

TROOP 84

Philmont Medical Advisory

To the Parents of Scouts signed up for Philmont in 2009:

Attached you will find a four page Philmont Medical Advisory.

“Philmont requires that this information be shared with the parent(s) or guardian(s) and examining physician of every participant.”

We ask that each parent read and review this entire document, paying careful attention to the part about asthma and other chronic illnesses.

Although the Philmont Trip is not until July of 2009, the first round of non-refundable deposits is due to council at the end of January 2008. As such, we wanted to review now some medical precautions before you are required to commit your first non-refundable payment. In addition, in January of 2009, not 2008, you will be required to fill out a special, 6-page, Philmont Medical evaluation form and have it reviewed and signed by your Scout's examining physician. However, this will be well after you have put down a few more non-refundable deposits.

As such, we are sharing this Medical Advisory well ahead of any commitments. We are asking that each family review this advisory and make a preliminary assessment of your Scout's physical and mental health. If there are any health concerns, you should take the Philmont Medical Advisory to your Scout's examining Physician and get his/her approval and then discuss this with the Scoutmaster and Philmont Adult Crew Advisors.

Please complete and have both parents sign the bottom portion and return by January 14th, 2008. This form is required and if not returned by January 14th, your scout will have his name dropped from the trip roster.

Note to Adult Philmont Crew Advisors: This Medical Advisory applies to you as well!

PHILMONT MEDICAL ADVISORY :: Return by January 14th, 2008.

We have reviewed the Philmont Medical Advisory for our Scout _____.

___ Our Scout has NO physical or mental health issues that we believe would prevent him from participating in a 2 week Philmont Trek in the Summer of 2009.

___ Our Scout DOES have a physical or mental health issues that would be a factor on a 2 week Philmont Trek in the Summer of 2009. We have received Physician approval and will discuss this with the Scoutmaster and Philmont Adult Crew Advisors.

Parent/Guardian #1 Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian #2 Signature _____ Date _____