

# The Mafeking Cadets

## SIEGE OF MAFEKING

Colonial District Fall Scout  
Camporee

Gunston Hall, Lorton, VA

October 18-20, 2019

Register at [www.scoutingevent.com/082-Fall2019](http://www.scoutingevent.com/082-Fall2019)

## 1 CAMPOREE PROGRAM

### 1.1 Overview

The Scouting Method provides the overall guidance for the Colonial District's approach to the Camporee program. In all instances the emphasis will be on youth leading and teaching others as the Scouts participate in this exciting Camporee Program.

The purpose of this Camporee is to provide a safe, fun-filled activity for the youth members of the Colonial District. The theme for this Camporee is The Mafeking Cadets the Siege of Mafeking. The Program focuses on the Cadets and the civic duties they performed and not on the Military Siege.

To better understand the Camporee Program here is a brief history of the Siege and the role the Cadets played in assisting Commander Baden Powell.

### 1.2 Mafeking Cadets History

The **Mafeking Cadet Corps** was a group of boy cadets formed by Lord Edward Cecil shortly before the 217 day Siege of Mafeking in South Africa during the Second Boer War in 1899-1900. Cecil, the son of the British prime minister, was the staff officer and second-in-command of the garrison under Baden Powell. The cadets consisted of volunteer boys below fighting age and were used to

support the troops. Their duties included carrying messages, and to help in the hospital among other duties. This freed up men for military duties, and kept the boys occupied.

The cadets were given khaki uniforms, a wide-brimmed hat which they wore with one side turned up and a Glengarry cap. The towns people often commented on their smartness. 13-year-old Sergeant-Major Warner Goodyear was their leader.<sup>[4]</sup>

The Mafeking Cadets are claimed to be one of the inspirations for the Boy Scouts

One of the cadets' duties was to carry messages around the town and to outlying forts, sometimes as much as a mile away across open ground. At first they used donkeys, but as the siege ran on, food became scarce and the donkeys were killed and eaten. From then on, the cadets used bicycles instead.

Another important duty was to act as lookouts, mainly to warn the townspeople when the Boer siege guns were aimed and fired at different parts of the town.

The town produced its own postage stamps, known as "Mafeking Blues", for postage during the siege. One set depicted the cadet leader Warner Goodyear seated on a bicycle. The Mafeking stamps were

unusual among the stamps of the British Empire at that time, because they did not depict the monarch.

Frankie Brown, a 9-year-old boy, was killed by a shell during the siege, and is sometimes claimed as a cadet casualty, although it is unlikely that he was a cadet. The youngest cadets on the nominal roll were aged 11.

At the end of the siege, 24 cadets were awarded the Defense of Mafeking bar to the Queen's South Africa Medal.

Robert Baden-Powell was the British commander during the siege of Mafeking. He was impressed by the cadets and wrote of them in the opening pages of his 1908 book, *Scouting for Boys*. Baden-Powell related the following conversation with one of the cadets: *I said to one of these boys on one occasion, when he came in through rather a heavy fire: 'You will get hit one of these days riding about like that when shells are flying'. And he replied 'I pedal so quick, Sir, they'd never catch me'.*

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### 1.3 Six Major Components

There will be seven major components to this Fall's Camporee:

1. Youth Led Skills Competitions
2. OA Brotherhood Walk
3. Campfire Program
4. Membership Promotion via Webelos Den Diner Invitation
5. Adult Training (SST) Opportunity
6. Chairman's Award
7. JOTA Jamboree on the Air (Crew 80)

Webelos Program: The Colonial District 2<sup>nd</sup> year Webelos Arrow of Light Scouts are invited to visit the camporee on Saturday starting at 1:00PM. The Webelos will be conducting their Webelos Ree at Gunston the same weekend. They are also encourage to visit the Troops. The Troops are encouraged to invite a Webelos Den to diner Saturday evening. The Webelos are also invited to attend the Saturday evening campfire.

### 1.4 Chairman's Award

The District Chairman will present the Chairman's Award streamer at the closing ceremony to the most outstanding troop at the Camporee. The Chairman will make the selection based on an overall qualitative assessment of spirit, conduct, uniform appearance, prospective new members attending with the unit and other factors, and the score the unit receives on its Commissioner's Inspection. Details of the award are explained in paragraphs 3.9.

