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Preservation, Restoration, Education and Recreation

Dear Program Participant,

Thank you for signing up to attend our Mammal Study Merit Badge program scheduled **9:00 am – 12:00 pm Saturday, January 6, 2018**. We look forward to working with you to complete your badge. The program will take place at the Ryerson Woods Classroom Cabins. Please park in the Welcome Center parking lot and walk to the cabins. This is a drop off program and no need for adults to stay but, it is advisable to accompany the scout to the cabins to confirm details of the program.

Requirements **1 and 5** can be completed **in advance** to assure your completion on the day of the program. See our program website to download the correct workbook for this badge. They will also be provided at the program as well. Number 5 can be a restoration project with any environmental group or with the Forest Preserve. In addition to how it will influence mammals, please include what project you worked on and the date. See this link for <u>preserve opportunities</u>.

Please bring the following on the day of the program:

- Your Blue Card, signed by your unit leader
- A snack and water bottle
 - Signed forms <u>Waiver and Release</u> Emergency Contact & Health Form
- We do plan to spend time outdoors, so please dress for the weather.

We look forward to meeting you and helping you complete your badge. If you have any questions, please contact Jill Stites at <u>jstites@lcfpd.org</u> or 847-968-3323.

Thank you,

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Jill Stites Environmental Educator II Lake County Forest Preserves