

Students visit Lincoln Caverns

The Science Olympiad students from North Pocono High School enjoyed a visit to LINCOLN CAVERNS, near Huntingdon, on Thursday, April 25, 2013. The highlight of the day was Lincoln Caverns and Whisper Rocks. Touring winding passageways and splendid rooms, the participants heard the interesting history of the discovery of the caverns and viewed the widest variety of speleothems,

or cave formations, in Pennsylvania. A visit to the gift shop and 'picnic-style lunch' were enjoyed by all. Prior to the interpretive tours, Alisha Hawn, a member of Lincoln Caverns' staff presented the pre-tour program, 'An Introduction to Speleology'. During the presentation students learned about caves and cave life and were given the opportunity to get a closer look at some speleothems. Each

participant received information packets about caves and cave conservation. Lincoln Caverns' educational programs are now in their thirty-second year. The 2013 season at Lincoln Caverns features badge programs for all ages of girl scouts, boy scouts, and youth groups. Programs are offered year round in Lincoln Caverns' indoor educational facility. Overnight facilities for Boy Scouts

and Girl Scouts include indoor lodging and primitive camping. Group leaders who would like more information about our youth programs and Lincoln Caverns' other educational offerings are invited to call 814-643-0268, write to Lincoln Caverns, Inc., 7703 William Penn Hwy, Huntingdon, PA 16652, or visit our website at www.lincolncaverns.com for more information.