### 1.5 Program

The program for Saturday morning and afternoon will consist of Patrol/Troop Mafeking Cadet focused challenges and activities.

The challenges and activities will include:

- a. Signaling/Semaphore
- b. Encrypting
- c. Observing and Mapping
- d. Field Measuring
- e. Way Finding
- f. First Aid
- g. Mail Bag Cycle Challenge
- h. Patrol Team Challenges.

### The winning Patrols will receive the Defense of Mafeking bar to pin to their Camporee Patch

There will also be a Gateway Competition.

#### Gateway Competition:

Now is the time to rethink your Troop's Camporee Gateway. The Gateway competition for this camporee has a Historical Theme Element. Each gateway must be the Scouts vision of the Gateway that may have welcomed folks to the Village of Mafeking in 1899.

#### Campfire:

The Saturday night Program will be the Camporee Campfire. Each troop should come prepared with their favorite skit. Skits with Historical Scouting Theme will get priority.

### 1.6 Religious Services

A non-denominational Scouts own Religious service will take place Sunday Morning and will start at 8:15 AM; it will be immediately followed by the closing ceremony.

## 1.7 Order of the Arrow Activities

Friday night: There will be an OA Chapter meeting at the headquarters area before the leaders' meeting at 9:00 PM. All OA members are welcome to attend. Cracker barrel will be served — this is a great opportunity to meet the Chapter officers and share in some evening fellowship.

Saturday night, the Order of the Arrow will host the campfire program.

## 1.8 When and Where

The Fall Camporee will be held at Gunston Hall, Gunston Rd, Lorton, VA.

Units should plan on arriving between 5:00 p.m. and 8:30 p.m October 18<sup>th</sup> and departing by 11:00 a.m. on Sunday the 20<sup>th</sup>. After checking in your unit you will be directed to your site by a Unit commissioner for your district service Area. **Please do not just plop and drop in the closest camping area.** Parking is at a premium and limited; four 4 spaces will be allocated to each unit. See section 2.2 for further information on parking. There will be a designated trailer parking area.

## 1.9 Leaders Meeting

The leaders' meeting begins at 10:00 p.m Friday, a Unit Adult Leader and the Unit SPL are required to be in attendance. The meeting will be at the Camporee HQ Tent.

## 1.10 Registration & Fees

Fees include the ground fee, Scout insurance, a camporee patch, as well as Camporee supplies and materials. Registration and payments can only be made on line at <https://scoutingevent.com/082-Fall2019> cout/Scouter

## 1.11 Troop Prep-work

In order to take full advantage of what this Camporee has to offer, Troops should research the fundamentals for the various program activities especially semaphore and signaling.

## 1.12 Camporee Leadership

Principal Camporee staff members are listed below. You can reach them during the evening hours at the email listed.

Camporee Program Director	Paul MacDonald	pem@balameta.com
Camporee Logistic and Support Coordinator	Keith Gray	Colonialscouting@gmail.com
Camporee Commissioner	Sasha Loftin	sashinka1@gmail.com
Camporee Campfire	OA Vincent Kiernen	kiernan@nasw.org
Webelos Ree Program Director	Joe Pallone	joepallone@verizon.net
Order of the Arrow	Vincent Kiernen	kiernan@nasw.org
Quartermaster Staff Mess	Dominick Caridi	dscscouting@aol.com
Health & Safety	Mike Martin	202-669-0885
Administration	Linda Hobbs	

## 2 GENERAL CAMPOREE INFORMATION

### 2.1 CHANGES and CANCELLATIONS

The Camporee Program Director is the only individual authorized to change or cancel a scheduled activity or event. Any necessary changes will be made at the earliest possible time and posted in writing at Camporee Headquarters.

### 2.2 Traffic Control And Parking

All Camporee participants will be expected to follow the traffic and parking rules in effect at all times and follow directions from Camporee parking officials. There will be NO PARKING at or near the campsites. Units will unload their gear in the parking/staging area and carry to the campsites.

Troops must carpool as much as possible and to arrange to have as few cars as possible remain at the Camporee site. No cars will be allowed in the camping areas. All cars remaining at the Camporee may park only in designated areas.

