

TROOP 1001
Trinity Bible Church (TBC)
November 15, 2007

To Parents and Scouts:

Troop 1001 will be camping in the McGee Creek Natural Scenic Recreation Area near Atoka, Oklahoma, for hiking and wilderness survival on the weekend of November 16-18, 2007. Scouts should be at the church parking lot **no later** than 5:30 p.m. on Friday evening in Class A uniform. We will be returning about 12:45 p.m. Sunday to the hospital parking lot across Campbell Road.

This camp is more demanding than most and Scouts must pay careful attention. It is imperative that you are properly prepared. Friday night, we will sleep in tents at base camp near the cars. But Saturday morning, the troop will break camp and **hike** on wilderness trails, **backpacking all necessary camping gear and food to a wilderness campsite** for Saturday night. All your gear must fit in your backpack and there must be room for your share of your patrol's food and equipment. So leave your 15 pound reclining camp chair at home.

The following equipment is recommended:

Class A uniform (worn)	Money for patrol food (about \$10)
Sack Supper for Friday	Scout Handbook
Backpack (NO duffel bag)	Sturdy Shoes or Boots
Sleeping bag	Lightweight Foam Pad or Air Mattress
Waterproof Ground Cloth	Raincoat or Poncho
Clothes – check the weather forecast	Small Flashlight
Water Bottle or Canteen	Watch and Compass
Toilet Articles & Chapstick	Cup/Plate/Knife/Fork/Spoon (do <u>not</u> bring disposable)
Personal 1 st Aid kit	Wide Brim Cap
Notebook / Pencil	Sun Screen / Insect Repellent
Jacket / Coat	

DO NOT BRING: Electronics (radios, tape players, cd/dvd players, mp3 players, handheld games) or aerosol sprays, sheath knives, candy/gum or soft drinks.

PERMISSION SLIP

My son _____ has my permission to attend the Hiking and Wilderness Survival Campout near Atoka, Oklahoma on the weekend of November 16-18, 2007. I hereby authorize emergency medical treatment as recommended by qualified medical professionals. Medications and special health concerns are noted below.

I am aware of the National Scouting policy that at least two adults must be present during Scout activities. I will not drop off my son until I have verified that two adults are present. I will arrive on time Sunday to pick up my son so Troop leadership does not have to wait for me.

DATE: _____ PARENT'S SIGNATURE _____

Medications and special health concerns: