

Event

Rock climbing training.

Logistics

Date: Friday April 17th – Sunday April 19th

Location: Camp Opemikon

Cost: \$50/person (includes food and accommodations). Cost set by the instructor (Christiaan Burchill).

Transportation is the responsibility of the parents.

Schedule

Drop-off at Opemikon: Friday 7:30pm

Pick-up at Opemikon: Sunday 4:00pm

Leaders & Adults Attending

Christiaan Burchill (instructor). He has confirmed a second adult will be present at all times (taking the course).

Qualifications

The instructor, Christiaan Burchill, is a qualified instructor with the Alpine Club of Canada and a Venturer leader in Ottawa. He has advanced first aid qualifications.

Sleeping Accommodations

Cabin: Clements Lodge

Activities

- Training throughout the weekend. Mostly skills based with some actual climbing.
- Merrickville climbing helmets and harnesses will be used. All other climbing equipment will be supplied by the instructor.
- All climbing equipment will be checked before use.

Risks

- *Minor injuries:* Treated with first aid kit.
- *Major injuries:* Evacuation and transport to hospital; alternatively a leader will be sent to fetch medical personal by returning to the parking area and driving to a telephone to summon paramedics.
- *Head injury:* Helmets will be mandatory on and near the cliff.
- *Falling:* Climbing harnesses and belaying will be mandatory on the cliff.

Attendance

- Two Venturers: Jennifer Gale and Alex McKay.

Food

- Catered by Camp Opemikon.

In Case of Emergency

- 911 address of the hut is 530 Hanna Road, Maberly.
- Cellular service is unknown.
- Two first aid kits will be on site.
- Closest hospital is in Perth, 33 Drummond Street West, (613) 267-1500.