In order to avoid problems, Scouters that arrive early must move their cars to the designated parking area as soon as possible in order to avoid later arrivals having to wait. **Remember, a Scout is Courteous.** *If everyone remembers this, no matter what the weather does, we will have no parking problems!*

## 2.3 Two Deep Leadership and Youth Protection

To reiterate BSA policy: "Two registered adult leaders, or one adult and a parent of a participating Scout, one of whom must be at least 21 years of age or older, are required for all trips or outings. There are a few instances, such as patrol activities, when no adult leadership is required. Coed overnight activities require male and female adult leaders." Also: "When staying in tents, no youth will stay in the tent of an adult other than his or her parent or guardian." The unit leader is responsible for enforcing these policies in the unit. Questions or concerns should be directed to the Camporee Program Director, Health and Safety Chair, or the District Executive.

## 2.4 Camping

All unit campsites are located in the designated field for the camporee at Gunston Hall. There will be plenty of space but consider bringing just the essentials needed for your unit..

## 2.5 Camporee Food Service

Units are responsible for bringing their own food and the necessary means of preparing it. You will need food for Friday (or eat before you arrive), three meals Saturday and Sunday breakfast. Please observe BSA Leave No Trace guidelines. **Ground fires are prohibited.**

## 2.6 Parental Authorization

A Personal Permission Form will be required for each Scout in attendance (sample attached). This form must be maintained at the unit campsite and accessible to the unit adult leaders at all times.

## 2.7 Emergency Contact

Units should have access to a cellular phone to be used as a primary contact for members of their unit. If a medical emergency arises requiring medical attention the Camporee Health and Safety Chair must be notified of the emergency. Number will be provided at Registration. Call 911 if emergency is immediate.

## 2.8 First Aid

The First Aid Station will be located adjacent to the Camporee Headquarters Area and will be marked with a prominent sign. Units retain primary responsibility for health and safety matters; however, significant injuries must be brought to the attention of the First Aid station personnel for

recording. If the injured person should not be moved from the site of the injury, a runner should be sent to the aid station immediately (see section 2.09). Any situation requiring contact with public emergency medical resource must be coordinated through the First Aid station personnel and calling 911. More specific information will be provided at the Friday night leaders' meeting.

## 2.9 Fire & Ambulance Service

The local fire and police will be notified of our presence. In the unlikely event that fire or ambulance services are needed, send a runner to the Camporee Headquarters, so that an emergency call can be placed and the Camporee Health and Safety Chair can be notified immediately. If extraordinary circumstances require that an emergency call be placed from a cellular phone within your area, you should identify yourself as an adult Scouter calling from the **Scout Camporee at Gunston Hall**. You still must send a runner to the Camporee Headquarters to notify the Camporee Health and Safety Chair of the emergency and to arrange for the emergency equipment to be directed to the correct location.

# 3 REGISTRATION, CHECK-IN, AND CHECK-OUT PROCEDURES

## 3.1 Registration

All units planning on attending should register by October 13<sup>th</sup>. Register on line at:

[www.scoutingevent.com/082-Fall2019](http://www.scoutingevent.com/082-Fall2019).

The registration forms will be used by the staff in establishing parking needs, campsite locations, and to determine how many Scouts will be participating in the various events.

## 3.2 Arrival.

Units should plan on arriving between 5:00 PM and 8:30 PM on Friday October 18<sup>th</sup>. Upon entering the grounds, follow the direction of the Parking Staff who will direct you to the parking area where you will unload, and carry your gear to the camping area.

## 3.3 Check-in

Upon arrival, have a representative get their campsite assignment from Headquarters along with a Camporee map, and any other relevant Camporee information made available. **You will need to get your site assignment and a map before you enter the camping area.**

There will be a leader's meeting on Friday at 10:00 PM at the HQ area.

### 3.4 Locating Your Site

A map of Gunston Hall will be made available to you. There will be Staff directing Units to their assigned camp Site Friday evening.

**REMEMBER, NO VEHICLES WILL BE ALLOWED ONTO THE CAMPING AREAS EXCEPT FOR TROOP TRAILERS**

### 3.5 Checking In and Paying Fees

After the unit has set up camp, SPL and one other persons (e.g., Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, etc.) must go to the Camporee Headquarters to complete registration by turning in a completed registration form and paying all additional fees. To assist the staff, please pay with checks or money orders. These should be made payable to "NCAC-BSA." A single check or money order is the preferred method of payment.

