HOLLYWOOD SIGN HIKE SCOUT CHALLENGE

Saturday, May 25th, 2013 following Flag Placement

Overview & Required Forms

Are you up for the challenge? The Amazing Race Boy Scout Troop 212 challenge at the Hollywood Sign is back! This is a family event so all are welcome though only boys in Troop 212 are competing in their respective patrols to win the bragging rights for the year!

Safety and teamwork is first and foremost for all Scouts and participants. Please keep that in mind during the competition. Remember your scout oath and law.

What are the challenges? Find out as your patrol needs you to be there to help win!

What do you need?

- 1) Release Waivers.
 - Standard troop 212 permission slip available at www.troop212.net. Fill out completely, ONE per Scout. Turn into Maureen or Chun at the event.
- 2) Items to bring.
 - a) Clothing: Wide brimmed hat and hiking boots. Shorts are optional to change into. Class A uniform for flag placement, class B for the hike.
 - b) Sun block lotion to protect yourself against the sun.
 - c) Additional water to take on hike with. Snack if necessary.
 - d) Food and drink can be a brown bag as your lunch or you can purchase along the route to the destination. Ask the adult you are with if you are purchasing own lunch.
 - e) A digital camera or camera on the cell phone if you have one for the challenge.
 - f) A day pack to carry the items listed above.
- 3) Fun teamwork and great attitude. This is a team building competition and you are assisting your own patrol to win!
- 4) Ask Chun guestions before or at the troop meeting on MONDAY, MAY 20, 2013.

This event starts at the LA National Cemetery and participants need to arrange transportation to and from the event. If you need help arranging a ride to the event, please let us know so we can help you. Directions along with any other information for the Hollywood sign can be found at http://hollywoodsigntrip.com/hollywood-sign-directions.shtml to give you a heads up.

We will meet at the cemetery to do the flag placement first then start directly afterwards from there. Instructions and rules will be given at that time. Be sure to carpool if possible.

<u>Suggested route from the cemetery to meeting place at 3200 N. Beachwood Dr. Los Angeles:</u>
Sepulveda north, Montana east or right (street turns into Gayley). Wilshire east or left, Rodeo Dr. north or left, Santa Monica east or right (the second street which is the main drag/street), Doheny north or left, Sunset east or right, La Brea north or left, Hollywood east or right, Gower north or left, Franklin east or right, Beachwood north or left unto destination. Parking is limited so you may have to park in the neighborhood just prior to the end less than ¼ miles away. Please have GPS ready just in case you get lost or route is closed for some reason unknown.

<u>Possible places to consider having lunch</u>: In-n-Out (Gayley), anywhere in Beverly Hills (to mimick Pretty Woman), Mel's Diner (Sunset), Carney's yellow train (Sunset), Pink's Hot Dogs stand (La Brea near Melrose), Hard Rock Café (Hollywood), Johnny Rockets (Hollywood).

Adult Trip and Theme Leaders:

Maureen Miller and Chun Liu (Refer to the ScoutTrack directory for phone numbers.)

Scout Trip and Theme Leaders:

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