



TRAP POND STATE PARK CAMPING TRIP

September 18th, thru the 20th 2009 .

Where; Trap Pond State Park, Laurel Delaware, the park is about 2 hours away.

33587 Baldcypress Lane
Laurel DE 19956

Park office phone, 1- 302-875-5153
<http://www.destateparks.com>

Date and Time; The dates are Friday, September 18th, leaving the Pennsbury Township building at 5:45. We realize this will be early for some of you, but it is necessary; **please arrive at the township parking lot for assembly at 5:30.**

We will be returning between 12:00, and 2:00, on Sunday the 20th. We will use our cell phone chain, to contact parents, when we're about a half hour away from Pennsbury, for pick up.

Sign up date; the last available sign up date will be September 14th. We will be assigning patrols during the Troop meeting, and doing menu selections.

Transportation; We will be looking for adult drivers. If you are driving we ask that you please be willing to take other scouts with you. Drivers will be reimbursed for fuel only if there is a minimum of four total people in their vehicle.

Scout dress code; Troop 31 always travels in class A, please bring your other Scouting T shirts for the rest of the weekend.

Activities; We will be offering the Fishing Merit Badge, and the Reptile-Amphibian Merit Badge. Some canoes, and Kayaks will also be taken down for fun, and if anyone needs to work on the Canoeing Merit Badge.

** Please feel free to bring any fishing equipment you want for the lake, but please, no hooks already set up on lines, danger Will Robinson !

Adults who want to fish in the lake, will need a temporary Adult Delaware fishing license. This note is for fishing at the lake in the park, no license will be needed to fish on the boat. Please visit the following website to purchase your Delaware out of state temp license – www.TakeMeFishing.org

Sleeping Accommodations; all attendees will be in Troop tents.

Water/Restroom Availability; running potable water is available at the campsite, toilets will be available.

Dinner will not be provided for Friday night, but there will be a cracker barrel later in the evening after set up. Please have your scout eat before departure.

Equipment/Personal Gear; please refer to the Troop Generic Camping Checklist, there is one posted on our website.

***** Please note; we have a 1/8th mile walk, to get to our camping area. Please make sure your equipment can be carried by you in one trip.

Costs; The total cost for Scouts camping will be \$ 40.00, Adults will be \$35.00.

The cost of the offshore fishing trip will be \$ 45.00.* This cost includes rod and reel rental for the day, and bait.

I realize some of you might have rods and reels of your own that you'd like to use, but it has been my experience, that you'll not be set up correctly for sea fishing, it's best to stick with their equipment.

Adults in charge contact info;

Mr. Adams, (Asst. Scoutmaster); cell – 484-645-9764,
e mail – eric@cckab.com

Mr. Ken Darlington, (Committee Member); House – 610-793-0124, e –
mail, kendarlington@pepperfinancial.com



TRAP POND, PERMISSION SLIP

We, the parents/guardians of _____ have read and understand the intended program for the Trap Pond Camping Trip from Friday September 18th, thru Sunday the 20th, and hereby give our permission for him to participate.

Signature of parent/guardian: _____

Date: _____ I, as parent/guardian, am attending or can drive.

Name: _____

I can take _____ additional scouts and their gear.

Total passengers I can accommodate = _____

N.B. Boy Scouts of America requires the following for drivers/vehicles of scout outings and the Troop 31 Committee assumes that anyone volunteering to drive for this trip meets these requirements: Driver is 21 years of age and holds a valid driver's license; the vehicle has a valid registration and current inspection sticker; the vehicle is covered with \$100,000/\$300,000 public liability and \$50,000 property damage insurance; and seat belts are provided for all passengers

Costs:

All Scouts \$ 40.00 x _____ persons = \$ _____

Adults \$ 35.00 x _____ persons = \$ _____

Fishing \$ 45.00 x _____ persons = \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED = \$ _____

Please make check payable to: **BSA, Troop 31**
TRAP POND, LIABILITY WAIVER and MEDICAL RELEASE

We, the parents/guardians of _____ give our permission for full participation in the Trap Pond outing from September 18th, thru September 20th, subject to any limitations noted herein. In the event of illness or accident in the course of this outing, I request that measures be instituted without delay as judgment of personnel dictates.

Allergy to medicines, food, etc.:

Any condition requiring special medications or diet:

Medication being taken regularly:

Special Instructions:

Signature of parent/guardian:

_____ Date: _____

Witness: _____ Date: _____

(Must be an adult)

In case of an emergency, we can be reached at the following number:

Or: _____

My son is covered by the following insurance plan:

Policy Number: _____

This liability waiver and medical release must be turned in at time of sign-up for trip and is only good for the outing noted above.