

WILLISTOWN 78 WHITE WATER RAFTING TRIP

FRIDAY - SUNDAY, JUNE 12 – 14TH

What: Camping trip with whitewater rafting on the legendary Lower Yough in OhioPyle PA

We will be returning to the best whitewater on the East Coast, taking a 7.5 mile journey down the Lower Youghioghney River which contains Class III rapids. We will be on an escorted companion guided tour, meaning we will have professional guides with us leading the way and making sure we are safe. Lunch will be provided on the water (sandwich/wraps) so picky eaters or folks with extensive food restrictions should brown bag their own. Youth scouts on this trip must be at least 60" in height and weigh at least 95lbs. Adults on this trip should not be heavier than 300 lbs. Everyone on the trip must have a good swimming ability, if you do not meet these requirements this is not a trip you can attend. **You will get wet.** This is an intense experience, you will need to paddle often and hard. We will raft in the pouring rain if necessary. The Troop **will** engineer boat crews for safety and enjoyment. Finally, this is an exceptionally long bus ride. We will be setting up in the dark after midnight Friday night. We will stop for lunch on Sunday, bring money. There is no opportunity for driving yourself on this trip NOR turning in a slip in any form other than paper. Payment is due with the slips. There will be a follow-on electronic release from the outfitter that **MUST** be filled out prior with specific instructions. We do have limited space on this trip.

Cost: For Scouts (up to 18 years old):

\$48

For Adults:

\$110

ALL ADULTS AND SCOUTS MUST BE REGISTERED WITH THE TROOP

Departure: PLAN TO ARRIVE AT CABIN BY 6PM FRIDAY SO WE CAN LEAVE ON TIME!
WE CANNOT WAIT FOR LATE ARRIVALS!

Return: Sunday between 3 - 7:00 PM (Scouts will call when 30 minutes from cabin)

Transport: Bus for Scouts and leaders/accompanying fathers. Absolutely no exceptions.

How to sign up for the Rafting trip:

1. Contact your Patrol Leader or speak with your PL in person by 7:00 PM on May 22nd and let him know if you (and your father) will be attending. Please provide him with names of all attendees.
2. Drop off your completed Troop signup form, and payment to the Troop on or before May 31st by 4PM at the cabin. Please note this is Field Day.
3. Fill out the outfitters release form(s) using the URL below, prior to June 1st emailing your confirmation of this being done to Mr Campbell cac360@gmail.com when this is complete. We are the OhioPyle, Lower Yough (Class 3) Guided Trip, Saturday, June 13 @ 10:30am with **Reservation #32939. List Mr Duff as the leader. DO NOT ORDER A WETSUIT OR TOP**
<https://mono.wherewolf.co.nz/c67pkz>

4. **CHECKS ONLY – NO CASH! Make checks payable to “Willistown Troop 78.”**
5. Patrol Leaders – Send Mr. Campbell (cac360@gmail.com) and the SPL a list of your patrol’s attendees no later than Friday May 22.

QUESTIONS? CALL YOUR PATROL LEADER or Senior Patrol Leader

Individual Packing List

WHAT TO BRING:

Troop jacket and hat (if you have them)
Sleeping bag
Sleeping pad
Flashlight , headlamp to setup tent in the dark
Sunscreen
Lip balm
If you wear glasses you will absolutely need a strap for them
Jacket
Rain gear
Water shoes or old sneakers (must be closed toed, NO Crocks)
Quick dry pants and underwear suggested vs swim trunks
Quick dry T shirt and/or long sleeves shirt
FULL Change of clothes packed with real shoes and socks
Beach Towel, Shower Towel
Light Jacket/Sweatshirt
Water Bottle (Filled)
Day Pack
Toilet articles
DRINKING CUP
(no metal cups – cup should hold at least 8 oz.)
Spending money for Lunch on Sunday
Leave your uniform home

2026 Rafting Trip PERMISSION SLIP

Please complete and return this page per terms of handout.

Scout name

Patrol Name

Adult attendee name: _____

Emergency Contact E-mail address & phone number (not on this trip):

Allergies – please indicate any food allergies, dietary restrictions (for religious, medical or social reasons) or other relevant allergies (e.g., bee stings, etc.):

Attach Payment, Make checks payable to: “Willistown Troop 78”
\$48 for Scouts \$110 for Adults

I am the parent/legal guardian of the Scout named above, and my signature below constitutes my permission for my son to attend 2026 Willistown Troop 78 Rafting Trip. If my son (and/or I) does not attend the trip for any reason, I understand that \$145 will be deducted from his Scout account to reimburse the Troop for expenses incurred. I agree that my son will behave in a responsible manner while on this trip and follow ALL directions.

For adult attendees: my signature below is my agreement that my remitted **payment of \$110** will also be forfeited in the event, along with an additional payment of \$40, should I not attend the trip for any reason.

(parent signature or signature of adult attendee)

If I am signing for a Scout: I am the parent/legal guardian of the Scout named above, and my signature below constitutes my permission for my son to attend the 2026 Willistown Troop 78 Rafting Trip. My signature also authorizes any registered Willistown Troop 78 leader in attendance to obtain medical treatment for my son if, in the discretion of such registered leader, such treatment is warranted.

If I am an adult attendee: My signature below reflects my intent to attend, and I will notify the Troop promptly if my plans change. My signature also authorizes any registered Willistown Troop 78 leader in attendance to obtain medical treatment for me if, in the discretion of such registered leader, such treatment is warranted and I am not able to grant consent.

_____ Date of signature:
(parent signature, or signature of adult attendee)