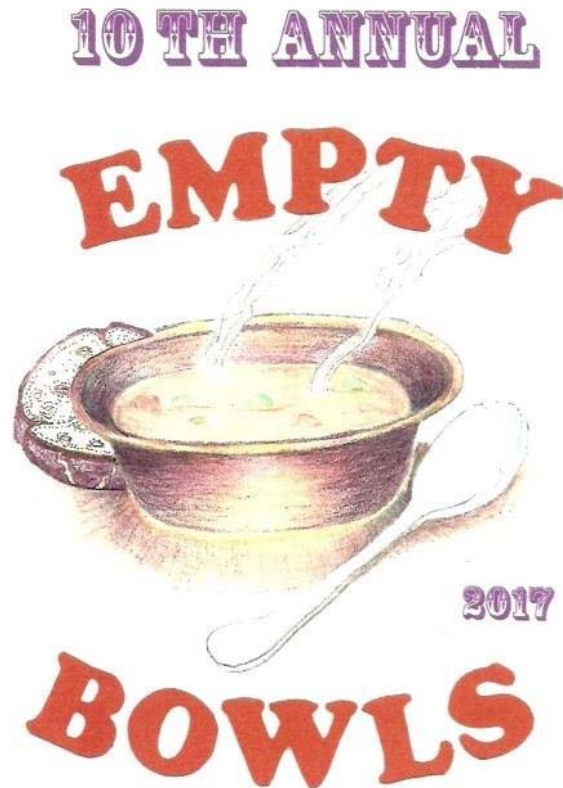


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## EMPTY BOWLS EVENT - APRIL 23

Supports the Floyd Back Pack weekend food program

The 10th annual Empty Bowls event will be held Sunday, April 23, beginning at 11:30 a.m. at Floyd County High School, 721 Baker St SE, Floyd, VA 24091 while supplies last.

Tickets went on sale March 20 at:

- NRCA's Office at 323 Floyd Highway South, Floyd VA 24091;
- Floyd Center for the Arts (formerly Jacksonville Center);
- Bell Gallery; Floyd Pharmacy (front counter); and
- Floyd County Visitor Center/Chamber of Commerce.

Tickets are \$15.00 in advance and \$18 at the door; tickets for children, 6-12, are \$5.00. Children 5 and under eat for free.

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## ROI from Early Childhood Programs is Greater than Previously Thought

A recent report from Nobel Prize-winning James J. Heckman reveals a 13% return on investment on early childhood programs – a substantial increase from the 7-10% of previously calculated data estimating the large array of life-cycle benefits of an influential early childhood program targeted to disadvantaged children.

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## Service Spotlight: AmeriCorps

NRCA's AmeriCorps program makes an impact on the New River Valley in several ways each year. NRCA AmeriCorps members provided 12,175 hours of service during program year 2015-2016!

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## EVENTS

Keep up with events in our community that make a difference.

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|-------------|---|
| April 23    | <a href="#">Empty Bowls Fundraiser for Floyd Backpack Program</a>                                 |
| April 25    | <a href="#">Dining Out for Shelter Fundraiser</a> with participating restaurants for To Our House |
| April 26    | <a href="#">GiveBigNRV</a> is a one-day online charitable giving event for the NRV                |
| Coming Soon | Updated Community Needs Assessment for the NRV  |

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