

# TROOP 6

## WASHINGTON DC TRIP

### 8/03/2014 – 8/09/2014

Troop 6 is planning an exciting trip to Washington DC!! Following this page, you will find the information for the trip and the forms that you will need to complete.

In order to attend this trip you have to have achieved the rank of Tenderfoot.

Mr. Cox, a Troop 6 Leader, has arranged for us to camp in Leesburg, VA. His father lives on a very large piece of land and has graciously offered us the opportunity to camp at no cost.

The approximate cost of trip is \$150.00 - \$200.00., our goal is to keep the trip as cost efficient as possible. This will include all transportation fees, for the Metro, parking, food, 3 meals per day, snacks and drinks, admission fees, the wreath that will be laid at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, and a thank you gift for Mr. Cox (the dad). There is a \$50.00 deposit, per person, due by April 16, 2014.

There is a dress code for the trip; all scouts that attend must have a full Class A uniform: Class A shirt, scout pants or shorts, scout belt and scout socks and a full Class B uniform: Class B troop shirt, scout pants or shorts, scout belt, and scout socks

There will be a strict code of conduct for this trip. This will be reviewed with everyone attending the trip. There are certain rules that must be followed when visiting some of the attractions. We will be traveling on the Metrorail and touring all public places. It is very important that everyone that attends the trip is able to follow the code of conduct.

Several sights that we are planning to visit are: Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center Air and Space Museum, the Boy Scout Memorial, the National Zoo, Fords Theater, Congress and the Capital, the Lincoln and Jefferson Memorials, the Washington Monument, and the Museums of American History and National History. We will be visiting Arlington Cemetery and performing the wreath ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. We also look forward to watching the changing of the guard. We are hoping that our application to visit the White House is approved.

We will spend one day performing a "Day of Service", for Mr. Cox, Sr., to show our appreciation for all his help planning our trip, opening his home up to us, and letting us camp on his property.

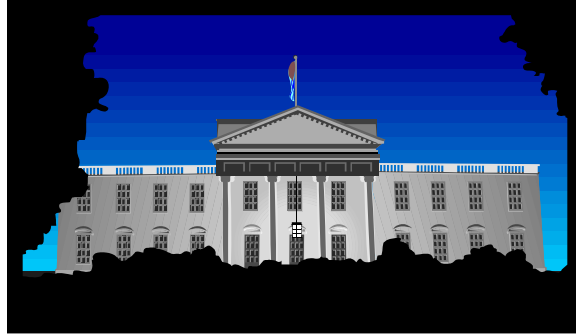
Medical forms part A, B, and C will need to be finalized. If Mr. Monroe already has your part A and B, you will not need these sections. If you go to summer camp you would have already completed the medical and will not need to complete it again. If not, please take the time to complete the listed parts. All medications must be in their original bottle with the scout's name on it. All medications and medical issues will need to be discussed with the leaders on the trip.

Please fill out the White House form and the permission slip and return them in the envelope this packet came in, with your \$50.00 deposit, by April 16, 2014.

For more info contact Mr. B [basilotto@msn.com](mailto:basilotto@msn.com) or Mr. Cox [cox78333@yahoo.com](mailto:cox78333@yahoo.com)

***Registration for this trip will close on April 16, 2014.***

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In order to submit a request to tour the White House during our trip, we need the following information for everyone that will be on the tour. Your completed form must be returned by 4/16/2014.

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Town of Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*Required for anyone that will be age 14 or older on 8/3/2014

The information on this form must match the information on the photo ID of anyone 18 or older.

## **SAMPLE ITINERARY**

This is a sample of what our basic itinerary will be. Once we have all of the tours approved and registration is closed there is a possibility that adjustments will need to be made. The number of days may need to be adjusted based on the number of leaders attending the trip:

**Sunday** – Depart 8 AM, arrive in the early afternoon, setup camp, food shopping, Troop meeting (code of conduct).

**Monday** – Visit the F. Udvar-Hazy Center Air and Space Museum in VA.

**Tuesday** – Tour Arlington Cemetery, witness the Changing of the Guard, Perform the wreath laying ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, visit the Mall

**Wednesday** – Day of Service.

**Thursday** – Tour the White House, visit the Boy Scout Memorial, and visit some of the attractions on our list.

**Friday** – Visit the zoo; visit some of the attractions on our list.

**Saturday** – Pack up the campsite, depart, and arrive home in the afternoon.

# PACKING LIST

## **Clothing**

Class A uniform  
Class B uniform  
Socks/underwear  
Something to sleep in  
Extra Class B shirts  
Shorts  
Extra shoes – **NO OPEN TOE SHOES**  
Rain poncho  
Troop 6 Sweatshirt  
Hat/bandana

## **CAMPING GEAR**

Tent  
Tarp  
Folding camp chair  
Flashlight and extra batteries

## **BEDDING**

Sleeping bag  
Foam pad  
Pillow  
Sheet or light weight blanket (optional)

## **PERSONAL ITEMS**

Personal Toiletries  
Lip balm  
Soap  
1 roll of toilet paper  
Camera (Extra film or batteries)  
Medications  
Bug Spray and Sun screen  
Towel  
Mess Kit and water bottle  
Small aid kit  
Day pack  
Sunglasses  
Scout book  
Photo Id (Recommend county ID)  
Spending money