

Troop 16 March Campout Plan 2
Cave of the Winds Exploration
March 12-14, 2010

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Summary

Cave of the Winds is located just outside of Colorado Springs above Manitou Springs, and is one of America's most astonishing cave sites. We will be camping at the South Meadows campgrounds located about 6 miles north of Woodland Park. The campground is located in the Pike National Forest and just above 8,000 feet in elevation. We will be participating in a cave exploration tour with an exciting off-trail caving experience.



Where: Camping at South Meadows campground outside of Woodland Park, CO and Cave exploration at Cave of the Winds outside of Manitou Springs (west of Colorado Springs).

When: Leaving Friday, March 12 and returning on Sunday, March 14.

Who's in Charge: Mr. Gary Napier; 720-224-7955; gary.p.napier@lmco.com

What to Expect:

Boy Scouts will meet at the PUMC parking lot at 4:00 pm on March 12 to load the trailers and depart for camp. We will be camping at South Meadows campground in a designated campsite area. We plan on utilizing campsites 21 through 26. Since this is spring camping, Scouts should be prepared a variety of weather conditions.

The Cave of the Winds tour will include crawling and muddy excursions. For this activity each scout will need to bring a change of clothes for after the tour. Old tennis shoes are recommended for the tour as they will get very muddy. The temperature of the caves is approximately 50 degrees year round and very damp. Appropriate dress for the conditions is necessary. Scouts will also need a headlamp or extra flashlight for the tour

The campsite is located in the Pike National Forest, therefore there will be a \$5/day parking fee, or a national parks pass required for each vehicle.

Campout Summary

March 12 – 14, 2010		
Location	South Meadows (Woodland Park)	Campsite to be South Meadows outside of Woodland Park. Caving will be at Cave of the Winds, approximately 20 miles from campsite.
Camp Type	Trailer Camping	Scouts will need daypack, and change of clothing for the cave tour. Backpack, duffle bag, or similar for weekend clothing and equipment.
Campout cost	\$18 + \$25 for cave	
Food Prep		
- Friday Dinner	BYO	Bring your own dinner/Sack dinner
- Sat Breakfast	Patrol Kitchen	Breakfast should be relatively quick, must leave for tour no later than 8:15 am
- Sat Lunch	Patrol Kitchen	Prepared back at the campsite
- Sat Dinner	Patrol Kitchen	Iron Chef Competition
- Sun Breakfast	Patrol Kitchen	
Water	Water Jugs	Water at the campsite is not available at this time of year, so we will be bringing water with us. We will utilize the troop's 5 gallon water containers.
Latrines	Pit Latrines	
Camp Fire	Yes	Fire rings available
<p>Schedule</p> <p>Friday: 4:00 pm: Assemble 4:30 pm: Leave for campsite</p> <p>Saturday: 6:15 am: Rise, 7:00 am: Breakfast 8:15 am Leave for Cave of the Winds 9:00 am: Cave Exploration 12:00 pm: Return to Camp/Lunch 12:30 pm: Afternoon Activity (by Staff) 4:30 pm: Iron Chef Competition 6:00 pm (sunset) 7:00 pm: Campfire Activities 10:00 pm: Lights out</p> <p>Sunday: 6:23 am: (sunrise) 7:00 am: Wake-up, breakfast, clean-up 9:00 am: Break camp, clean-up, etc 10:00: am Leave camp and return to PUMC</p>		
Notes:	<p>The Cave of the Winds has a limited tour size of 40 people. Although more than 40 people may attend the campout including adults, scouts will receive precedence over adults for attendance to the Cave of the Winds tour.</p> <p>Scouts are responsible for their personal gear including boots, backpacks, tents, clothing etc. Refer to the troops gear lists for specifics.</p> <p>Scouts need to leave the church and return to the church in Class A uniforms.</p>	

Attendance

Scouts	36		Drivers	12		Missing Payments						
Adults	15		Seats	~47		Need Med Sign-off						
Total	51		Over/Under	7		Need Training Sign-off						
						Need Trip Sign-off						
Fullname	Firstname	Lastname	Adult-Scout-Driver	Seats	Phone	Email	Paid	Med	Train	Trip	Misc	
Devin Kjar	Devin	Kjar	S		720-842-0351	dev96@comcast.net						
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Marshall Hough											
Scouts Not Caving											
Taylor Fittje	Taylor	Fittje	S			eagles5fan@live.com					
Sean Thielman	Thielman	Sean	S								
Adults Caving											
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Adults Not Caving											
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Doug Carlson											
Mark Ahrens - arriving late Friday / early Saturday											
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Larry Thielman	Thielman	Larry	D	4?							

