

Under the Boughs 2012

February 3 to 5, 2012

Camp Bonnett, Jewel Lake - near Greenwood



Inviting all Pathfinders, Rangers, Lones & Trex girls (12 years & older)
Link & Guiders to camp and play in the snow.

This wilderness campsite is an ideal location to practice our winter camping skills and to have some fun.

We welcome groups and individuals to arrive any time after 2 pm on Friday, with gear to set up a tent for the first night. On the second night, it is your choice to sleep again in a tent or spend part of Saturday creating a quinzee or other snow shelter for sleeping. Camp Bonnett is about 500 m from the plowed road, snowshoes will make the short hike in easier, and don't forget that a sled or toboggan works well to haul gear. We will wrap up by noon on Sunday. There is a cabin on site available in an emergency. See <http://sites.google.com/site/campbonnett/> for more information on Camp Bonnett.

You can apply as an individual or a Patrol. Individuals will be assigned to a patrol for the weekend. Everyone must plan to bring personal gear appropriate to sleeping in the snow and cold.

Patrols will be asked to bring their own gear and camp kitchens for the weekend, the organizers will be planning and taking care of the food. Propane stoves and lanterns can be problematic in winter conditions. For this camp, **white gas stoves are highly recommended** and training in their use will be provided as needed.

Activities include: building snow camps & kitchens, cooking in the snow, snow sculptures, toboggan slide, geocaching, avalanche beacon hide and seek, and there are extensive trails for snowshoeing.

Transportation is the responsibility of the Patrol, Unit or individual.

*** More information will be **emailed** to individuals and patrols in the new year, if you would rather have correspondence by fax or mail, **DO NOT** include an email. This will include a more detailed individual and patrol kit list, and all the Safe Guide forms (being completed by the organizing team).

Cost:

\$40 per girl and Link participant (no charge for a Guider coming in ratio with a patrol)

\$25 per Guider participant above ratio (7:1)

??? Questions... Contact

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Deadline for applications is January 13, 2012
(late application may not get a touque)