

Troop 10 & Webelo2
NIGHT HIKE
Tuesday Evening, January 17, 2012

Who: Troop 10 and Webelo2's (and their parents if they like)

The Event: Instead of our regular troop meeting, we are planning a short hike along one of the sections of the Bay Circuit Trail as it runs through Medfield. The challenge?? No lights! It will be a close to the half-moon, so there should be sufficient moonlight to hike by. In prior years we have heard owls, seen bats and shooting stars!

Meeting Point: 7:00pm - The old side road parallel to Rte 27, approximately where Lueder's house is located, 72 High St. Carpooling is highly recommended, so as to minimize the number of cars parked on the street. **(Please note we are NOT meeting at the Lueder's. We are meeting on the street outside. Do not pull into their driveway.)**

NOTE: We will be leaving at 7:10 sharp, so if you arrive late and there's no one there, *do not* attempt to try to find us.

>> Please let Mr Wheeler, Asst Scoutmaster, know if you are going to attend.

Return Point: 8:30pm - The parking lot to the left of Wheelock School, over near the gated entrance to the soccer fields.

What to Wear: Wear cold weather gear, **warm waterproof boots (ABSOLUTELY NO SNEAKERS!)**, warm hat, gloves/mittens, water bottle. Dress in layers, as you will warm up significantly after we begin hiking.

Boots should provide good ankle support, as some of the terrain contains exposed roots and rocks. Also boots should be waterproof, as we WILL encounter some mud, water (and possibly snow, depending on the temperature that night.)

What NOT to Bring: No Flashlights. No illumination of any sort. (Why defeat the purpose of the hike?) No cell phones, radios, iPods, etc, either.

Note: Adult leaders will have flashlights, as well as other safety gear, but these will be used only if the need arises.

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(Mr Derian may not be available, so Mr Wheeler is now the contact person.)