



Troop 23
Maquoketa Caves Campout
October 16,17,18, 2009

General Description:

We will be camping and exploring at Maquoketa Caves State Park in Iowa. Discovered in 1830 and once home to early Indians, Maquoketa caves is one of Iowa's most interesting parks. Six miles of trail lead to sixteen different caves and cool rock formations like Natural Bridge and Balanced Rock. We will not be sleeping in a cave.

Departure Information:

We will meet at the Presbyterian Community Church at 6:00 Friday night and leave at 6:30 sharp, please do not be late.

Permission Slips and Waivers:

Permission slips and fees need to be returned to the Troop 23 Outings Coordinator by the Oct. 1st scout meeting. PLEASE DO NOT BE LATE! It is hard to plan for food and transportation with late comers asking to be included.

Gear Needed. General camping gear. Head lamps, extra clothes, caves may be damp. Prepare for any weather. BE PREPARED!

Travel information:

It is mandatory that you wear your scout shirt (not the T shirt) for traveling there and back. Estimated mileage is 185. Estimated travel time 3 1/2 hours. Drivers if you have a CB, bring it.

Cost: The cost of this outing is \$20.00

Things Not Allowed And Will Be Confiscated At Outings:

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| DISTRACTING GADGETS ELECTRONIC TOYS FLAMES IN TENTS FOOD / SNACK-FOOD | "FRS" TYPE RADIOS LASER POINTERS PERSONAL ENTERTAINMENT DEVICES INCENSES/MATCHES/LIGHTERS |
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Please don't hesitate to call if you have any questions about the outing.
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