

## **BSA Troop 4 La Jolla**

### **GREEN SHEET: WHITEWATER RAFTING**

**SCOUT LEADER:** *Help! We need an experienced scout to help organize this trip.*

**ADULT LEADER:** Gary Foster / 619-787-9111 / garyfostermba@gmail.com

**WHEN:** June 19-21, 2009

**WHERE:** Kern River, Kernville CA

**WHAT:** One full day rafting, two nights camping, cooking as a troop. Two packages to choose from:

#### **1. Combo for younger scouts (10-13 yrs) & parents**

Morning with two runs in six-person rafts, afternoon with two runs in two-person inflatable kayaks. One raft will make two runs in afternoon in lieu of kayaks for youngest scouts, siblings, or anyone not comfortable in kayaks.

Price includes rafting, camping, and meals:

- \$140 per scout
- \$150 per parent

#### **2. Upper Kern for older scouts (14+ yrs) & parents**

Full day making four runs on upper Kern in more difficult class III and class IV rapids in six-person rafts. This is a new feature of this trip and is intended for order boys with rafting experience.

Price includes rafting, camping, and meals:

- \$200 per scout
- \$215 per parent

**INCLUDED:** Rafting; campsite; Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner; Sunday breakfast.

**NOT INCLUDED:** We are NOT providing food on Friday, nor lunch on Sunday. On Friday night, please rendezvous at Kernville Pizza Barn for dinner (you pay) after setting up camp. Wetsuit rentals optional from rafting company. Fishing permits required for adults at additional cost.

**HOW TO GET THERE:** Drive yourself or form carpools. If you ride with someone else, we suggest a \$20 donation to the driver to compensate for fuel costs. The drive is about 285 miles, five hours. Map will be provided.

- Leave San Diego by 1:00 pm on Friday, set up camp, then rendezvous at Kernville Pizza Barn
- Return to San Diego at 12:00 p.m. on Sunday, arriving home by 6:00 p.m.

#### **BRING:**

- Swim suit
- Water shoes (Aquasocks, Tivas, etc.)
- Water shirt (DryFit or other synthetic - NOT COTTON)
- Sunglasses + croakies to retain during rafting
- Hat + strap to retain during rafting
- Extra clothing
- Jacket or sweatshirt
- Towel
- Toiletries (toothbrush, soap, sunscreen, etc.)
- Tent
- Sleeping bag + pad
- Flashlight or headlamp
- Fishing rod + tackle (optional)

**WEATHER:** Sunny, High 90', Low 55'