### 3.6 Late Arrival & Early Departure

If a unit is not going to arrive during the designated arrival window on Friday night, please indicate this on your preregistration form. If your unit is going to leave before attending the closing ceremony on Sunday (8:15 a.m.), make sure you indicate this on the final registration form. If your unit must leave on Saturday evening, and you have notified the Administration Coordinator, you may obtain your patches and ribbons from your Campsite Commissioner after you have totally vacated your campsite and had the campsite commissioner sign the check out form. Units checking out Sunday see section 3.7.

### 3.7 Check-Out Procedures

Each unit will receive a checkout and program evaluation form at registration. Additional copies will be available from the Campsite Commissioners. After you have cleared your campsite of all units and personal gear, policed the area, send someone to notify your Commissioner. When the Commissioner arrives, s/he will inspect your camp, sign off on the check-out/evaluation form.

### 3.8 Camporee Patches, Awards & Ribbons

The distribution of Camporee patches, and unit awards, will be part of the closing ceremony on Sunday morning. They will not be available from Camporee Headquarters.

**PATCH ORDERS ARE PLACED BASED ON REGISTRATION NUMBERS. IF YOUR UNIT REGISTERS LATE, THEY MAY NOT GET THE PATCHES AT THE EVENT.**

### 3.9 The Chairman's Award

The District Chairman will present an award to the Outstanding Troop or Crew at the Camporee. This award will be given to that troop or crew which best exemplifies the aims and values of Scouting. Among the factors that will be included:

- Application of Proper Food Handling.
- General Camping Skills
- Unit Health and Safety
- Unit Appearance
- Participation in the Service Project
- Participation in the Opening & Closing Ceremonies
- Participation in the Campfire
- Campsite Inspection Score
- Number of Prospective New Scouts attending
- Gateway competition Score

The Award will consist of a Certificate acknowledging the accomplishment and ribbon for the Unit flag. In addition, the winning Unit will also be given the honor of conducting the opening ceremony at the next Camporee.

## 4 CAMPING GUIDELINES

### 4.1 The Campground

As members of the Boy Scouts of America, it is our obligation and responsibility to see that every-one respect and observe the rules and regulations in this package and follows guidance provided by the Camporee directors and commissioners. Remember the BSA *Leave No Trace* guidelines, all units are reminded to keep the impact of camping on the environment to a minimum. Be sure to leave Gunston Hall in better shape than when you arrived!

### 4.2 Equipment

All troops are strongly urged to pack as lightly as possible for this event. The goal should be to carry everything they need in one trip from the vehicles.

The following are probably best left behind: Weber-type grills, large dining canopies, large family cabin tents. You will need to bring your own prep table.

**REMEMBER THAT UNIT VEHICLES EXCEPT TRILERS WILL NOT HAVE ANY ACCESS TO THE CAMPING AREA.**

### 4.3 Ground Conditions

The terrain is relatively flat and campsites will be in the field. Protect your tents by bringing sturdy ground cloths and protect your body by bringing foam pads or air mattresses for a good night's rest. Patrol dining flies are permitted. There are no picnic tables available in the campground area. You need to bring your own tables. Multiple units will be assigned to each camping area.

### 4.4 Natural Habitat

No trees, shrubs, or bushes will be cut within the campsites or neighboring areas. Wood that has fallen from trees will be left in place. **Do not molest or interfere with the area's plant life or wildlife.**

### 4.5 Tent Ditching

There will be no tent ditching or other changes made to the ground contours to improve campsites. Remember that proper pitching of tents does not require ditching.

### 4.6 Cooking and Ground Fires

Units must bring their own stoves and fuel for cooking. **GROUND FIRES ARE NOT PERMITTED**

#### Use of Liquid Fuel

The safety of our Scouts and Scouters must be a prime consideration in the use of liquid fuels. The use of liquid fuels in lanterns and stoves is acceptable at this Camporee only if: 1) A knowledgeable adult provides supervision over the storage, transportation, and usage of the fuel; and 2) Scouts have been taught the safe and proper handling and usage of the fuel, stoves, and lanterns.

### 4.7 Availability of Water

Water will be available at a central location within the camping area.

*Proper hydration is key to keeping our Scouts healthy.* To avoid the serious consequences of dehydration, ensure everyone regularly consumes water, especially as they travel to and from program areas and while in the areas. Washing of dishes at the central water location is prohibited.

