



## EVERETT GRAPHICS INC.

Manufacturers of Quality Packaging

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Re: Pioneer Mountain Outfitters

To Whom It May Concern:

If you are considering any kind of trip into the White Cloud Mountains out of Stanley, Idaho, you must use Pioneer Mountain Outfitters. Headed up by Devan Jackson, they are extremely well organized group and very cordial as well. I can guarantee you will have a sensational time.

For the last 25 years our group has been taking a camping trip. We never go to the same place twice and always we have stayed in Northern California which is close to home for the 20 or so guys who usually attend. For our 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary trip we decided to venture out of state and we selected the Sawtooth Mountains area for our destination.

The next step was selecting an outfitter. Over the years we have had a lot of different people handle our trip, some good and some bad. We went to the Outfitter's Association to find a list of licensed and bonded packers and from there we picked Pioneer to car of our trip. It was a decision we never regretted as they turned out to be the best outfitters we ever had.

You have to understand that our group, as Devan can attest, is rather special. We can be very demanding and expect only the best. Pioneer came through in spades. The food was outstanding, with many of the dishes being cooked in Dutch Ovens, and no one was left wanting. The meals were always timely, no mean feat for 20 hungry men, and the variety was unbelievable. Virtually, anything we wanted was there for us.

Furthermore, if you have never been to the White Cloud Mountains you are in for a treat. Pioneer has several base camps, which are ideal for exploring the surrounding area. We camped at Champion Lakes. The hike in was a relatively easy 9 miles with a very mild grade. Once we were situated we took several day hikes, both long and short, to the adjacent lakes. It was, without a doubt, one of the most scenic sites we have ever seen. The camp had a great cook tent, a privy with an outstanding view, and a perfect fire pit.

As you can tell, we were ecstatic with Pioneer Mountain Outfitters. After experiencing many different packers I can say without hesitation they were the best we ever had. I can't wait to take another trip with Devan and his crew.

Sincerely,

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