

TROOP 777 SIGN UP SHEET

EVENT: CANOEING MERIT BADGE

DATE: Sunday, December 20, 2009

DESCRIPTION: Learn the parts of the canoe and the paddle, and what to do with them. Canoe MB will be taught by a Merit Badge counselor in the quiet waters of Fiesta Island at the Youth Aquatic Center. If you **read the merit badge book**, you can easily learn the most important paddling strokes, and then practice paddling solo, and with a partner. If the wind stays calm to one or two o'clock in the afternoon, there will be plenty of time to earn the merit badge.

Canoeing MB is a prerequisite for the Salty Rat, the Spring Break canoe trip, and Whitewater MB

Anyone else (Parents) who wants to practice their canoe paddling technique is welcome to come, subject to availability of canoes (those Scouts working on the merit badge get first priority).

PREREQUISITE: Parent permission, and ability to swim (Swimming MB, or swim test at summer camp, Junior Life Guards, etc.). You may have a swim test if the trek leader is uncertain of your swimming ability. Wear Green Troop T-shirt.

We will have a mandatory session at the Troop meeting December 14, 2009. **YOU MUST READ THE MERIT BADGE BOOK BEFORE COMING.**

COST: \$ 14 includes canoe rental (Parents not canoeing, don't pay).

INSTRUCTIONS: Meet at Sports Authority parking lot at 6:15 am, Sunday December 20. Bring two sets of clothes (YOU WILL GET WET), towel, sun screen, water bottle, snack, and lunch.

ADULT-IN-CHARGE: JERRY SHILLER SCOUT-IN-CHARGE: TBA
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Scout Canoeing: _____ Parent Driving: _____

____ # attending X \$14 = \$ _____ check _____ cash _____ Scout account

Parent Permission: _____