### 4.8 Latrines

Portable toilets and also a Restroom Building will be available at convenient areas throughout the Camporee area. Please respect them and keep them clean. **DO NOT place trash, soft drink cans, or KP gray water in toilets.**

### 4.9 Trash

Every unit should bring a supply of plastic trash bags to securely bag and remove their own trash. Dumpsters will not be available; therefore, *each unit must take their trash with them.* **Remember the LNT principle: "Pack it in, pack it out."**

### 4.10 Campsite Inspections

The Commissioners will perform a campsite inspection on Saturday. Outstanding units will be recognized during the closing ceremony. The inspection form the Commissioners will use is included in this package as an attachment.

## 5 CAMPOREE RULES

### 5.1 Rules

As in all Scouting activities, the Scout Oath and Law will be the ground rules of the Camporee. As with all outdoor events, Leave No Trace guidelines also apply:

1. Plan Ahead And Prepare
2. Travel And Camp On Durable Surfaces
3. Pack It In, Pack It Out
4. Leave What You Find
5. Campfires are prohibited
6. Respect Wildlife
7. Respect Others

Inappropriate behavior by any individual brings discredit on the district and the BSA, and leaders are expected to set and enforce behavior standards. The Camporee Director retains the authority to eject individual Scouts and units from the camporee.

### 5.2 HEALTH and SAFETY

The rules in this Guide are for your health and safety. Please follow them and be careful. The Health and Safety Committee will be alert to safety hazards and unsafe activities throughout the Camporee. Please assist in the elimination of hazards or reckless acts as they are observed or brought to your attention.

### 5.3 Pick-Up Trucks

As stated in the Boy Scouts of America regulations Scouts may not ride in the back of pickup trucks. This rule will be strictly enforced at the camporee. It is the unit leaders' responsibility to assure that all Scouts are transported in safe vehicles with adequate seat belts.

## 5.4 Flames In Tents

Cooking or lighting with OPEN FLAMES of any kind is not allowed in any tent. Electric battery lanterns and flashlights are recommended.

## 5.5 Knives

Knives are tools. Any Scout or Scouter observed using a knife in an unsafe manner will have their knife confiscated and held for the remainder of the Camporee by a member of the Camporee staff.

## 5.6 Illegal Drugs, Alcoholic Beverages, and Tobacco Products

Absolutely no illegal drugs, alcoholic beverages or tobacco products are allowed!

## 5.7 Firearms

Absolutely no unauthorized firearms, pellet guns, BB guns, bow and arrows, or slingshots of any kind are allowed!

## 5.8 Fireworks

Absolutely no fireworks are permitted!

## 5.9 Proper Uniform

Scouts are expected to wear BSA Field Uniforms (Scout shirt and Scout pants or Scout shorts with proper socks) for the Saturday night campfire and for the Religious Services. Points will be awarded during the Skills Competitions for Patrols with all members in troop or patrol Class B uniforms. Venturers are expected to wear the uniform specified by their Crews.

**No military garb or fatigues, including camouflage, shall be worn except for historic hats and garb.** Both the **BSA Insignia Guide** (see the sitemap at <http://www.scouting.org> for the Insignia Guide) and **Title 10, Subtitle A, Part II, Chapter 45, Section 771** prohibit wearing a distinctive part of a uniform of the Army, Navy, Air Force, or Marine Corps except as otherwise provided by law.

## 5.10 Discipline

Leaders will be responsible for the behavior of their Scouts at all times. Adult leaders, who are not helping in the events, should circulate through the events in which their Scouts are participating. Also, in past Camporees, pick-up ball games (both supervised and unsupervised) have become a source of injuries. Leaders are asked to discourage such games and urge Scouts to focus on Camporee activities. Sports equipment should not be brought

to the Camporee. Radios, televisions and tape players shall be left at home.

