

# Troop 84

## WINTER SNOW TRIP

- When:** Friday, January 30<sup>th</sup> to Sunday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009
- Highlights:** One of our favorite annual events, the Winter Snow & Cabin Trip, will be held at the Turrell Scout Camp in Cuddebackville, NY located in the lower Catskills. Camp two nights in a heated lodge. Saturday we will visit the Holiday Mountain Resort for snow tubing and ice skating. Later in the day back at the camp, your choice of activities: sledding, snowshoeing, build a snow fortress, winter hike, or winter snow stalking. Cooking will be outdoors on a fire ring. In the evening, we may go sledding again or the patrols can compete in Nighttime Winter Snow Stalking. Sunday morning sledding and tobogganing again.
- Venture Scouts : You have the option to go with the Troop or experience the yearly Snow Trek : Snow shoe with your backpack to a remote outpost and build a snow shelter and sleep in it. (See separate Venture Flyer)
- Depart:** Friday 5:30 pm from the lot across from the First United Methodist Church.
- Return:** Approximately 3:00 pm Sunday at the Troop Garage – parents will be called.  
**Contact:** Mrs. Shelley Nolan or Mrs. Lori Quinn.
- Camp:** Turrell Scout Camp, Cuddebackville, NY  
**Phone:** (845) 754 0812
- Signup:** Signup and Permission slips are due Monday, January 19<sup>th</sup>
- Cost:** \$35 due with permission slip at signup(minus \$5 if you have your own skates)  
**Food Cost:** \$15 due in cash to patrol on January 14<sup>th</sup>.
- Special Meal Instructions:** Eat Friday Dinner before you leave or bring to eat on the way. Bring money for Sunday lunch; we will stop on the way home.
- Equipment:** See attached list for what to wear and what to bring.
- Special Instructions:** The weather can be unforgiving. Pay close attention to the equipment list. Dress in layers for warmth. You must have Waterproof outerwear and your insulated/underclothing cannot be cotton. "COTTON KILLS".  
DRESS IN LAYERS!

**Be Prepared!!**

# Winter Snow Trip Equipment List

## To be worn on departure:

Snow Boots or high, waterproof hiking boots \_\_\_\_\_ Warm Hiking Socks \_\_\_\_\_  
Waterproof insulated gloves \_\_\_\_\_ Winter Sock Hat \_\_\_\_\_  
Sweater or Sweatshirt \_\_\_\_\_ Seasonal Clothing \_\_\_\_\_  
Ski Jacket or warm layered Jacket with rain jacket \_\_\_\_\_  
Watch \_\_\_\_\_

## To be packed in your Daypack:

Daypack \_\_\_\_\_ Filled Water Bottle \_\_\_\_\_ Pocket Knife \_\_\_\_\_  
Personal First Aid Kit \_\_\_\_\_ Flashlight \_\_\_\_\_ Compass \_\_\_\_\_  
Watch \_\_\_\_\_  
Sunday Lunch Money \_\_\_\_\_ Car Games/Cards (optional) \_\_\_\_\_ Camera (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

## To be packed in your Back Pack :

Back Pack \_\_\_\_\_ Sleeping Bag \_\_\_\_\_ Bag Liner or Blanket \_\_\_\_\_  
Sleeping Pad \_\_\_\_\_ Ground Cloth \_\_\_\_\_ Pillow or Case \_\_\_\_\_  
Sock liners \_\_\_\_\_ Wool blend outer socks \_\_\_\_\_  
Ski Pants or nylon rain pants over sweatpants \_\_\_\_\_  
Synthetic Insulated long underwear (top & bottom) non-cotton \_\_\_\_\_  
Scarf or ski mask \_\_\_\_\_  
Sneakers for cabin use \_\_\_\_\_ 2 pairs extra socks \_\_\_\_\_  
Sleepwear \_\_\_\_\_ Underwear \_\_\_\_\_ 2 long sleeved shirts \_\_\_\_\_  
Sweat Pants \_\_\_\_\_ Extra Sweatshirt \_\_\_\_\_ 1 Tee Shirt \_\_\_\_\_  
Extra Pants \_\_\_\_\_ Extra pair of gloves \_\_\_\_\_ Extra Batteries \_\_\_\_\_  
Large Cup \_\_\_\_\_ Vittle Kit \_\_\_\_\_ Hanger \_\_\_\_\_  
Clean-up Kit \_\_\_\_\_ Gallon Size zip-lock bags (2 qty \_\_\_\_\_)

## Special Things to Bring (Optional):

Plastic Sled or Toboggan \_\_\_\_\_ Ice Skates if you have them \_\_\_\_\_ Cards \_\_\_\_\_  
Camera \_\_\_\_\_

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## Signup and Payment Due January 19<sup>th</sup>

Scout \_\_\_\_\_  Will Participate  Will Not Participate  
Parent is Participating in the Activity  Yes  No  
Parent is available to provide transportation  Yes  No  
If Driving, Number of Seat Belts (including driver) in Vehicle is

Trip Date : Jan 30 Trip Cost : \$35 Scout or \$30 if bringing own skates Total Paid : \_\_\_\_\_ by (Circle One) Cash Check Scout-Account

**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**  
**TROOP 84 SOMERVILLE, NJ**  
**WAIVER AND PERMISSION FORM**

MY SON \_\_\_\_\_ HAS PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE  
(FIRST NAME) (LAST NAME)

WITH THE TROOP ACTIVITY KNOWN AS Winter Snow Trip

WHICH WILL BE HELD AT For Scouts : Turrell Scout Camp, Cuddebackville, NY

MEDICAL CONDITIONS/RESTRICTIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

MEDICATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE EVENT THAT YOU FIND IT NECESSARY FOR MY SON TO BE RETURNED HOME DUE TO ILLNESS OR OTHER REASONS, I MAY BE REACHED AT (PHONE) \_\_\_\_\_

OR AS AN ALTERNATIVE, CONTACT MR. /MRS. \_\_\_\_\_ AT \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize the scout leaders to seek emergency care and further authorize the physician(s) to provide emergency treatment to my child for any laceration, fracture, other traumatic injury, any symptom, disease or injury which, in the judgment of attending physician, if untreated may be reasonably expected to increase the risk of harm to my child. This consent to care is to be in effect "only" after reasonable efforts have been made to contact and obtain my specific consent to any emergency treatment.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's name (Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

In the event my son has a minor injury, I give my consent to the adult leader in charge to use his/her best judgment to decide if or when to administer the following over-the-counter medications:  
Please check consented medications.

For headaches:	Acetaminophen (Tylenol)	_____
For muscle aches:	Ibuprofen (Advil)	_____
For hay fever, bee stings, poison ivy:	Antihistamine	_____
For upset stomach:	Antacid (Tums)	_____

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date