



1st Blackburn Scout Troop

Event: Rideau Challenge 2014

Where: Marlborough forest, walking trails and parts of the Rideau Trail.

Date: **May 9-11** depending on level taken.

Levels: Bronze - Saturday May 10 :

For 1st year scouts. One day hike with leaders. Hike roughly 11kms. Scouts are welcome to camp overnight with Silver patrols. Scouts will carry day packs with water, lunch, snacks and emergency kit. If staying the night, personal gear will be stowed and brought to camp.

Silver - Saturday May 10 to Sunday May 11 :

For 2nd year scouts. Two day hike (roughly 11-13kms each day) and one overnight camp). Scouts are responsible to carry all their personal gear in their backpack including water, lunch, snacks and emergency. All troop gear will be stowed and brought to camp.

Gold - Friday May 9 to Sunday May 11 :

For 3rd year scouts. Two and half days of hiking (roughly 11-13km each day), two overnight camping – Silver is a prerequisite. Scouts are completely self contained. They are responsible to carry all their gear, shelter, patrol gear and food.

* Water will be available at check points set up throughout the trails.

Time: Drop off and pick up times are all TBD after signup. Host Group plans routes based on total number of people signed up. This allows for patrols to hike separately and use their navigation and orienteering skills.

Gold - Drop-off - Friday evening 7-9pm. Pick up Sunday afternoon 12-2pm.

Silver - Saturday morning 8:30-9:am. Pick up Sunday afternoon 12-2pm.

Bronze - Saturday morning 8:30-9:00am. Pick up Saturday afternoon 2-3pm.

Cost: Gold - \$10 per person (plus supplying own food, water and snacks).

Silver - \$25 per person

Bronze - \$10 per person (just Saturday hike)

- \$25 per person (if staying overnight Saturday)

(cheques made payable to 1st Blackburn Scout Group)

Please return this form and payment to one of the leaders at **April 14** meeting.

Name: _____

Food Allergies: _____

Phone #: _____

Emergency number: _____

(If you will be away from your home during the aforementioned dates.)

Challenge **Level (circle one):** **Bronze** **Silver** **Gold**

Signature: _____