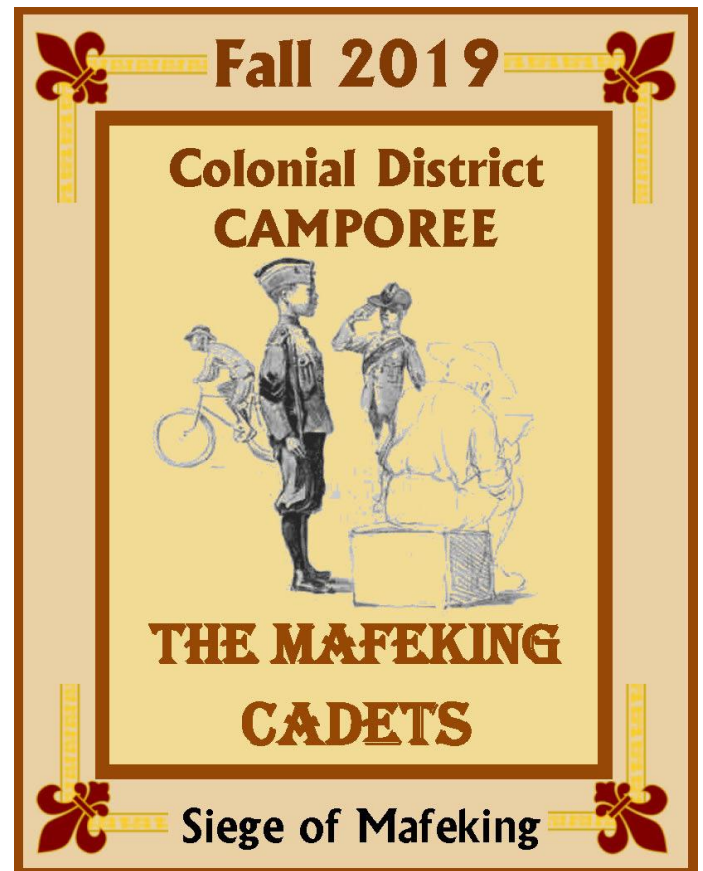
## 5.11 Quiet Hours

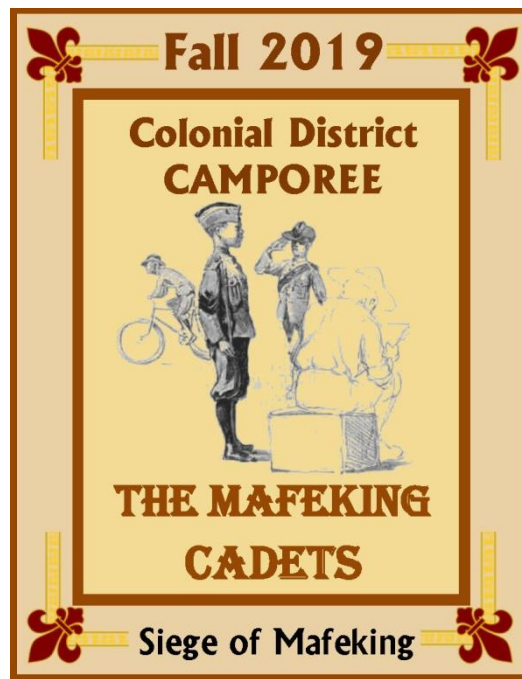
All activities will be subject to quiet hours and lights out from 10:30 p.m. to 6:30 a.m. Leaders in each troop are responsible for enforcing quiet hours and lights out. Quiet hour behavior will be expected during religious services for all camporee attendees.

**A Scout is Courteous.**

## 6 LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

- Tentative Camporee Agenda
- Unit Registration Form
- Permission/Medical Form (retain in unit)
- Commissioner's Campsite Inspection Sheet
- Gateway Score Sheet





**TENTATIVE CAMPOREE AGENDA**

**Friday 18 October**

0900	Staff Arrival and Prep
1700 – 2030	Unit Arrival and Check-in for Scouts
2100 – 2200	OA Fellowship
2200 – 2300	Leaders' Meeting
2330	Lights Out

**Saturday 19 October**

0700	Reveille
0700 - 0815	Breakfast
0815 - 0825	Opening Ceremony
0830 - 1130	Morning Program
1130 - 1330	Lunch
1330 - 1630	Afternoon Program (3 hours)
1630 - 1945	Dinner – Troops Host Webelos as guests
2000 - 2145	Campfire – OA Brotherhood Walk
2230	Taps,
2300	Lights Out

**Sunday 20 October**

0700	Reveille
0700 - 0815	Breakfast
0815 - 0900	Scouts-own Religious Service; Chairman's Award; Closing Ceremony
0900 - 1100	Units Strike Camp and Depart
1300	Staff Departs
1330	Secured



