

**ROSE VALLEY TROOP 272, BSA**  
**Backpacking on the Loyalsock Trail**

- Trip Destination:** Worlds End State Park, Forksville, PA & Wyoming State Forest
- Departure:** **Friday, November 23rd**, 7:30 a.m. at the P.I.T. parking lot
- Return:** **Sunday, November 25th**, Approximately 2–4 p.m. at the P.I.T. lot
- Cost:** \$20.00 (for food)  
(Make checks payable to: *Rose Valley Troop 272, BSA*)
- What To Bring:** Backpacking Gear for a Three Day trip  
Cold weather camping gear (including sturdy hiking boots)  
Cold weather sleeping bag (Zero Degree) or borrow one from the troop
- Daily Itinerary:** **Day 1 (Friday):** Backpack from World's End State Park to Alpine Falls on the Loyal Sock Trail(~4.5mi). Includes a steady ascent to High Rock Vista  
**Day 2 (Saturday):** Hike from Alpine Falls to Loyalsock Creek via the Loyal Sock Trail and RX8 Trail (~6.0mi). Pleasant descent to Loyalsock Creek  
**Day 3 (Sunday):** Hike from Loyalsock Creek to Worlds End Campground. Great view at Canyon Vista (~3mi)

**Destination  
Information:**

World's End State Park, Box 47, Forksville, PA 18616-0062  
(570) 924-3287 or worldsendsp@state.pa.us  
Wyoming State Forest, P.O. Box 62, R.R. 2, Bloomsburg, PA 17815  
(579) 387-4255  
Hillsgrove Ranger Station, P.O. Box 75, Hillsgrove, PA 18619  
(570) 924-3501

**Trail**

**Description:** The Loyalsock Trail is a rugged yet scenic trail located in the Endless Mountain Region of Pennsylvania. The trail features many scenic overlooks of Worlds End State Park and is known as the "Grand Canyon" of Pennsylvania. The trail also runs along the beautiful Loyalsock Creek that meanders through the bottom of the canyon.

**Questions:** Contact Sam Capalbo (610) 733-9140 or  
Dave Snyder (484)4863509

**Emergencies** Jim McGaffin can be contacted at any time during the trip on his cell phone: (610) 999-8937 (if no answer, leave a message)

**PERMISSION SLIP & MONEY ARE DUE ON**  
**Saturday, NOVEMBER 17, 2012**

**TRIP PLANNING WILL OCCUR ON  
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2012  
At 6:30pm, PIT unless announced otherwise  
Rose Valley Troop 272, BSA  
Parental Permission Backpacking on the Loyalsock Trail**

**Trip Destination:** World's End State Park and Wyoming State Forest

**Dates:** Friday, November 23, 2012 to Sunday, November 25, 2012

**PARENT'S CONSENT AND AGREEMENT**

I hereby grant permission for my son, \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the above indicated trip. I agree that if, in the proper judgment of the adult leaders, my son is not acting in accordance with the promise below, that I will be responsible for removing him from the trip.

I hereby grant permission to the adult leaders to provide any medical care to the above mentioned Scout from 11/28/2008 to 11/31/2008 that they deem necessary and proper in the case of an emergency. Also, I understand that I will be contacted at the earliest convenient time.

This document shall also serve as authority for any hospital and/or health care provider to render medical treatment to the above named Scout should treatment be deemed necessary by the medical staff of the facility or the adult leaders on the trip. I/We further agree to be completely responsible for any bills or payments that occur in providing medical care.

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**SCOUT'S PROMISE**

While on the above-mentioned trip, I promise to behave in a safe and responsible manner and to adhere to the Scout Law and Outdoor Code. I acknowledge that my parent(s) will be called to remove me from the trip if I do not keep this promise.

Scout's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/ GUARDIAN ATTENDANCE**

\_\_\_\_\_ plans on attending and can transport \_\_\_\_\_ Scouts with their gear. They have read the Troop's Chaperone Policy and will abide by it during the entire trip.

**SCOUT INSURANCE INFORMATION                    \*\*\*ONLY IF CHANGED\*\*\***

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Group # \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: Name & phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Name & phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any medication(s) that the Scout is currently taking and any allergies:

## **Menu**

### **Friday**

- Pack Lunch
- Mac and cheese sandwich and pudding (mac and cheese from mountain man freezepacks)

### **Saturday**

- The usual, oatmeal, cream of wheat, hot chocolate
- Crackers with cheese salami pepperoni
- Kabobs with steak pepper tomato, and smores/ po' man smo'

### **Sunday**

- Classic Breakfast

### **Pocket Food**

- Granola bars
- tangerine