1st Merrickville Cub Winter Camp

Event

Winter Cub camp to be held at Camp Oskenonton. This is a Scout camp located approximately 90km south of Merrickville.

Logistics

Saturday February 10th – Sunday February 11th Cost: \$25

Schedule

Saturday 9:00am Drop-Off at camp Sunday 11:00am Pick-Up at camp

Expected Leaders Attending

Allan Yates, Peter Cornelisse, Mike Jackman, Robert Sargent, Amy McKay, Liz Collinson

Qualifications

Mike Jackman and Robert Sargent have current standard first aid qualifications.

Cabin

Cubs will be sleeping in a cabin with electric heat.

Activities

All activities will take place in the outdoors. Planned activities include hiking and games. Possibly ice fishing. Snow shelter building if enough snow. Snow shoeing.

Risks

- *Ice safety*: Check with camp warden for confirmation of ice conditions before venturing on ice. Leaders then to check before Cubs allowed on the ice.
- *Hypothermia*: Move Cub to heated cabin to recover.
- *Cubs becoming lost:* Each Cub must wear a whistle on a lanyard so they can call for help if the become lost. The buddy system will also be enforced.
- *Minor injuries:* Treated with first aid kit.
- *Major injuries:* Evacuation to parking area and transport to hospital; alternatively a leader will be sent to fetch medical personal by returning to the parking area and driving to a telephone to summon paramedics.

Attendance

Approximately 24 Cubs are expected to attend.

In Case of Emergency

- Where possible, any injured person will be evacuated back to the parking area where the leader's automobiles will be present.
- A telephone is present in the cabin.
- Nearest hospitals are:
 - o Lansdowne Medical Centre, (613) 659-2525
 - o Brockville General Hospital, (613) 345-5645
 - o Kingston General Hospital, (613) 548-3232
- Two first aid kits will be on site.