



Pacific Skyline Council High Adventure Training



Introduction to Snow Camping and Winter Safety 2011



Conduct fun and safe snow trips for your Troop!

Learn about Appropriate Clothing, Equipment, Cooking techniques, Weather hazards, and Shelter construction.



Get the experience of a weekend camping in the snow!

Dates: In Town – Saturday, January 22, 2011, 9:00 AM to 6:30 PM and
– Thursday, February 10, 2011, 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM.

In Snow – Saturday, February 26, 8:00 AM through Sunday, February 27, Noon.

Why: This course is a must for leading winter camping and backpacking trips for Pacific Skyline Council units. Continue your outdoor adventures year-round!

Who: Registered adult Scout leaders and Senior Scouts. Senior Scouts over age 16 may participate with two registered adult sponsor from the same Troop (YPT). All participants should have extensive backpacking and camping experience and a thorough knowledge of BSA procedures. Prior completion of the High Adventure Training (Outdoor Awareness) course is highly recommended.

Cost: \$110. Includes course manual; lunch Saturday, January 22; lodging Friday, February 25; and continental breakfast the 26th (plus your personal expenses for food, transportation, and necessary gear). **Late fee of \$20.00 applies after January 15, 2011.**



Igloo construction, 1997

Course Limit: 30 participants. Adult leaders having taken the High Adventure Training (or an acceptable equivalent) have preference. **Attendance at all sessions is required for certificate.**

Preregistration by January 15, 2011 to avoid late fee (registration and full fee in the Scout office). Course may be canceled due to low enrollment.

Participants will **construct snow shelters**. All participants will sleep in snow shelters or tents and prepare at least three meals in the snow to gain **realistic, hands-on experience** with snow camping. This course has a tradition of heavy snowfall, so plan on a blizzard! (Emergency shelter is available on site).

For further information, contact Course Director Gordon Abraham 650-917-1511, gordon.abraham@sbcglobal.net

-----Return the following form to Pacific Skyline Council with your course fee or register on-line at www.pacsky.org-----

Snow Camping and Winter Safety, 2011 Account Number 1-6801-825-20.

Name _____ Scouting position _____ Unit _____

Council _____ District _____ Age _____

Address _____ (Youth must list adult sponsor registered in course)

City/zip _____ Phone _____ email _____

Current **Medical Form** required for in-snow session.

Date of High Adventure Training _____ Date of Youth Protection course _____

Briefly describe your camping, backpacking, and winter experience (continue on back if necessary).
