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Special Scout Merit Badge Program on Salt River

Arizona - Mild to Wild Rafting and Jeep Trail Tours is excited to announce a special Whitewater Merit Badge program for scouts on the Upper Salt River. The course, which takes place on intermediate whitewater, will cover requirements 4 through 13 of the Boy Scouts of America Whitewater Merit Badge.

"We are excited to welcome scouts from across Arizona and the nation to join in this opportunity to earn their whitewater merit badge in such a unique and beautiful river canyon," said Alex Mickel, owner of Mild to Wild Rafting. "The Upper Salt River, often referred to as 'Arizona's Best Kept Secret,' has always been a special place for us at Mild to Wild, and we want to share it with young, driven people such as scouts."

The Upper Salt River offers an intermediate whitewater trip with Class I, II and III rapids. The scout trip special will offer a camp out beginning the evening of Friday, March 29th with a one day rafting and training trip on Saturday, March 30th. Scouts can also do the one day of rafting without camping the evening prior.

While the course covers requirements 4 through 13, scouts are asked to accomplish additional requirements with the scout leader prior to the trip. Girl scouts are also encouraged to sign up for the course. Although there is not a specific whitewater rafting badge for girl scouts, this course will help achieve requirements for other adventure and water related badges.

Mild to Wild Rafting and Jeep Trail Tours, Inc. offers the biggest selection of whitewater rafting and jeep trail tours in Southwest Colorado, Eastern Utah and Central Arizona. With over 16,000 "absolutely delighted" customers annually, discover how Mild to Wild has earned the highest number of repeat customers and referrals on a mild, intermediate or wild adventure, from two hours to four days, for ages 4 to 84.

Mild to Wild is currently taking reservations for this special trip departure. Any scouts interested in reserving seats or receiving information should call 970-247-4789 or email info@Mild2WildRafting.com.

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