

WINTER BUSHWHACK

SINCE 1984

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Dear Hiking Friend,

I would like to invite you and your hiking friends to hike the Annual Winter Bushwhack. Since 1984, friends of Boy Scout Troop 184 have been hiking the Winter Bushwhack at Clifton Gorge State Nature Preserve and John Bryan State Park. This hike is about ten miles long—hiking along a National Scenic River, the Little Miami River. The trail starts and ends at Clifton, Ohio, at the Jackson Street parking lot which is only one block from Clifton Mill. You may plan to hike the Bushwhack any time during the winter season.

Registration is due no later than September 30. Patches and ribbons will be sent to you as soon as they come in—usually about December 1st.

Trail regulations are as follows:

1. Observe all Preserve and Park regulations.
2. One or more adults for ten youth.
3. All hikers must stay together in their groups.
5. No fires on trail.
6. Stay off river ice!
7. No axes or sheath knives.
8. BSA tour permit needed.
9. Be courteous to other hikers.
10. No littering. (Litter project would be nice.)
11. Lunch should be at Picnic Area.

Things needed for hike:

1. Clothing for the season.
2. Maps and compass.
3. Water, food and trail snacks in pack.
4. First Aid Kit for each group.

CAMPING:

On Trail Camping:
BSA Camp Birch
Tecumseh Council
325 Thompson Ave.
Springfield, OH 45506
1-937-325-6449
Cabins and Tents

(Optional)

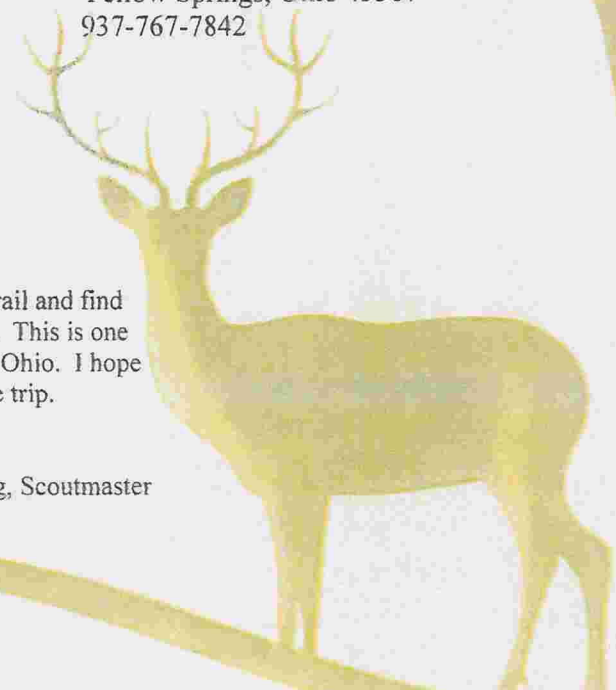
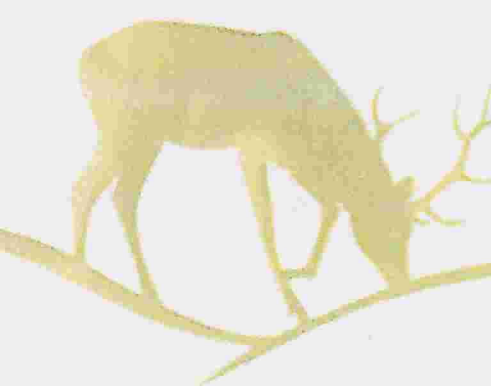
On Trail Camping:
John Bryan State Park
3790 SR 370
Yellow Springs, OH 45387
1-937-767-1274
Tent and Camper
Group Camp Area

EMERGENCY INFORMATION:

Miami Township Fire Rescue
225 Corry Street
Yellow Springs, Ohio 45387
937-767-7842

I think you will like the scenic trail and find it well worth the time to hike it. This is one of my favorite places to hike in Ohio. I hope you have a good time and a safe trip. Feel free to call me.

