

# Troop 777 Sign Up

## Event: 2009 Yosemite Backpacking Trip

**Dates:** Saturday Aug. 8th to Friday Aug. 14th 2007

**Description:** Tenaya Lake to Yosemite Valley via Clouds Rest and Half Dome with additional side trips. We will cover approximately 40 miles over 5 days. This is not a beginner trek. Intermediate backpacking experience required.

**Prerequisites:** Due to the limited number of available permits (10), priority will be given to scouts age 13 and older with intermediate backpacking experience (Sierra, Philmont, Camelback or other). *Additional requirements:* Climbing Merit Badge, current medical form on file with troop, signed liability waiver form (attached). *Note:* This hike demands a high level of fitness due to the large amount of vertical footage we'll be covering. Lightweight backpacking techniques are a must as each person will carry a bear canister and 2-3 Liters of water. Additionally, each person must carry a day pack as we will be hiking to Half Dome and other destinations from a base camp. There will be a required pack inspection before leaving for this trip (date and time t.b.d.).

**Trekking Description:** Depart Sports Authority 8 AM Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>. We will camp near Lee Vining Saturday night. Sunday we'll summit Mt. Hoffman and acclimate in Tuolumne Meadows. Monday morning we begin the Yosemite hike from Tenaya Lake. We'll spend M-W nights in the Yosemite back country, visiting Clouds Rest, Half Dome and other locations. Exit to Yosemite Valley on Thursday, ride a bus back to Tuolumne Meadows Thurs. evening. Camp there on Thursday night, wake up Friday morning, have breakfast, then head for home. Return: Friday evening. (before 9 pm)

**Cost:** \$140/trekker

**Other:** bring some snack money (\$20) for road meals to and from the Sierra.

### Instructions:

Contact Mr. Marshall by phone (760-930-0908) or e-mail ([rbiemarshall@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rbiemarshall@sbcglobal.net)) if you intend to participate. Bring signed permission slip and payment of \$140 to troop meeting, or deliver or mail to 922 Rosemary Ave., Carlsbad, CA 92011

**Scout in Charge:** TBD

**Adult Advisors:** Rich Marshall, Ken Case

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## Tuolumne Meadows-Yosemite Valley Backpack 2009

Scout in Charge: TBA  
Adult in Charge: Rich Marshall 760-930-0908/760-707-6860 mobile  
Emergencies: Beverly Marshall 760-930-0908

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## Yosemite Trek – Tuolumne Meadows to Yosemite Valley August 8<sup>th</sup>-August 14<sup>th</sup> 2009

Scout(s) Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

I Can Drive: \_\_\_\_\_ Total # Seatbelts \_\_\_\_\_

Amt Pd: \$140 ea. x # \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Info: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Parental Informed Consent Agreement for Backpacking/Climbing Activities

I understand that participation in the Backpacking/Climbing activities offered through the San Diego-Imperial Council, BSA, involves a certain degree of risk that could result in injury or death. In consideration of the benefits to be derived and after carefully considering the risk involved, and in view of the fact that the Boy Scout of America is an organization in which membership is voluntary, and having full confidence that precautions will be taken to ensure the safety and well-being of my son, I have given \_\_\_\_\_ *scout's name*), my consent to participate in the Backpacking/Climbing shown above on the date shown above. In case of emergency, I understand every effort will be made to contact me. In the event I cannot be reached, I hereby give my permission to the physician selected by the adult leader in charge to secure proper treatment, including hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery, or injections of medication for my child.

(Both parents must sign.)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_