629

**Saturday evening Cocktails and Dinner at the Country Club of Sapphire Valley:** Join us for dinner at the Country Club of Sapphire Valley. Attire is casual, jackets are optional, and football will be televised. Please pre-select your dinner from the delicious choices of fish, chicken or steak (\$110/person includes cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, dinner, dessert, drinks throughout, and gratuity).

☐ 1 - \$110      ☐ 2 - \$220      ☐ 3 - \$330      ☐ 4 - \$440

- ☐ Fish  
☐ Chicken  
☐ Steak

If you registered guests for Cocktails and Dinner at the Country Club of Sapphire Valley, please fill in the appropriate information below.

Guest 1 - First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ Fish  
☐ Chicken  
☐ Steak

Guest 2 - First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ Fish  
☐ Chicken  
☐ Steak

Guest 3 - First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ Fish  
☐ Chicken  
☐ Steak

Guest 4 - First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ Fish  
☐ Chicken  
☐ Steak

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FLABOTA accepts:      ☐ Check      ☐ MasterCard      ☐ VISA

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Card number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_ CSV Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Billing Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Please charge my card for Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please remember to make your reservations for overnight accommodations.

If you need anything at all, throughout the retreat, please call Margie Peavler on her cell at (813)956-3153.

Mailing Address: 1490 Burnham Lane, Dunedin, FL 34698