

BSA TROOP 993 PERMISSION SLIP
PLEASE READ AND COMPLETE THIS FORM CAREFULLY

My son [ward] _____ has my permission to attend *Paul Bunyan/Mountain man Campout* at Elizabeth Furnace, Virginia, from *26 Sept 2008 to 28Sept 2008.*

In consideration of the benefits to be derived from participation in this trip or activity, any and all claims against the Boy Scouts of America or its local councils, districts, troops and chartered organization, or against the officers, employees, agents, or other representatives of any of them, or any other persons working under their direction or engaged in the conduct of their affairs, arising out of any accident, illness, injury, damage, or other loss or harm to/or incurred or suffered by the applicant named above or to his or her property, in connection with or incidental to the crew trip or activity, including preliminary training and travel, are hereby expressly waived by the applicant and the applicant's family or guardians.

If my son misbehaves, I understand that the activity leaders may contact me and request that I make arrangements for his immediate return home. I agree to abide by this policy in the event the leaders find it necessary to remove him from the activity. My Scout and I have read the attached list of recommended and required personal gear and have satisfied myself that my Scout has all the required gear and is properly clothed and equipped for this activity.

Parents' Initials: _____ **Scout's Initials:** _____

In the event of illness or injury occurring to my son while involved in this crew trip or activity, I consent to X-ray examination, anesthesia, and/or medical or surgical diagnostic procedures or treatment considered necessary in the best judgment of the attending physician and performed by or under the supervision of a member of the medical staff of the hospital furnishing medical services. It is understood that in the event of a serious illness or injury, reasonable efforts to reach me will be attempted. Unless I have noted otherwise in sections one through five, **BELOW**, my son does not have any medical history [conditions, diseases, allergic reactions, etc.] about which a physician would need to know.

1.) ACUTE MEDICAL CONDITIONS AND MEDICATIONS:

2.) CHRONIC MEDICAL CONDITIONS AND MEDICATIONS:

3.) ALLERGIES:

4.) DRUG ALLERGIES:

5.) OTHER INSTRUCTIONS / RESTRICTIONS:

EMERGENCY TEL. NO.:

INSURANCE COMPANY:

POLICY NUMBER:

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

BSA Troop 993, Mount Vernon, Virginia
Paul Bunyan / Mountain Man Campout
Sept 26-28, 2008

Pack Load out: Thursday, Sept. 25 at: 7:00 pm at: Fellowship Hall
Troop departs: Friday, Sept. 26 at: 6:00 pm at: Fellowship Hall
Troop Returns: Sunday, Sept. 28 at: 2:00 pm at: Fellowship Hall
Departure time is 6:00 pm sharp! Arrival time is approximate. You will be notified if we are more than 15 minutes late.

Trip fee for each Scout: \$ 20.00 due by Sept. 22, 2008

Activity information: The scouts will be conducting a Mountain Man Skills campout at the Elizabeth Furnace Campground in the George Washington national Forest near Front Royal, VA. The Troop will be staging and participating in a Mountain Man and Lumber Jack Skills competitions on Saturday Afternoon. Events to include Archery, Tomahawk target Throws, two man saw competitions, log cutting, log pulls, dutch oven cooking, fire staving challenges, etc.

Food Costs: The cost of food for all meals is included in the Trip Fee. Scouts food will be shared equally by the Patrols. One or two Scouts will be buying for their Patrol and will be reimbursed by the Troop. The Scout **MUST** eat diner before arriving at the Fellowship Hall Friday as we will **NOT** be stopping.

Special Equipment: A lets have some fun attitude

Leader In –Charge: Mr. Paul MacDonald

Emergency **Linda MacDonald**
Contact:

Parent(s) / Guardian(s), If you have any questions, please direct them first to your scout, then to the Leader in charge of the activity, then to the Scoutmaster.

Retain This Page At Home for Your Reference
Return Permission slip / Medical Authorization NLT
Monday, Sept. 22, 2008.

COOL WEATHER (Summer) CAMPING - PACKING CHECK LIST

Items in Bold are Required

BACKPACK

- Backpack with hip belt, large enough to pack all gear**
- 4 plastic bags assorted sizes (min. size ½ gallon)**
- Pack cover**
- Daypack

SLEEPING

- 20 degree F (0r higher) poly filled sleeping bag in waterproof stuff sack.**
- Sleeping pad, full length (closed cell foam or self inflating)**
- Sleeping clothes – Long johns and T shirt**

CLOTHING - WEARING APPAREL

- 2 pair Underwear**
- Scout Class A shirt (To be worn while traveling, do not put in backpack)**
- Pants– 2 pair long non-cotton light weight hiking pants and belt, (no jeans)**
- Shirts – 2 poly long sleeve pull over shirt**
- Warm layer, top – mid-weight Fleece pullover or wool sweater**
- Waterproof shell jacket with hood.**
- Waterproof shell pants**
- Hat with brim for sun protection (Scout hat is fine)**

BOOTS AND FOOTWEAR

- Hiking Boots, above ankle height For campouts with hiking activity**
- Sneakers or light weight athletic shoes.**
- Crew socks, 2 pair for sneakers**
- 2 pair Liner socks and wool or poly hiking socks for use with hiking boots

PERSONAL GEAR

- Toothpaste or powder and Toothbrush**

- Soap**
- Small towel or bandanna**
- Comb
- Sunscreen**
- Chapstick
- All purpose paper (APP), small partial roll of TP in zip lock bag.**

EATING

- Plastic Bowl & Plastic Cup (No metal)**
- Fork & Spoon**
- Mesh Bag for storing eating utensils**
- Water Bottles (2-1 qt. Plastic bottles) or 2 liter hydration system.**

NECESSITIES

- Pocket Knife (requires toten chip)**
- Compass, liquid filled, orienteering**
- Whistle**
- First Aid Kit**
- Flash light or head lamp (AA size recommended)w/ extra batteries and lamp**
- Waterproof matches and case (requires firemen's chit)
- Scout Handbook**
- 50 ft. 1/8" nylon cord**
- Watch; wrist, clip-on or pocket**
- Tent – Coordinate with Patrol Leader if you are to pack your tent, or if you will be sharing your tent buddies tent.**

OPTIONAL GEAR

- Camera and film