Work Breakdown

Key Dates (will fill into WBS)

Sign-up Cutoff Date

ASM Meeting (2 months before)

PLC/Admin night (2 months before)

ASM Meeting (1 months before)

ASM Meeting (month of)

ASM Meeting (month after)

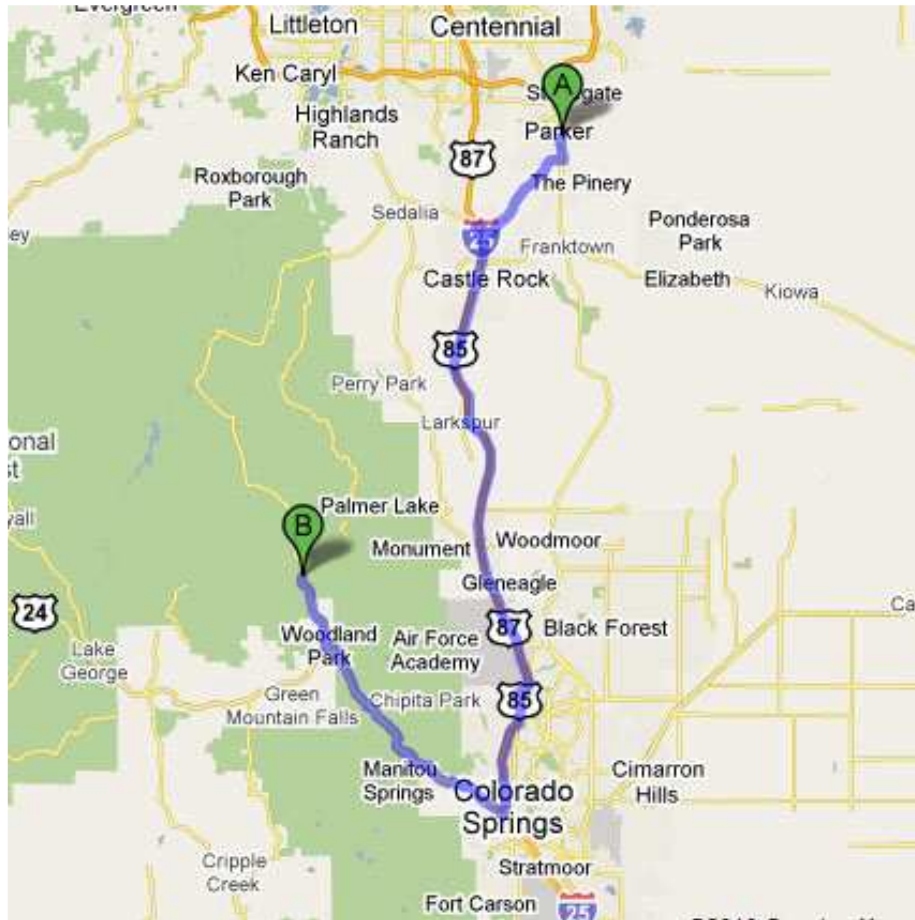
	-	Last date for scout sign-ups
	-	ASM Meeting 2 months before campout
	-	PLC meeting 2 months before campout
	-	ASM Meeting 1 month before campout
	-	ASM Meeting the month of the campout
	4/2010	ASM Meeting 1 month after campout

