

# Sid Richardson Scout Ranch Trail Project



Do a weekend service project on the SR2 Trail.

- Build a Section of Trail.
- Learn Trail Building Techniques,
- Trail Conservation,
- Erosion Prevention Techniques.



Sid Richardson Scout Ranch is building a new 30 mile trail system for mountain biking, hiking, and backpacking. The trail runs along the steep hillsides and valleys by the lake and through forests and fields on the plateau. Troops and Crews are invited to volunteer for a trail building service project weekend. A Trail Steward will teach trail building techniques, conservation, and erosion prevention, and provide tools, supervision, and assistance to build a new section of trail.

The volunteer Trail Stewards are experienced in trail planning and construction, and were trained by the Subaru/Bike Texas Trail Doctors and the International Mountain Bike Association. Sid Richardson Scout Ranch hosts a professional trail building conference at Lakeview Lodge each year. The 2010 Trail Building Conference is Feb. 19-20.

Units that perform a full day of trail building service on the mountain bike and hiking trail project will earn Philmont Points for a **Philmont Council Contingent Trek** and **Certificates** for use of camp equipment and canoes. Any help your unit can provide is greatly appreciated! Consider scheduling a weekend in the next 12 months to help complete the trail.

**Trail Tools & Equipment:** Supplied by the camp and the Trail Steward.

**Trail Building Techniques:** Taught by the Trail Steward or Ranger Brian Holt.

**Project Hours:** All day Saturday (we can do parts of Sunday if you prefer).

**What to Bring:** Work clothes & work gloves for all, meals for the weekend, snacks, lots of water, all your normal troop camping gear.

**What You Get:** Boat and equipment certificates for weekend camping, Philmont Council Contingent Points, trail building knowledge & experience, service hours for your Scouts, and a new trail system.

## For Scheduling and General Info:

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**Schedule a Trail Building Weekend:** Unit: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_

Unit Leader: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone H: \_\_\_\_\_ W: \_\_\_\_\_ C: \_\_\_\_\_

Email (s) - please print: \_\_\_\_\_

## Choose a Weekend:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sept. 26 | <input type="checkbox"/> Oct. 31 | <input type="checkbox"/> Dec. 19 | <input type="checkbox"/> Jan. Feb | <input type="checkbox"/> Mar. 20 | <input type="checkbox"/> May 1   |
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