

Troop 680 Montauk State Park Fishing campout 6/13/08-6/15/08

Although this will be a normal campout in many ways, this is a list of additional gear that you may need to make the most of your weekend.

Our Fishing “experts” Bobby Palmer, Mike Brooks and Joe Scarfino have suggested that you bring the following items;

Fishing pole

Small Bobbers

Fish hooks #2 or #4 (small)

Fish stringer- at least one per fisherman. You are not allowed to put your fish on someone else’s stringer due to the catch limit of 4 trout per day.

Trout bait- a can of corn, salmon eggs, marshmallow bait etc,

Swim suit so that you can wade into the stream

Croc’s or water shoes

Sunscreen

Dress for the weather- it is going to rain and will be Hot during the day.

Bug repellent

Hat

Water bottle

Camp chair

Hiking boots- we may go on a hike

Standard change of clothes

Bath towel and soap- they actually have showers in the campground

Toothbrush and toothpaste

Scout handbook

Stuff to work on merit badge pre-requisites for Camp Drake

Extra money for goodies at the camp store if you want

Attached are maps and information about Montauk State Park.

Please be aware that we currently **do not have reserved campsites**. The plan is that Mrs. McClew will camp on Thursday night and attempt to acquire 6 sites on Friday morning.

Due to the state park regulations, this may not be possible but we are giving it our best shot and hopefully we will all be able to camp together.

We will be looking at several options on Friday afternoon if we are unable to secure sites and will communicate with anyone we can reach before they arrive at the park.

There are many rules and regulations to follow in regards to camping and specifically trout fishing. We will meet Friday evening to review all of the rules and get some tips from the pros.

Dr. Stachiw will be cooking for the group on Saturday only, so as normal eat your Friday night meal on the way down.

Since we have a large number of adults attending this camp, all scouts should have a ride lined up already. **IF YOU DO NOT HAVE RIDE YET PLEASE CALL ME ASAP!**

Total count is 15 Scouts and 10 adults.

Since everyone has a ride, the departure and arrival times will vary by individual driver. Please communicate if someone wants to caravan.

I have attached driving directions to Montauk and a park map. Mrs. McClew will be there Thursday and we are attempting to reserve campsites 122-123-124-125 and 128 for our group. Again, we will communicate as early as possible if we are unable to secure sites for everyone.

I will be arriving with the Troop trailer before noon on Friday.

