

The Buckeye District Tool Time Camporee

Bulletin #1

Boy Scouts & 5th Grade Webelos

When: Friday, October 15 through Sunday, October 17, 2010.

Where: The Tool Time Camporee will take place at Chief Logan Scout Reservation. Directions and map are available on the Council web site. Allow 90 minutes travel time from Columbus.

Who: Scout troops, Venture Crews, and 5th Grade Webelos Dens of Buckeye District are invited to attend. Webelos Dens must come as guests of a Boy Scout Troop and participate with boy lead Scout Patrols.

Please note that BSA National Scouting rules require that all Troops, Crews, and Dens must have two-deep adult (over 21) leadership.

Registration: Units should plan to arrive on Friday night to avoid missing out on the program on Saturday morning.

The camporee fee will be \$12.00 for all Scouts, Crew members, and Scouters. This covers all activities, a patch and eye protection for each participant and a ribbon for each unit.

Those arriving on Saturday should check in before 8:30 to participate in the event.

The Council now requires that preregistration and payment be made through DoubleKnot. There will be a registration link from the Camporee section of the District web site to the DoubleKnot reservation system. Registration must be made by Troop, Crew, or Webelos Den.

A Local Tour Permit will need to be filed with the Scout Service Center before you leave.

As usual, we will need adult and older Scout volunteers to help with the staffing for the program activities. Please plan to identify adults and older Scouts who will be helping at registration.

Camping and Parking: All vehicles must be parked in the parking lot. Most campsites are within a quarter mile of the parking lot. Troop and Den gear (not personal gear) will be transported. Provision will be made to take trailers near their campsites.

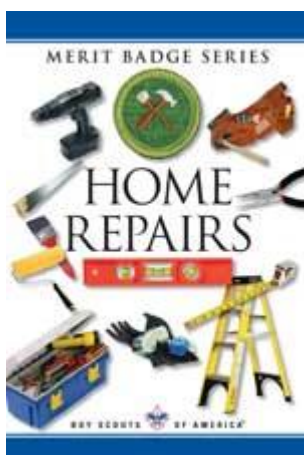
Units should plan to use stoves for cooking. Leave-no trace ground fires are permitted. Fire wood is available for collecting in the woods. Gasoline stoves and lanterns, under the supervision of an adult, are allowed. The Council rules must be followed. Extra fuel must be locked up.

Water and latrines are available near the campsites. Garbage may be left in the dumpster.

For reasons of safety, straight blade sheath or hunting knives and double-bit axes will not be permitted.

As always, the Scout Oath and Law should guide our conduct. All Scouts should remain in their own camp area after taps and until reveille.

First Aid & Emergencies: First Aid support will be available in the Headquarters area. Troop and Den Leaders should have medical release/history for each Scout and Webelos.



Crackerbarrel: Each Unit should be represented at the Friday evening Crackerbarrel to get final instructions and changes and to have any program questions answered. Troop, Crew, and Webelos Den adult leaders and one or two Boy Scout leaders should attend.

Immediately following the Crackerbarrel, the program staff will have a short meeting to handle last minute details. Unit adults and older Scouts who are helping with the program should attend.

Program: Patrols will rotate through four activity areas. In each area there will be a number of building trade activities to choose from. In addition, there will be a Service Project area. We are looking at the following activities:

- Carpentry (Nail Driving, Sawing, Drilling, Drywall, Picture Hanging)
- Plumbing (Sink Trap, Soldering, Plastic Pipe, Toilet Repair)
- Electrical (Install Outlet, Safety, Fix Cord)
- Masonry (Concrete Work, Brick Laying, Digging)
- Painting
- Green Construction
- Traditional Tools
- Roofing & Gutters

Equipment: Scouts and Webelos should wear boots and work clothes suitable for the weather while trying to mimic their favorite Tool Time character. Each Scout and Webelos should have:

- Hammer
- Tape Measure
- Gloves
- Pencil & Paper
- Nail Apron, Tool Belt, or Day Pack to hold tools

Eye protection will be provided for all participants. Other equipment will be provided as needed.

Leave-No-Trace & Checkout: Each Unit must check out with the Leave-No-Trace committee before leaving the camporee.

When your campsite has been completely cleaned and all equipment removed, send the Senior Patrol Leader to request final inspection. (Details at Saturday night's Crackerbarrel.)

Patches and ribbons will be distributed after the Leave-No-Trace checkout.

Units that must leave early must make arrangements with the Camporee Chairman before leaving.

Questions:

Jay Fletcher, 614-766-9024, Camporee Chairman
Tom Pauling, 614-538-0234, Activities Chairman

Tentative Schedule:

Friday, October 15, 2010

7:00 pm Registration Opens
9:30 pm Registration Closes
10:00 pm Crackerbarrel (Adult & Jr Leader)
11:00 pm Taps, all Scouts in Unit Areas

Saturday, October 16, 2010

6:30 am Reveille & Breakfast
7:30 am Registration Opens
8:30 am Registration Closes
8:45 am Opening Ceremony
9:00 am Events Start
12:00 pm Lunch
1:00 pm Events Continue
4:00 pm Events End
6:00 pm Supper
8:30 pm Evening Program
- Informal Scout and Adult Crackerbarrels
11:00 pm Taps, all Scouts in Unit Areas

Sunday, October 17, 2010

7:00 am Reveille & Breakfast
9:00 am Worship Service
9:30 am Leave No Trace
12:00 pm Camporee Ends

Unit Leader Notes: Fifth grade Webelos Dens must come as the guest of a Scout Troop.

Troop Leaders: Please invite fifth grade Webelos Dens to join you at the Camporee.

Den Leaders: If you have trouble finding a Troop to go with, please contact Tom or Jay for help.

Patrols can return to their campsite for lunch.

This program will require a large staff. Please plan to provide one or more adults and older scouts help the District staff with the program. Please identify them at registration. This provides a great opportunity for your older Scouts to participate in the program and be recognized.

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