Sincerely,
Larry Young, Scoutmaster
Troop 184



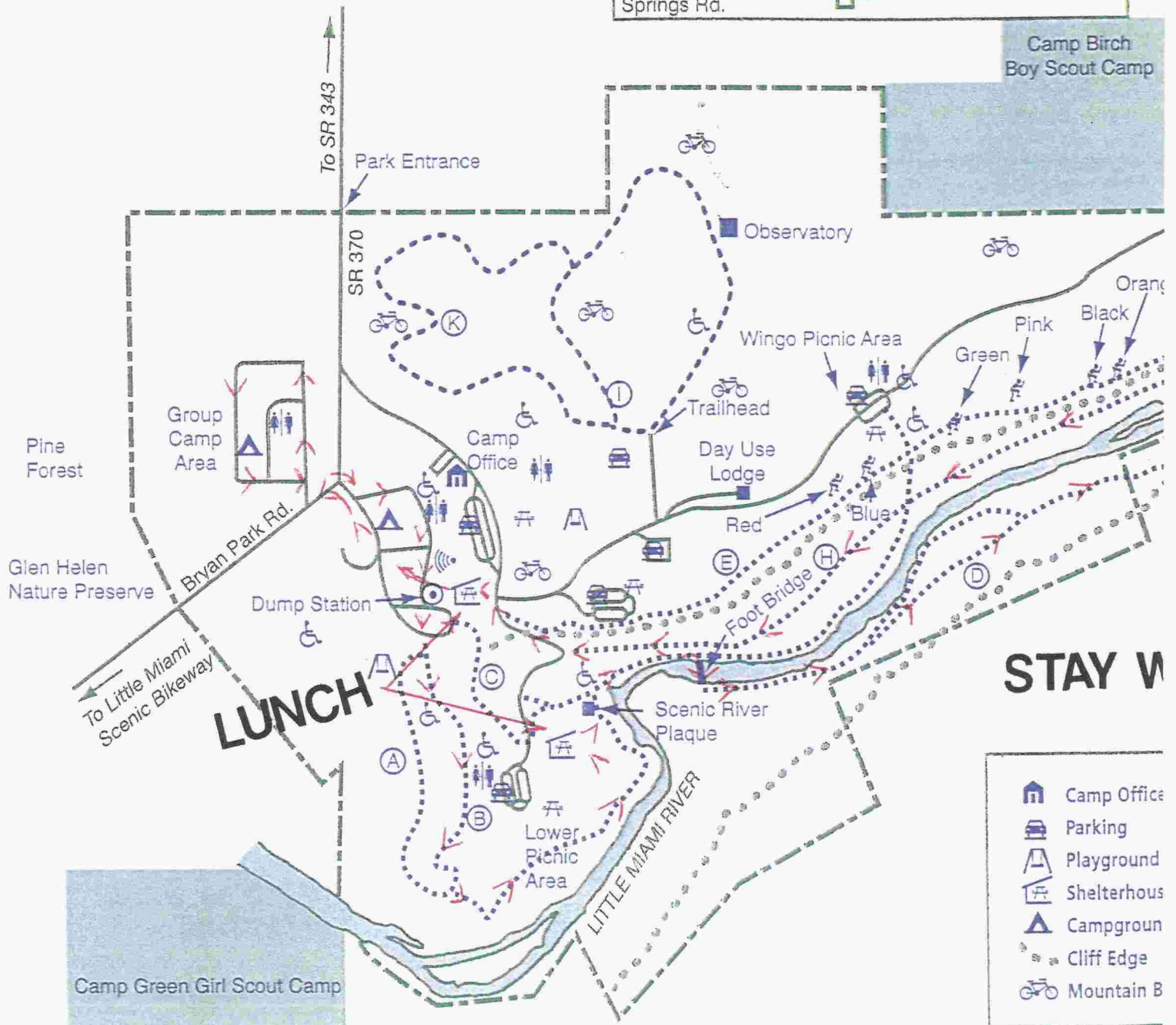
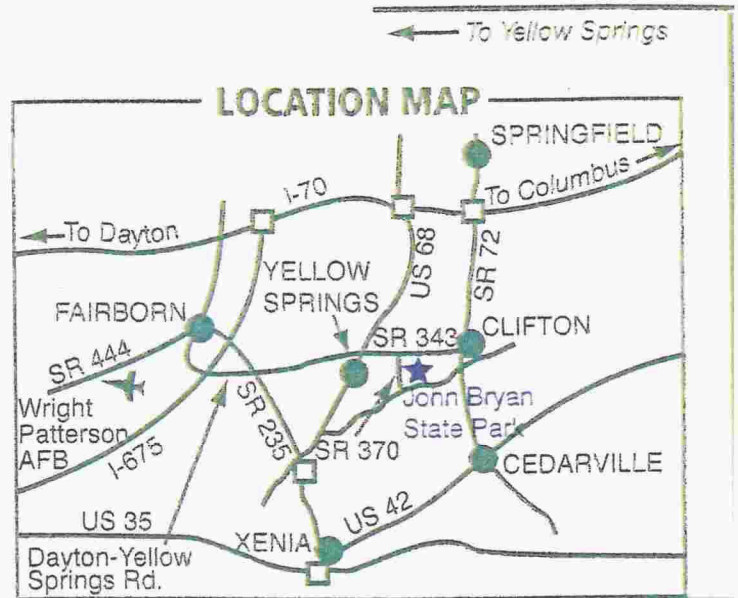
John Bryan State Park

3790 State Route 370
 Yellow Springs, Ohio 45387-9743

(937) 767-1274 - Park Office
 (937) 322-5284 - Buck Creek Park Office



TRAIL IS 10 MILES



WINTER BUSHWHACK TRAIL MAP



FOR YOUR GROUP

LEGEND

- Latrine
- Picnic Area
- Amphitheater
- Park Boundary
- Wheelchair Accessible
- Hiking Trail
- Multipurpose Trail

- Scientific Nature Preserve. Entrance with written permission only.
- Private Camp Area

TRAILS

- (A) Horace Mann - 0.2 mi.
- (B) Camp - 1 mi., ♿ 150 Yards
- (C) Poplar - 0.1 mi.
- (D) South Gorge - 1.2 mi.
- (E) North Rim - 2 mi.
- (F) John L. Rich - 1.3 mi.
- (G) Orton Memorial - 0.4 mi., ♿ 100 Yards
- (H) Pittsburgh-Cincinnati Stage Coach - 1.3 mi., ♿ 100 Yards
- (I) Arboretum Trail - 1.2 mi., ♿ entire length
- (J) Swimming Pool Road Trail - 0.2 mi., ♿ 75 Yards
- (K) Power Line Loop
- Rock Climbing Site
- Rappelling Site

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Winter Bushwhack Patch Order Form

Registration Due no later than September 30th

This is so we have time to order and receive the patches prior to December 1st which is usually when we ship the patches and ribbons. You can generally expect your shipment between December 1st and the 10th.

Troop, Pack, Crew or Post# _____

Other organization _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Number of Patches _____ X \$8.00 each

Total Cost Patches _____

Remit to: Larry Young Scoutmaster Troop 184
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Please remit payment with registration