

# **2021 Philmont Expedition**

## **Travel Itinerary**

### **Monday, July 5, 2021:**

- **4:00 a.m.** – Check in with Southwest Airlines at Greater Pittsburgh Airport
- At your option, you may wish to purchase some food at Greater Pittsburgh Airport, after clearing security, to take on plane.
- **6:00 a.m.** - Southwest Airlines flight WN1834 – Pittsburgh to Denver
- **7:15 a.m.** - Meet Blue Sky Adventures bus at Denver International airport – Bag lunch will be available on the bus
- Self-guided tour of U. S. Air Force Academy Visitor Center, Chapel, Parade Ground
- Driving tour of Garden of the Gods
- Overnight at Great Wolf Lodge, Colorado Springs – Pool, arcade, mini-golf, bowling alley, climbing wall and ropes course available for use.
- Dinner at lodge – All you can eat buffet.

### **Tuesday, July 6, 2021:**

- Rise and Shine
- Breakfast at Great Wolf Lodge
- Bus Colorado Springs to Philmont
- **10:00 a.m.** – Arrive at Philmont Base Camp
- All meals provided by Philmont through breakfast on Friday, June 26
- Medical re-checks, Itinerary Planning, Equipment Issue - Worship Services - Opening Campfire
- Overnight at Base Camp

### **Wednesday, July 7 to Saturday, July 17, 2021:**

- Depart Wednesday for your starting camp
- In the Philmont back country 7/7-7/17
- Return to Philmont Base Camp on Saturday, July 17
- Turn in equipment – Get cleaned up!
- Worship Services - Closing Campfire
- Overnight at Base Camp

### **Sunday, July 18, 2021:**

- **7:30 a.m.** - Depart Philmont – Travel to Denver
- Lunch stop along the way.
- **3:00 p.m.** – Arrive at Denver International Airport
- Snack supper at Denver airport
- **6:15 p.m.** – Southwest Airlines flight WN1849 - Denver to Pittsburgh
- **11:20 p.m.** – Arrive back at Greater Pittsburgh Airport

### **Notes:**

1. All times and destinations shown are subject to change, based on group size, availability, and schedule constraints.
2. Full class ‘A’ Uniforms are required during all airline travel, in restaurants, at the Airforce Academy and for your arrival at Philmont. A class ‘A’ uniform is defined as Scout Shirt, Scout pants or shorts, and hiking boots. Baseball caps are not part of the official uniform. No hats will be permitted in restaurants. Wear your hiking boots until the group reaches Colorado Springs.