



Chief Pontiac Trail

Great Lakes Council, Boy Scouts of America



Credential Hike Report Requirements

Documentation after your hike

Each Hiker must submit two copies of a report of at least 250 words on their trek experience, sketch a map of the route taken and return the tri folded “Credential Map” you were given before the hike.

Hints – Formatting directions are in (xxx) if you’re using Word software.

Trek number can be found on the tri folded “Credential Map”

You can use the “Credential Map” as a guide to help draw your map.

The Report:

Header info on EVERY page (View, header footer)

Scout or Scouter’s Name

Trek Number & Trek Type (Hike/Canoe/Winter)

Troop/Crew/Lodge and Number

Council and District Name

Age on the date of trek step off (both youth & adult)

Rank or Adult Position within the Troop/Crew/Post

Chief Pontiac Trail Credential Serial Number, if previously assigned.

The Body

250 words minimum (use word count, tools, word count)

The Bottom

Your signature

Page numbers on every page

Return the tri folded “Credential Map” you were given before the hike.

Open it up, *date and sign* in the space provided at the bottom left corner.

Your Map

Maps Sketch Minimums (wildlife sightings; “lost here”, etc - encouraged)

Map Sketch Criteria that must be hand drawn (not a Xerox copy of CPT Map). A GPS overlay

recorded by the author is acceptable also. The map must resemble your hike, not a straight line!

Minimum requirements

8 ½ x 11 paper only

North direction arrowhead or a 4 point compass symbol.

Major roads and railroad crossing in the area:

East –West Roads: M-59 (Highland Rd.); I-96; Sleeth

North South Roads: Duck Lake; Milford Rd. Wixom Rd.

CSX Railroad tracks through Proud Lake, west of Wixom

Trailheads; Overnight Camp Sites; Dams; Water & Hike trek path.

Header info that is the same as your report. (print an extra blank page and use it for the map)

Your signature