Sequence	Activity	Responsible	Scheduled	Done	Memo
	Campout Date:	-	3/12/2010		
2.04	Present to ASM	Gary Napier/Joe Kjar	-		
3.00	Update Plan	Gary Napier	-	-	
3.01	Send Summary for website	Gary Napier	-	-	
3.01.1	Update Website	Al Pacheco	-		
3.02	Make Reservations based on estimates	Joe Kjar	-		
3.03	Attendees List	Gary Napier	-		
3.04	Final Plan	Gary Napier	-		
3.06	Confirm Water Availability	Gary Napier	-		
3.60	Confirm with ASM	Gary Napier	-		
4.00	Request	Gary Napier	-		
	Safety Sign-off				
	Equipment Sign-off				
	Training Sign-off				
	Med Form Sign-off				
	Driver Sign-off				
	Payment Sign-off				
	Trip Plan				
4.01	Safety Sign-off		-		

4.02	Equipment Sign-off	Joe Kjar/Martin Sebring	-		
4.03	Training Sign-off	Linda Streaty	-		
4.04	Med Form Sign-off	Sherry Palmer	-		
4.05	Driver Sign-off	Guy Fittje	-		
4.06	Payment Sign-off	Suzette Farrar	-		
4.07	Trip Plan	Guy Fittje	-		
5.00	Troop Prep Night	All	-		
5.10	Send Reminder to Adults	Gary Napier	-		
6.01	Get Equipment		0	-	
6.02	Get Med Forms	Gary Napier	-		
6.03	Leave to Camp	All	-		
6.04	Notify local on return	Gary Napier	-		
6.05	Report to SM, TCC, CC	Gary Napier	-		
6.06	Provide participant list	Gary Napier	-		
7.00	Recap to ASM	Gary Napier	-		

Location

We will be camping at the South Meadows campgrounds located about 6 miles north of Woodland Park, west of Colorado Springs. The campground is located in the Pike National Forest and just above 8,000 feet in elevation.



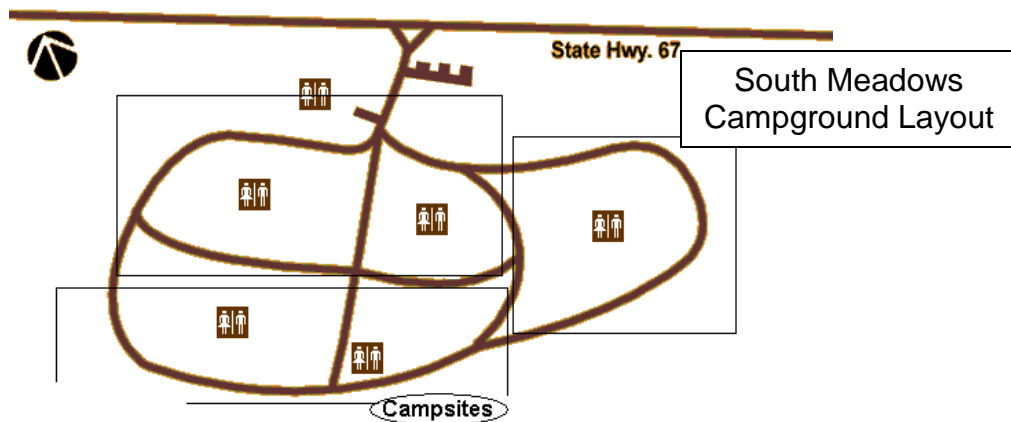
Getting There (South Meadows Campground)

We will meet at PUMC at 4:00 pm on Friday. Travel by private vehicle to South Meadows. There will be a roll call and vehicle checkout at the church. Cars will be checked in at the parking area and a final roll call will be made at camp before dark. We will be pulling the both the small and large troop trailers. As always, Scouts and Adult Leaders will travel in Class A Uniforms to and from the event.