## 7 Registration

<b>COLONIAL DISTRICT</b> <b>THE MAEFKING CADETS– SIEGE OF MAFEKING</b> <b>FALL 2019: GUNSTON HALL, GUNSTON RD, LORTON, VA</b>				
<b>UNIT REGISTRATION FORM</b>				
Unit Number:	Unit Type (circle one)	Troop	Team	Venturing Crew
Youth Scout Program Participation — Fee is \$20 per participant – Youth and Adult				
Number of Scouts attending the Camporee				
Number adults attending the Camporee				
<b>Total Unit Participants</b>				
			<b>Number of Patrols</b>	
Remember, we need to minimize the number of patrols and maximize the number of Scouts per patrol for both logistic reasons as well for the learning process.				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Physically Challenged Participants (provide details in a separate note)</b></li> </ul>				
Number of Scouts / Crew				
Number of adults				
Arrival date:		Departure date:		
Arrival time:		Departure time:		
Unit Leader Name				
Unit Leader telephone numbers		(H)	(W)	
Unit Leader Cell number:				
Unit Leader email address:		(H)	(W)	
POC Name				
POC telephone numbers		(H)	(W)	
POC Cell number:				
POC email address:		(H)	(W)	
<b>Boy Scouts/ Venturers:</b> Email this form or hand deliver this form to Paul MacDonald at <a href="mailto:PEM@balameta.com">PEM@balameta.com</a> or at Roundtable.				

## 8 Personal Permission Form (one per Camporee attendee)

<p>UNIT _____</p> <p><b>PERMISSION/MEDICAL FORM</b></p> <p><b>PLEASE READ AND COMPLETE THIS FORM CAREFULLY</b></p> <p><b>(To be kept with unit leadership)</b></p>	
My child [ward] _____ of Troop/Team/Crew number _____ has my permission to attend the Fall 2019 Colonial District Camporee at Gunston Hall from Oct. 19 <sup>th</sup> to Oct. 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2019	
<b>I have read the list of recommended personal gear in the Scout Handbook and have satisfied myself that my scout is properly clothed and equipped for this activity.</b>	
I understand that the following are <b>absolutely not permitted</b> at the Camporee: illegal drugs, tobacco products, or alcoholic beverages of any kind; unauthorized firearms, pellet guns, BB guns, bow and arrows, or slingshots of any kind; fireworks of any kind.	
Parents' Initials: _____ Scout's Initials: _____	
If, in the event of a medical emergency and I cannot be reached at the emergency telephone number provided below, I understand that the Unit Leader or the Camporee Deputy Director, Health and Safety are the persons authorized to act in situations requiring medical assistance. Unless I have noted otherwise in sections one through five, <b>BELOW</b> , my child does not have any medical history [physical challenges, conditions, diseases, allergic reactions, etc.] about which a physician would need to know.	
<b>1.) ACUTE MEDICAL CONDITIONS AND MEDICATIONS:</b>	
<b>2.) CHRONIC MEDICAL CONDITIONS, MEDICATIONS OR PHYSICAL CHALLENGES:</b>	
<b>3.) ALLERGIES:</b>	
<b>4.) DRUG ALLERGIES:</b>	
<b>5.) OTHER INSTRUCTIONS / RESTRICTIONS:</b>	
EMERGENCY TEL. NOs.:	
INSURANCE COMPANY:	
POLICY NUMBER:	
SIGNATURE:	DATE:

