

# Troop 255

## Klondike Derby

Friday through Sunday, January 18th – 20th, 2012

Revised 15 January 2013



**Overview:** The Klondike Derby is a two-night winter camping event sponsored by the Potomac District of the NCAC. Scouts will travel from station to station and at each station will have a chance to demonstrate their scouting skills, team work, and leadership solving various problems. The Derby will close with sled races. Several hundred scouts will attend from dozens of troops and crews from all over the Potomac District and beyond.

Last year the troop came in very highly in the station competition and won the sled race. The troop has spent many weeks preparing for the Derby, so you won't want to miss it.

**Assemble:** 7:00pm on Friday at CCUMC

**Return:** 2:00pm on Sunday at CCUMC

**Cost:** \$30 per scout.

**Weather:** Historical range is a low of 26°, high of 42°.



### What to bring:

**Wear uniform.** Dress for the weather! Be prepared for colder weather, and for precipitation. **NO SNEAKERS!** Klondike Derby rules prohibits sneakers. Hiking boots or cold weather boots are recommended.

We're car camping, so standard camping equipment.

**Food:** The Hedlunds are supplying chii for Saturday lunch and the Rosenbergs are supplying stew for Saturday dinner, so you only need to supply breakfast for your patrols for Saturday and Sunday.

### Adult Participation

Adults are welcome to camp with the Scouts on this trip. In addition, for those not wishing to share in the challenges of winter camping, adults are needed to help run the various Scout challenge stations on Saturday. No experience is needed for most of the stations, as usually one experienced person is assigned per station. However, these people need help in scoring and mob control. Parents and adult Scout leaders are not permitted to follow their own Scouts. Therefore, participating in running the challenge stations is an opportunity to see your Scout in action.

**Troop 255**

**Trip Permission Slip**

**SCOUT:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TRIP:** Klondike Derby

**TRIP DATE:** January 18 - 20, 2013

This approval/permission is valid for the trip listed above.

Approval/permission is granted by the parents/guardians of the Boy Scout named above for their son/scout to participate in the activities of Troop 255, Chevy Chase, Maryland, National Capital Area Council, Boy Scouts of America. Approval/permission is granted to the adult members of Troop 255 to authorize treatment of the Boy Scout named above in the event of an accident or emergency.

Adult members of Troop 255 that authorize treatment of the Boy Scout in the event of an accident or emergency shall be released from any or all liabilities. Troop 255 will obtain local and national tour permits when necessary.

(Permission slip needed for scouts only. Siblings accompanied by a parent do not need a permission slip.)

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**Parent Signature**

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**Parent Name (Print)**

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**Date**

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