Wilderness Weekends in Western New York Patch

Requirements

- Must complete twenty five (25) outings from the Wilderness Weekends in WNY book, or other ADK led outings as posted in the monthly newsletter or on the club web-calendar.
- Must lead or co-lead at least one outing
- Candidates will maintain their own log detailing the outing, date and category and submit the completed log to the chapter treasurer
- All outings must be completed after 1/1/2013

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: May I complete outings in the same park?
A: You may complete up to two (2) outings in the same park but they must be different trails.

Q: May I count an outing that is not an official outing (such as one on my own)?
A: Yes, as long as it from the Wilderness Weekends in Western New York or a previous outing listed on our website.

Q: Does the outing have to be a certain distance or last a certain time?
A: There is no restriction on time or distance.

Q: To satisfy the leadership requirement, may I lead an impromptu gathering of friends/family and count that as leading an outing?
A: No. All ADK-NFC outings must be publicized in the chapter newsletter and posted on the chapter website, as per club insurance regulations to meet the requirements for earning the patch.

Q: Is there a charge for the patch?
A: There is no charge for ADK members. Non-members will be required to pay for the patch.

Q: Will someone be monitoring the progress of candidates?
A: No, but you may, on a voluntary basis, submit progress reports when you reach 10 and 20 outings. These will be announced in the chapter newsletter and on the chapter website. We encourage candidates to have their progress announced as we hope this will encourage others in their pursuit of the patch. Progress reports are to be submitted to the Treasurer.