## REU-Whitewater Rafting Trip Saturday, July 27, 2013

INTERESTED? To secure a place,
PAYMENT of \$20\* must be made by
Wednesday, JULY 10. Please give cash or
check (payable to Lehigh University) to Sarah
(Rm 120) or Bill (Rm 116) in Sinclair Lab.





Based on interest, we have reserved ~30 places. After this date any places not secured by a payment will be canceled.

Please read the information below before committing:

**Rafting Details:** Jim Thorpe Rafting: www.jtraft.com

We will be spending approx. 4-5 hours on the water.

There will be a safety / instructional briefing before we set out and a stop for lunch. You will have to PADDLE / NAVIGATE the RIVER & you're guaranteed to set SOAKED!! (bring any water "blasters or launchers" or small bucket / container so you can collect



water and throw at the other rafters...they sell them there but they are expensive)



There will be 6 to a raft – **there will be NO guide in the raft with you**. However, there will be a guide leader, and approx. 3 other instructors in kayaks (one in front, 2 at the sides and one at the back) to ensure you navigate the river correctly. This is damn release weekend – so river water levels should be good, and we'll be rafting over 12.8 miles over a series of class II-III rapids along the Lehigh River. This trip will go ahead come rain or shine!

More information on the trip and what to take will be sent nearer the time. Tentative arrangements for day of trip: meet in parking Lot in front of Delta GAMMA (REU housing) 9:45am (returning after 7pm). BRING bagged lunch and snacks.

Car pooling: to be determined

<sup>\*</sup>This is the total cost to REU participants.