

Troop 212 Downhill Racer Weekend

Scouts and Scouters,

For the first time, since 2014, Troop 212 is excited to announce the return of the Downhill Racers. The scouts will work in patrols and participate in a push relay race and timed downhill races. Winning patrols will earn prizes and bragging rights.

Departure: Friday, September 29th at 7:00 PM – Church parking lot. Please arrive promptly.

Arrival: Sunday, October 1st, at approximately 1:00 PM – Church parking lot.

Location: BSA Firestone Campground in Brea.

Cost: \$30.00 / \$5.00 (1 dinner, 1 lunches, 2 breakfasts, camp fees, patch, and other program costs / \$5 gas). **Please bring \$35.00 Cash or Check to the troop meeting on Monday, September 25th with the standard permission slip which can be found on the website.**

Preparation: Troop meeting, Monday, September 25th (distribution of cars). The cars will be brought to the meeting for reassembly by the patrol members.

Food Shopping: Thursday, September 28th, Stater Bros at 7:00pm.

Uniform: Full uniform during auto travel on Friday and Sunday.

At a minimum, the following items should be packed:

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| ■ Appropriate clothing (Day high-80°/Night low-70°) | ■ Pencils, Pens, Notebook | ■ Warm Jacket |
| ■ Insect Spray | ■ Chapstick | ■ Handy-wipes |
| ■ Soap and Comb | ■ First Aid Kit | ■ Scout Handbook |
| ■ Matches or Flint | ■ Pocket Knife | ■ Whistle |
| ■ Sunglasses | ■ Toilet paper | ■ Hydration pack or Canteen |
| ■ Brim Hat | ■ Flashlight | ■ Sleeping Bag and Pad |
| ■ Mess Kit (utensils, bowl, mug, etc) | ■ Poncho | ■ Helmet |
| ■ Sunscreen | ■ Toothbrush & paste | ■ Gloves |
| ■ Compass | ■ Ground Cloth | ■ Small towel |
| | ■ Rope – 10 Feet | ■ Tire patch kit |

The Jr. leader & theme leader for this trip have planned multiple races including the fastest time and the longest run. More will be announced at trip roundup.

There will be a Demo on September 25th with each patrol assembling and decorating their cars. Each Patrol should plan how they would like to decorate their car. Before the races begin, patrols shall have time to decorate their cars with the materials that they brought.

We will be departing camp and heading home on Sunday around 12:00. We will NOT be stopping for lunch on the way home.

As is the tradition of Troop 212, this will be a very safe outing. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact John Douglas, Russ Turley, Ty Smith or Kevin Cobabe before the trip (refer to the Scout Track directory for phone numbers and or email information).