BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA®
BALTIMORE AREA COUNCIL

Leave No Trace Master Educator Course

April 12 (7 pm)-14 (2 pm) & May 2 (7 pm) -5 (2 pm), 2013

Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation

"The Boy Scouts of America has adopted the principles of Leave No Trace, which are easy to learn and apply. Every outing and activity should be conducted with Leave No Trace in mind. As young people mature, we will enjoy an increasingly beautiful environment because of the impact of their training in Leave No Trace. As members of the Boy Scouts of America, we should be good stewards of our environment through knowledgeable use of resources. ... We all must take responsibility for our decisions when we use the outdoors, and we should treat the environment with respect so future generations can enjoy the outdoors as we do today." - *Teaching Leave No Trace* (BSA No. 21-117)

This five-day, five-night course trains interested individuals ages 18 and up to serve as Leave No Trace Master Educators. Master Educators work with their council's Outdoor Ethics Advocates to provide Leave No Trace Trainer, BSA Leave No Trace 101 and outdoor ethics awareness courses. Each BSA Master Educator course is taught by a set of nationally-designated Master Educator Instructors, so your Master Educator standing is recognized nationally the Leave No Trace Center for Outdoor Ethics.

- *Prerequisite:* Leave No Trace Trainer *or* approval from Council Outdoor Ethics Advocate
- *Instructed by:* Nationally-designateded Leave No Trace Master Educator Instructors
- *Participants receive:* Leave No Trace Master Educator card from BSA, *BSA Leave No Trace Trainer Course Manual*, *Leave No Trace 101 Course Guide*, Leave No Trace Master Educator certificate from the BSA and the Leave No Trace Center for Outdoor Ethics, and National Park Service *Leave No Trace* DVD courtesy of the National Park Service.

Cost $ 250—Includes meals for both weekends, educational materials, LNT The Center for Outdoor Ethics Membership Fee. **Attendance at both weekends is required.**

Registration deadline for the course is April 1, 2013.

Campsite location, equipment list and other course details will be emailed out to all participants on April 1, 2013.

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