From: Troop 71 Info [info@troop71.info] Sent: Monday, September 14, 2015 7:04 PM To: troop71bsa-donotreply@yahoo.com Subject: FWD: Philmont tune-up hike

>All,

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> Irv Martin has invited anyone interested in going to Philmont to join the Troup 71 Crew on a tune-up hike with him this coming weekend (his message is below). If anyone is interested we will need two adults from the troop to attend. If interested, I've posted a signup sheet in the scout hut or you can email me directly.

>> Bob Dahle > <u>bobdahle@g</u>mail.com > 937-307-8536 >> >> Philmont Tune Up September the 19th and 20th >> Our first tune up for Philmont will take place on September the 19th and 20th. We will meet at > Germantown Metro Park near Germantown Ohio. The meeting time is yet to be determined but it will be > after lunch. We will hike appro x 7 miles each day. >> Troop Leaders will be responsible for the Tour Permit and Youth Protection requirements, and to bring > Medical Forms. >> We will probably meet at the Visitors Center at Germantown Metro Park and start and end our hike there > 6910 Boomerahine Road. Then we will go to the campsite. We will meet in the parking lot >> We will camp at Camp site number 2 Geronimo at Twin Creek Metro Park. To get to the campsite go > south on Route 4 past Germantown. You will cross Twin Creek and go up a good size hill. When you > get to the top turn left on Eby Road then turn left on Chamberlain Road then right on Morningstar Road. > turn right on the first road into the Park go to the parking lot at the end of the road and the campsite trail is > at the end of the parking lot. > If you have backpacking gear bring it. If you don't DO NOT go buy any. We will be close to cars and

> your car camping gear will be fine. Get a tent buddy if possible. The idea is for you to look, feel, smell,

> taste, etc. the gear others have to help you make wise choices when you buy your gear. I have wasted a

> lot of money on stuff which I don't use. Learn from my mistakes and the experience of others. All you

> will need is some kind of pack (a book bag will work). You will need a couple quarts of water, rain gear,

> clothing for the weather, spoon, cup and your regular camping gear. One of the main goals for this

> campout is to talk about backpacking gear.

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> I will provide the food for this tune up. the cost will be \$7.00. Any leftover money or food will be used

> next time to help reduce the cost. If there are any special diet needs let me know. We will have Saturday

> supper, Sunday breakfast and lunch. All meals will be similar to Philmont meals.

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> Let me know who is coming so I can plan meals. Please provide emails so I can contact you with the

> latest info.

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> Looking forward to Philmont.

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> Irv

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