

Norwela Council, BSA - 2010 Philmont Crew

Join Us at Philmont in 2010

Norwela Council is sending a crew to Philmont Scout Ranch near Cimarron, New Mexico in June 2010. We will depart Shreveport on June 11th and return on June 27th. We will spend a total of 12 days at Philmont.

Get ready for high adventure backpacking through the mountains of northern New Mexico. We will carry everything we need through some of the most beautiful country you have ever seen. Expect to cross meadows and streams, to climb mountains above 10,000 feet, and to see magnificent sunsets and sunrises. You will be physically and mentally challenged as you experience the greatest adventure in Scouting.

Total cost of the trip is \$1350.00. Included, in addition to the Philmont fee, is hotel rooms, food, side trips, an extravaganza at the "Big Texan", and transportation to and from Philmont Scout Ranch. Participants will also receive a travel bag, class B polo shirts, t-shirts, and a cap.

Participants must be 14 years of age by September 1, 2010. Scouts may not have had their 18th birthday by the same date. All participants must be physically fit and able to endure a rigorous outdoor hiking and backpacking adventure.

The members of the crew have been selected from the first applicants. Scouts may apply as a stand-by and will be considered should someone drop out of the crew. Download the application from the Council website. Submit the completed application with a \$100.00 non-refundable deposit to the Council office. The deposit will be refunded to anyone not offered an opportunity to attend. For further information, contact John Brewer, contingent leader, at 318-932-6260 or Jim Babcock at 318-471-0533.

Join us for the adventure of a lifetime.

**“A bad day at Philmont is better
than a good day anywhere else.”**