The drive time should be 1:30 hours, with heavier traffic 2:00 hours. The general route will be I-25 south to Colorado Springs. Exit at Manitou Springs and proceed through Woodland Park to South Meadows Campground. **Total driving distance is 77 miles.**

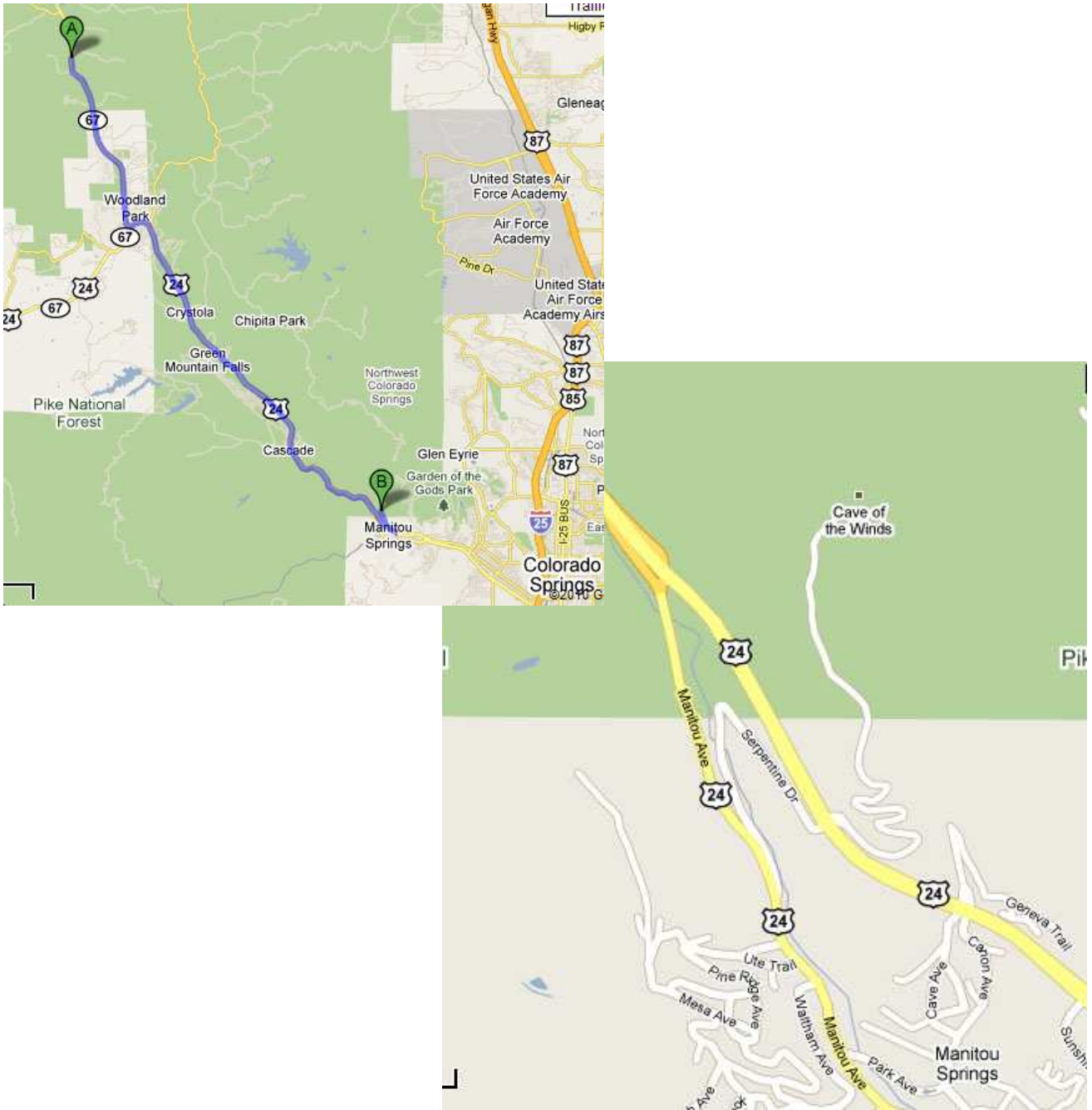
Latitude: 39.064; Longitude: -105.092

1. Head south on S Pine Dr from PUMC toward S Parker Rd 0.2 mi
 2. Take the 1st left onto S Parker Rd 1.5 mi
 3. Turn right at E Stroh Rd 0.9 mi
 4. Turn left at N Crowfoot Valley Rd 6.1 mi
 5. Turn right at Founders Pkwy 1.6 mi
 6. Merge onto I-25 S via the ramp to Colo Springs 43.3 mi
 7. Take exit 141 for US-24 W toward Cimarron St 0.1 mi
 8. Keep left at the fork, follow signs for Pikes Peak/Woodland Park 187 ft
 9. Turn left at US-24 W 18.2 mi
 10. Slight right at CO-67 N 5.6 mi
- South Meadows Campground will be on the left 5.6 mi



