

Great Falls District Spring Camporee
Friday April 4th - Sunday April 6th, 2008

as of 3/16/08

Overview: This trip takes us to the Montgomery County Isaac Walton League property for the Great Falls District Spring Camporee. We will do “car camping” – where no backpacking is required. Just pull your gear out of the vehicles and set up camp. It doesn’t get easier than this. Parents and siblings are welcome at this Troop 255 introductory campout, where new Scouts and potential new Scouts are welcome. The Troop can provide equipment for those who need it - Ask one of the adult leaders. The Troop will participate in a weekend of organized challenge events. 125 Boy Scouts from dozens of Troops will participate in this District-wide event.



Assemble: 7:30 PM Friday at Chevy Chase United Methodist Church (CCUMC).

Return: 1:00 PM Sunday at CCUMC

Emergency contact: Mr. Rose’s cell phone 301-807-6441

New Scouts and guests can come for all or part of the weekend activities. You are encouraged to come out at any time to camp and enjoy the events.

Fee: \$20 to cover transportation and Camporee registration fee.

Uniform: Complete Scout uniform (proper shirt & close facsimile pants) should be worn to the departure point Friday. Uniform will be worn to most events throughout the weekend.

Equipment for Overnight: Normal gear for winter camping (refer to Troop Winter Camping Checklist – <http://www.t255.com> - click on Pack Lists). Be prepared for temperatures as low as 45 degrees F. Be sure to bring your raingear. Don’t forget the compass for use at the orienteering course. Fires are allowed in the established fire rings and ample firewood will be available but probably will have to be cut. Toilets will be available (bring toilet tissue, in case). Potable water will be available. **Bring compass and Boy Scout Handbook – and refer to the detailed information in the Camporee Information Package at www.t255.com under Events.**

Food: Patrols are responsible for their food. Adult leaders will provide food for guests.

Agenda: See the other posting at www.t255.com under Events.



APPROVAL / PERMISSION SLIP

Approval/permission is granted by the parents/guardians of _____ for their son/Scout to participate in the activities of Troop 255, Chevy Chase, Maryland, National Capital Area Council, Boy Scouts of America.

Approval/permission is granted to the adult members of Troop 255 to authorize treatment of the person named above in the event of an accident or emergency. Adult members of Troop 255 that authorize treatment of the person in the event of an accident or emergency shall be released from any or all liabilities.

Troop 255 will obtain required local and national tour permits.

This approval/permission is valid for the April 4 – 6, 2008 Great Falls District Spring Camporee.

I can drive: _____ YES _____ NO

If YES, I can carry _____ scouts including my own.

Parent Signature	Parent Name (Print)	Date
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Please provide names & telephone numbers for contact in case of emergency, urgency, or change of plans.

