Cretaceous Klondike

JANUARY 23-25, 2026

CAMP WOKANDA

Hosted by Troop 57 and Troop 64

WELCOME, Scouts BSA Troops and Venture crews from ALL DISTRICTS!

Experience a Wotama-land (Wotamalo and Heartland) Klondike Derby on January 23-25, 2026, at Camp Wokanda. Stations of giant proportions will test your endurance and skills. Enjoy a weekend of scouting fun and adventure. Sharpen your scouting skills and see if you have what it takes to lead your patrol to victory!

If you have more questions, please contact:

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Register on or before Tuesday, January 13, 2026, for the $20 per person rate. Register after January 13 at $25 per person. All fees include hot lunch and event patch. Camping or Cabin rentals at Wokanda will be reserved directly with Peoria Park District.

Tour details:

DATE: You will begin your park tour on Saturday, Jan. 24, 2026 (check-in available Friday, Jan. 23).

PLACE: Camp Wokanda, 620 East Boy Scout Road, Chillicothe, IL

(Reserve a cabin or tent site by calling Wokanda at 309/579-2157 or Forest Park Nature

Center at 309/686-3360.)

In addition to Scout Spirit, each person must bring the following:

- A completed BSA Annual Health and Medical Record, Parts A & B (no more than one year old). Unit leaders will retain these records throughout the event.

- A completed Peoria Park District Liability Waiver (attached)

Patrols will provide the following:

- All meals (except Saturday lunch)

- Your "Jeep" (sled) – prefabricated sleds are acceptable. Bring your best Jurassic Park jeep to work your way safely through the park. (wheels are allowed as ground conditions dictate)

- Scoutmaster entry into the Dutch oven desert cook-off

Hosts will provide the following for the Saturday lunch:

- Pulled pork, mac and cheese, and green beans and bread with butter. Plates, forks / spoons, cups, napkins will be provided

Remember...

Dress Warm! Winter boots (no athletic shoes), layered clothing, gloves, and hats are essential. This is an ALL-DAY, OUTDOOR event in January, so watch the forecast and dress appropriately. If you are camping, please review cold weather camping information in the Scout Handbook, Fieldbook, and other resources.

AWARDS!

• Patrols will be scored based on their performance at each of the stations.

• The top Patrol for each station will be recognized.

• Top three OVERALL Patrols will be recognized.

Schedule:

Friday, January 23, 2026

  5:00-8:00 p.m. Early check-in for campers

Saturday, January 24, 2026

  7:30-8:00 A.M. Check-in and tour preparations

  8:00-8:30 SPL meeting for all patrols

  8:30-8:40 Flag Ceremony

  8:45-9:25 Station One

  9:30-10:10 Station Two

  10:15-10:55 Station Three

  11:00-11:40 Station Four

  11:50-12:50 Lunch in the dining hall

  1:00-1:40 p.m. Station Five

  1:45-2:25 Station Six

  2:30-3:10 Station Seven

  3:15-3:55 Station Eight

  4:10–4:40 Jeep (sled) Race

  4:45-5:30 Awards

Sunday, January 25, 2026

  8:30 a.m. Scout's Own Service in dining hall or on your own

  9:00 Break camp and depart

Preparing for the Quest:

- Scout handbook
- Blanket large enough to make a stretcher
- First aid kit
- Paracord/rope
- Flint and steel or other 'no match' fire method
- Natural tinder
- Splint making equipment
- Compass
- Water
- Paper and pencil

Tour Stops:

The T-Rex escapes (Knots/lashings) - The T-rex has broken loose. Can you use your knot tying and lashing skills to repair the enclosure to ensure no more dinosaurs escape?

Survive the night - (wilderness survival) - you need to bed down for the night. It's raining and cold, so you need shelter and a fire. Can you build a shelter that will keep you dry and get a fire going in time to prevent you and your team from slipping into hypothermia?

Malcolm is lost (search and Rescue) - Ian Malsom is lost in the park. You must use the information of his last known location to search for him. Once he's found, extract him to safety and treat his wounds.

First Aid - There are multiple injuries from dino attacks at the main compound. Do you have first aid knowledge to save the victims?

"Mr. Hammond the phones are(n't) working" (Signs, signals, and codes) – The phone lines are down and you need to get a warning to the others in the park. Do you have the code and signaling expertise to deliver the message to your friends in the park? Brush up on your signaling skills (what kind will it be?) and get them the message in time.

Life finds a way (Nature) – Fossils and links from dinosaurs to birds have been found on the island. Do you have the knowledge to identify the fauna native to this area to determine the link

Dr. Wu needs a new dino (arts and crafts) - Dr. Wu needs a new dinosaur for an attraction. Can you design the ultimate dinosaur from a random list of criteria? Once your dinosaur is designed, you need to pitch your new design to him.

Raptors are loose (team building) - The raptors loose and you need to guide them to their cages through a maze. Can you get all of them back to their paddock in time?

Scoring

Each challenge will be scored individually with Patrols receiving marks for their achievements. While the top Patrols will be determined for individual challenges, the overall awards for top three patrols will be determined by the combined stations score.

Appendix A – Scoutmasters Dessert Competition:

Rule 1: Only Scout leaders (18 or older) are allowed to enter the competition.

Rule 2: Entries must be entered clearly marked with cook's name and the troop they

represent. Troops may have multiple entries.

Rule 3: Provide a recipe card with name and troop number on back. Recipes are needed

to allow anyone with allergies to know what is in the dish.

Rule 4: Desserts must be cooked on site in campsites and brought to the dining hall prior

to judging time. For troops attending Saturday only, a fire pit will be available.

** Please provide serving utensils. **

Scoring: Dishes will be evaluated and graded based on taste, appearance, and creativity.

Once dishes are judged and subsequently consumed by Klondike participants at lunch,

please collect your pots / cast iron and serving utensils.