

Cycling Out-Trip

Need help finishing up an outing requirement for Camping Merit Badge? This outing qualifies as a bike trip of at least 15 miles! Participants will depart camp via shuttle on Tuesday and travel to the Cuyahoga Valley National Park for programming/service. They will then shuttle to Century Cycles to pick up bike rentals and head out on the Towpath trail for an 18.8 mile circuit.

There is a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 12 participants each week. Cost is \$65 per participant and registration is through your unit's summer camp registration. Due to transportation limitations, riders must use the rental bikes (helmet included in rental).

Scouts must be 13 years of age and should have the stamina to complete a ride of this length. Open to Adults.

Registration closes on the Monday before the trip each week. Scouts who are registered for merit badges between 11 am-4:30 pm on Tuesday can make up their work during open periods on other days.

APPROXIMATE SCHEDULE:

- 11:30 Gather in the Dining Hall for safety briefing and to collect lunch.
- 11:45 Depart
- 12:15 Programming/Service in CVNP (There will be time to break for lunch please pack out trash).
- 1:15 Pick up Rentals and depart for bike ride
- 4:00 Return bikes
- 4:30 Be back at camp

Arrive back at camp no later than 4:30 pm.

Gear to bring for outing:

- Wearable day pack/bag to carry gear
- Helmet (If you have one you prefer, helmets are provided with rental)
- Sunscreen/insect repellent
- Sunglasses
- Cycling gloves (if you have them)
- Lunch (pick up in dining hall before leaving)
- Water Bottle

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