# CAMPSITE INSPECTION

## COLONIAL DISTRICT FALL 2019 CAMPOREE

Unit #: \_\_\_\_\_

October 19, 2019

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Area and Topic of Inspection	Possible Points	Points Earned
<b>1. Campsite and General Organization</b>	<b>40 points</b>	
• American and unit flag displayed, PROPERLY.	15	
• Campsite entrance marked and the unit is identified (e.g., a sign).	5	
• Unit's campsite boundaries are identified.	5	
• Activity (camporee) schedule posted.	5	
• Troop duty roster posted.	5	
• Adult tenting area set away from Scout tenting area.	5	
• <b>BONUS:</b> Unit has an archway built with poles and lashings that may include some of the above, such as flags and entrance sign.	+10	
<b>2. Patrol Method</b>	<b>20 points</b>	
• Scouts are CLEARLY tented by patrol.	15	
• Tents are organized in a neat, functional arrangement; all gear neatly stored.	5	
• <b>BONUS:</b> Patrol flag displayed in each patrol camping area.	+5	
• <b>(PENALTY:</b> Ditching around tents)	(10 per tent)	
<b>3. Safety</b>	<b>25 points</b>	
• First aid kit is present, centrally located, and the kit is visible.	15	
• Guy lines and tent lines marked to be seen easily.	5	
• Fire suppression equipment is present and easily accessible.	5	
• <b>(PENALTY:</b> Chemical fuels, if any, improperly stored)	(10)	
• <b>(PENALTY:</b> A vehicle or a trailer is in the unit campsite)	(10)	
<b>4. Food, Sanitation, and Hygiene</b>	<b>55 points</b>	
• Food prep area is under cover (dining fly, tarp).	10	
• Adequate, neat patrol duty roster posted in all patrol cooking areas.	5	
• Food stored properly (in containers or coolers as appropriate).	10	
• A supply of water is present in the cooking area.	5	
• Cooking areas (tables, stoves, etc.) are organized and clean.	5	
• Hand-washing facility is present and use is evident.	10	
• Dishwashing: Use of the 3-pot method is in evidence. Dishes and utensils are properly cleaned and stored.	10	
• <b>(PENALTY:</b> Open trash bin. Improper grease or waste water disposal).	(10)	
• <b>(PENALTY:</b> Any hole has been dug or ground cover disturbed).	(10)	
<b>Totals</b>	140	

# Colonial District

## 9. The Maefking Cadets – Siege of Maefking 2019 Fall Camporee Judging Score Sheet for GATEWAY PROJECT

The intent of the Gateway judging is to measure how well the unit is implementing the Scout Methods (use of **patrols, advancement, youth leadership, scouting ideals, outdoor** program, **adult** role models, and **personal growth**), is adhering to the BSA policies and procedures (**safety**), communicates the **unit identity** and **program theme**, and demonstrates **historical awareness**  
(Sample scoring for item with 5 points max: 0 = absent, 1-2 = some present or severely deficient, 3-4 = average-good, 5 = all exemplary)

<b>Troop number:</b>	<b>Inspector:</b>	<b>Date/Time:</b>		
<b>Function and Criteria</b>			<b>POINTS POSSIBLE</b>	<b>POINTS EARNED</b>
<b>Project Management and Organization: (50 points)</b>				
Unit sign or other identification			5	
Site boundaries and entrance are marked			5	
Flags are displayed (2 points each for USA & Troop flags, 1 for patrol flag(s))			5	
Project design drawings (or model) with a list and locations of materials is posted			5	
The project is supervised by Youth Leaders			15	
Project is completed "on time"			5	
Overall impression/other exemplary items for Project organization ( <b>describe</b> )			up to 10	
<b>Patrol method: (50 points)</b>				
Patrols have input on project design and construction process (see management items above)			20	
Patrols have separate, marked areas of responsibility ( <b>see duty roster</b> )			10	
Patrol leaders and patrol organization is utilized for supervision			10	
Other patrol method items -- Patrol spirit/team-work ( <b>describe</b> )			up to 10	
<b>Safety in Construction: (50 points)</b>				
First aid kit is present (5) and its location is clearly marked (5)			10	
Tools are appropriately sheathed and stored (neat, clean, protected from damage)			10	
Personal protective equipment is present, in serviceable condition, and properly used (gloves, hard hats, etc)			10	
<u>Construction materials are stored neatly to prevent hazards and damage</u>			10	
Hazards are identified and properly safeguarded (stakes, guy line warning flags, fences, etc (describe deficiencies, deduct from max Points)			10	

**Knots and Lashings: (0 points) For this camporee the Gateway need not be a pioneering project**

Rope type and size is appropriate for the project	5
Knots used are appropriate to the purpose	5
Knots are correctly tied	10
Lashings used are appropriate to the purpose	5
Lashings are correctly assembled	10
Lashings are tight	5
Overall impression for Knots and Lashings (describe exemplary items)	up to 10

**Overall and Historical Design: (100 points)**

Program Theme Maefking Cadets is utilized and communicated	50
Strength and Stability (safety)	10
Does it work/do what it is supposed to? (functionality)	20
Ease of construction and utilization of low-cost materials (design economy)	10
Overall impression for design ( <b>describe</b> exemplary items)	up to 10

**Bonus points: (25 points)**

Overall impression for bonus points ( <b>describe</b> exemplary items, and reasons for any "Other Deductions")	25
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**Grand total: 275**

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**Comments:**