



Where: Chicken Springs Lake, Golden Trout Wilderness

When: Leave: **Friday, May 22, at 6 pm from the Church**  
Return: **Sunday, May 24, arrive at the Church ~6:00 pm**

Prep meeting: Prep meeting will be held 5/11 during the Troop meeting. Scouts will plan for gear, food and review bear safety.

Parking: Cottonwood Pass Campground

Hike: 4 miles to camp

Who: All scouts and parents

Activities: Hiking, Photography, and orienteering

Notes: The trip cost is \$25 per person and covers all park fees and gas cost.

Join us to explore the northern portion of the Golden Trout Wilderness. The trail to Chicken Springs Lake takes us along the northern edge of Horseshoe Meadow where we're see amazing views of the Great Western Divide.

On Friday we will drive 4 hours and camp at Cottonwood Pass. Saturday we will we'll hike 4 miles to Chicken Springs Lake then setup camp, and explore. On Sunday we'll hike out and drive home.

All hikers will need to have a backpack to hold their clothes, sleeping bag & pad, food, stove, 10 essentials, etc. Hiking poles are highly recommended. Patrols will distribute tents among themselves. There are available water sources in the backpacking area. Bear bags/canisters will be used for food storage. The expected temperature range is 60-35 degrees.

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