

BOY SCOUT Troop 181

Cherry Valley Fire Fighters Association & Cherry Valley United Methodist Church

July 31, 2007

Alpine Slide Campout

August 11-12, 2007 Saturday 8:30 am - Sunday 11:30 am

(Meet at the Fire Station at the dates and times above.)

You **MUST** make a commitment by Tuesday, August 7, 2007, and pay your \$8.00 camping fee, or write a check from your scout account. Please note: scouts and adults will pay extra to ride the Alpine Slide. Cost is \$5.00 for a single ride, or \$20.00 for unlimited rides.

BOY SCOUT Troop 181 travels in uniform. The *Boy Scout Handbook* is part of your uniform! We will spend Saturday at the slide in our green activity shirts. Wear 'em under your class "A" uniform.

We will be playing at Chestnut Mountain in Galena, IL riding the "alpine slide." (*Fun for all ages. No special skills needed — you control your own speed. Ride your own sled down the 2,050 ft. of terrain-tailored track to the banks of the Mississippi. Travel back up on the scenic chair lift and enjoy a breathtaking three-state view.*)

We will be tent camping at Apple River Canyon State Park, 8763 E. Canyon Road, Apple River, IL 61001 815.745.3302.

- (Parents should take turns teaching their scouts how to buy groceries for their patrol.)
- Be prepared for the weather.
- **Parents - please check** to see what your scout has (has not) packed for the weekend.

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>>> PERMISSION SLIP <<<

I give my permission for _____ to attend and participate in this activity. In the absence of my presence, I give any attending adult permission to decide and act in the best interest of the entire group, including the responsibility to make decisions for and about my son.

I have an understanding of the activities of this outing, the time schedules, and the risks of participation. I asked enough questions to receive this information and satisfy any concerns. My son's physical/mental health is adequate for participation.

I hold harmless any adults, Troop 181, CVFFA & CVUMC, our district, our council, and the Boys Scouts of America.

Parent, guardian, responsible adult (date)