

Greg's Choice – Shenandoah National Park Sunday May 25 & Monday May 26, 2008

T-255's Shakedown Hike for July 20-26, 2008 Lenhok'sen Crew

Overview: Sunday - Leave Chevy Chase United Methodist Church (CCUMC); drive 2 hours/89 miles to the Shenandoah National Park, VA, Skyline Drive. Park at MP 33.6, Meadow Spring Parking, Spring Tr W 0.5 mi to AT, S 3.5 mi to Corbin Cabin Cutoff, E 1.5 mi to Corbin Cabin, Nicholson Hollow Tr 2 mi to Hot Short Mtn Tr, E 0.25 mi to Camp for night. **Monday** W 0.25 back to Hot Short Mtn Tr, N 2 mi to Hazel Mtn Tr, N & W 2 mi to Catlett Spur Tr, N 0.6 mi on Hazel Mtn Tr, E 1.1 mi to White Rocks cave & falls, W 1.1 mi back to Hazel Mtn Tr, W 1.2 mi to SNP 33.6 parking and depart for home at Noon+. Total hiking: 16 miles.



Assemble: 7:30 AM Saturday at CCUMC.

Return: 3:00 PM Sunday at CCUMC.

Cost: \$10 for Park and camp fees and transportation

Food: Eat breakfast at home Sunday before arriving at CCUMC. Bring bag lunch for Saturday and lots of snacks. On the trail we will prepare Sunday dinner, Monday breakfast per Crew-supplied food that mimics what Lenhok'sen will be provided. Bring money for Monday lunch (5 Guys?).

Water: Water available at the campsite. All water will have to be purified. Suggest everyone carry at least two quarts to cover their own needs for drinking for both days. We should “camel-up” at Meadow Spring Parking lot before our departure.

Cooking: Open fires are not allowed. Should carry 2 stoves per crew

Packing: Lenhok'sen Crews need to pack in accordance with each crew's High Adventure requirements.

Contact: Keith Pierce, 301-951-5290

Directions:

- o From the Virginia Capital Beltway I-495.
- o West on I-66 to Exit 43, US Route 29, Gainesville.
- o Take US 29 (south or west) toward Warrenton.
- o At Warrenton do not take bypass but continue into town.
- o Turn right onto US 211 (south or west).
- o Enter Shenandoah National Park.
- o Get on Skyline Drive at Thornton Gap (aka Panorama).
- o Head South on Skyline Drive to Meadow Springs Parking at MP 33.6.



APPROVAL / PERMISSION SLIP

Approval/permission is granted by the parents/guardians of Boy Scout _____ 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 Boy Scout named above in the event of an accident or emergency. Adult members of Troop 255 that authorize treatment of the Boy Scout in the event of an accident or emergency shall be released from any or all liabilities.

Tour permits will be obtained by Troop 255 as required.

This approval/permission is valid for the May 25-26, 2008 Greg's Choice Backpacking Trip in Shenandoah National Park, Virginia.

Parent Signature

Print

Date

Emergency Contact: _____