



### The Desert Trip II

Leonard A.

The Desert Trip x2 is this Saturday, over the Memorial Day Weekend, from May 29<sup>th</sup> to the 31<sup>st</sup>. We are going to go up to Fallon, Nevada, which is in the middle of nowhere. We are going to be near the Army airspace, so we are going to see the planes fly over. Who knows? We may be near Area 51!

Just a reminder that everyone who's going must meet at 4 a.m. this Saturday.



We will be having a huge cook-off with Dutch ovens. We will also be shooting shotguns and rifles. We will also have a minefield set up.

All this for a set price if \$65. There even is a secret theme. The whole family is invited, so bring them along. If you want to go on an exciting and fun filled trip, this is definitely the best trip to go on.

### Summer Camp

Peter C.

May 27, 2010

Just to remind you all, Summer Camp is just around the corner. Last year, we had tons of fun!!! At camp we will have games, merit badge classes, Mr. Sexton's cooking, and a SECRET THEME!!!!!! Though no one has told me what it is, I was assured, we will all like it.

Don't be left out!!! Sign up ASAP, or else you won't be able to go. Here are some reminders for you games, merit badge classes, Mr. Sexton's cooking, and a SECRET THEME!!!!!! Sign up ASAP, or else you won't be able to go. Here are some reminders for you

-Summer Camp will be held at Camp Cutter, provided by the Skyline Council.

The dates are July 30-August 6

### American River Rafting Trip

Ryan B.

The River Rafting trip turned out to be a great adventure. The event started on May 15<sup>th</sup>, and ended on May 16<sup>th</sup>. From St. Marin's, it was a 3 hour drive, to our rafting site, which was in a little town called Colma.

The river we traveled on is the American River. The American River was where gold was first discovered. We visited a few exhibits on the Gold Rush while in town. After this, we went swimming.



The next day, we went rafting. Once everyone was fitted with their gear, we all hopped into a bus that took us to the river. We met with our guides 'Kirk' and 'Angelo', who instructed us on safety, our equipment and our rafts. Then, it was River Time!! The river starts with some rough class 3 rapids which got us all soaked. The trip down the river took us 1 1/2 hours to complete. It was a blast but we all had to pack up and go home. Check out the pictures of our wet and wild time on the river:

[http://family.snwburd.com/bob/5\\_16\\_10](http://family.snwburd.com/bob/5_16_10)

### News FLASH!!

Peter C.

Recent information from the patrol leader of the Pineapples, Brian M., has just came in. There is a possibility that the Pineapples will be changing their name to the Jaguars.



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-We will be collecting a \$100 deposit for everyone going by May 7 for new scouts and adults, and April 30 for everyone else. Those are also the nights that signups will close. However, don't hesitate to signup now.

**NONREFUNDABLE**

-Turn in your forms ASAP

-Scouts cost is \$305+ \$25 if you are over 13 and want to participate in high COPE activities

-Staff and Adults cost: \$155+\$55 if you want to participate in high and low COPE activities

The BSA is running a completely new medical form which everyone will be required to have for camp. Because camp is week long, you must have Type A,B, and C all filled out on the forms. They are good for one year, so if you have these forms filled out after August 8 2009, you are clear for camp. However, I advise you all to verify with the new medical records to make sure you have the right form filled out. See your email for a link to the form online. Make sure to get your appointment with a doctor soon, as they fill up quickly with all the summer activities. Any questions, ask Andy Bruner or Andrew Packer.

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And I will post in our next edition of the Fat Cow!**

**See you then!**

**Peter C.  
Editor**