Getting to Cave of the Winds

We will leave for Cave of the Winds on Saturday morning from the South Meadows Campground. The Cave is in along US-24 just north of Manitou Springs. The distance is exactly 20 miles from the South Meadows entrance. Look for signage as you near Manitou Springs. You must cross the north-bound traffic on US-24 to go up the hill to the Cave main parking lot.



Emergency Plan

In the event of an emergency while at the camp site the nearest source of medical attention is in Woodland Park. While at the Cave of the Winds, the nearest source of medical attention is Colorado Springs. The exact course of action will depend on location and geographical location.

In the event of an emergency while at the campground, parties who can get cell coverage at the campground will call 911. If no coverage is available, a return to the nearest cell phone coverage location to contact 911. Depending on geography, the nearest cell phone coverage may be within Woodland Park, which is only 6 miles from the campground.

While at Cave of the Winds, in the event of an emergency, Colorado Springs 911 will be contacted either via cell phone, landline, or directly by the Cave of the Winds staff.

Radios will be issued to key adult leaders, acting SPL, and group scout leaders. In the event an evacuation becomes necessary, there are two possible vehicle exit routes:

1. South on Highway 67 to Woodland Park, then east on Highway 24 to Colorado Springs
2. North on Highway 67 to Deckers, then east on Highway 67 to Sedalia and from Sedalia, north on Highway 85 to C470.

PUMC will be the rendezvous point for all, unless an alternate site is designated by the Camp Host on Evacuation Orders. Roll call will be taken to ensure the safe return of all boys.

The South Meadows campsite contact location is the **Pike Peak Ranger District**; Colorado Springs Colorado, 80903.
Information: 719-636-1602
Office: 719-687-7818

The Cave of the Winds contact:
P.O. Box 826
Manitou Springs, CO 80829
Phone: 719-685-5444

Local Emergency Contact

In the event of an emergency, Sherry Napier will be notified and will contact necessary parties (h: 720-851-7710; c: 720-980-4280).

Nearest Emergency Healthcare Facilities

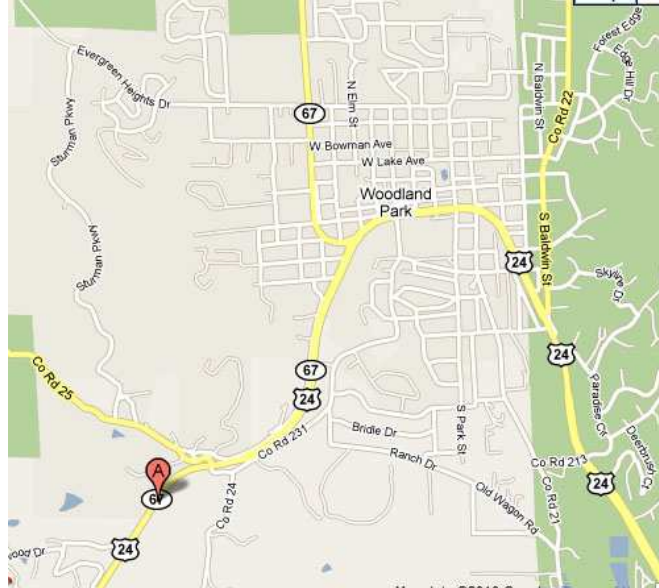
Pikes Peak Regional Hospital

Woodland Park

16420 U.S. 24

Woodland Park, CO 80863

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Penrose Hospital

2222 North Nevada Avenue

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