Wilderness and Remote First Aid Training

April 25-27, 2014, Camp Buck Run, Eberly Scout Reservation

The Westmoreland – Fayette Council of the Boy Scouts of America will be hosting an American Red Cross Wilderness and Remote First Aid Course. The course will be conducted at Eberly Scout Reservation (Camp Buck Run) during the Weekend of April 25 – 27, 2014. The course will start Friday at 6:30 pm and end Sunday around 5:00 pm. The cost for the course will be \$45.00 (this will cover meals, supplies, and the cost of certification. Participants must be at least 14 years of age by the start of the course.

The Primary purpose of the Wilderness and Remote First Aid Course (WFA) is to provide individuals a foundation of first aid knowledge and skills to be able to respond to emergencies and give care in areas that do not have immediate emergency medical services able to respond, such as wilderness and remote environments. In this course, you will also develop leadership skills and learn how to prevent, plan for, and respond to emergencies.

Successful course completion requires participation in all course activities and skill sessions. Some practice sessions may require strenuous physical activity, including walking uphill or on uneven terrain. Please wear layers of clothing appropriate for the weather conditions. You are encouraged to check with your healthcare provider before participating in the skill sessions of this course. You will need to provide a complete BSA Health Form (Parts A & B) and notify the instructors regarding any medical or physical condition that may require an accommodation. If you have any questions regarding the course or your ability to participate in the course, please feel free to contact the instructors listed below.

It is suggested that you bring with you any supplies that you would normally have on hand for either a day hike or a backpacking trip. In addition, please bring clothing for the weather, toiletries (there will be showers available), tent, ground cloth, sleeping equipment, flashlight, bug spray, sunscreen, water bottle, snacks, medications, and a first aid kit.

Upon successful completion, of the WFA course, you will receive a Red Cross certificate indicating WFA which is valid for 2 years.

Contact Tim Dalton at (724) 537-0446 or (724)875-6729 with any questions about the course.

Registration: Pre-registration is required, we must have 8 participants to conduct the course.

Deadline is Friday, April18th by 5:00 p.m. Mail the attached reservation form with check to the Council Service Center. For more information call Jack Waite at 724-837-

1630 or email: jwaite@bsamail.org.

Greensburg, Pa. 15601

Wilderness and Remote First Aid Course Registration Form

Name	Phone	
Email	Unit #	Position
I will attend the Course on April 25-27,201	4. Please find enclosed my	y check for \$45.00.
Return to:		
Westmoreland Fayette Council		
2 Garden Center Drive		