

2018 Lenni Lenape Spring Camporee



West Point Cadet Classic

Strength. Mind. Body.

Maumee Scout Reservation

April 20th, 21st, and 22nd

\$ 15.00 per person

Registration @ hoosiertrailsbsa.org

Dear Scouts and Scouters,

Your Troop is invited to attend the annual Lenni Lenape District's Spring Camporee. This year's theme is "**West Point Cadet Classic**". The Camporee dates are, April 20th, 21st and 22nd.

Register online at hoosiertrailsbsa.org.

We will need the assistance in staffing the camporee this year. Each Troop is asked to encourage at least one adult to volunteer to work on the Camporee Staff. We will issue assignments for these individuals at the SPL meeting on Friday night.

If you wish to serve on the camporee committee this year or participate as staff for the weekend please contact me, Chris Kachur, at (812) 593-1328; e-mail chris@gofigure.net.

Camporee Committee:

Chris Kachur

Darrin Green

Dave Baldwin

Tim Mack

Thad Hatchett

Joseph Yoder

Mark Leuhrmann

Stefan Johnson

Host Troops:

Troop 577

Troop 555

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Fees

The fee for the camporee is \$15.00. This fee includes the patch and awards. Meals to be provided by your troop.

First Aid

Injuries requiring medical attention should be reported to camp staff. Please have proper medical forms for each person. We will try to have trained medical personnel on staff.

Skits

We strongly encourage all troops to participate with a military themed skit at the campfire on Saturday night. All skits must be non-violent and follow the BSA National Standards for Skits. Skits must be outlined and submitted for approval prior to the campfire.

Flag Retirement Ceremony

A flag retirement ceremony will take place at the Campfire Saturday night. If your troop has flags that need to be retired, Troops SPL may bring them to the SPL meeting on Friday night.

Special Guest Speaker

A military guest has volunteered to come and speak with the scouts.

Patrol Requirements

All activity sessions on Saturday are to be attended by patrols. Webelos should be integrated into patrols of the host troop. Minimum Patrol size is 4, Maximum Patrol size is 8.

Campsite Gateway

Troop provides materials. Gateways will pay tribute to our United States Armed Forces. Gateways will be judged, and Campsite inspections will take place Saturday during the events.

Camporee Events

Events will take place on Saturday during the hours listed in the schedule with a break for lunch. Events are to be attended as a patrol. Most events will be judged, and patrol spirit will likely be part of the criteria. This is not an all-inclusive list of events. Additional information for certain events will either be provided in the follow-up packet posted by March 30th or at the SPL meeting on Friday night as appropriate.

Departure and Checkout Procedures

A camporee staff member will inspect your campsite Sunday morning and distribute patches to a Scoutmaster or the SPL when complete. Please notify a staff member if you require and early checkout.

Chapel Service

A collection will be taken on Sunday and donated to Wounded Warrior Project.

Lashed Out!

Patrols will use spars and twine or rope to lash a cantilevered structure from a base tree. The winning patrol will extend a cantilevered structure the greatest distance from the base tree supporting a 5-pound weight suspended with a rope. Proper 1st Class Scout lashing techniques must be used, and Scouts may not work at a height of more than four feet off the ground. The structure must be disassembled, and all twine disposed of during the scheduled time. Spars and twine will be provided. Patrols may bring additional twine/rope and natural material spars and use dead/downed materials available in the area.

Sandhurst Competition

Patrols will have to divide and assign members to rapidly negotiate various obstacles in minimum total time. The different obstacles will test things like balance, strength, coordination, and teamwork.

Survival Challenge

Your Patrol is stranded on an island, your only hope for rescue is to signal an aircraft. You have 25 minutes to construct a shelter and prepare to signal the aircraft. You were able to locate enough wood and twine to construct a shelter frame, however you must depend on what is in your packs to grab the attention of the pilot. Your survival will depend on the durability of your structure and your knowledge of wilderness survival signaling techniques. How will you survive and be seen? Be prepared!

Stealth Rescue

A platoon needs help, and a military officer on his way to the nearest base comes across a Scout camp. He gives to each Patrol-leader a hasty idea of the situation and shows him a rough map explaining that the distressed platoon is a distance along a certain road, and between the Scouts' camp and that platoon are the enemy's out- posts. The Patrol-leaders are to take their patrols in the shortest time to the platoon in distress without being seen by the enemy. The patrol must reach the distressed platoon in the shortest time without any members being detected and captured.

Lightning Radio Chess

This fast paced, modified chess game requires the patrol, from a distance via radio, control the game while a designated field agent will receive orders for the next strategic move. The field agent will also be responsible for reporting enemy troop movements across the chess "Battlefield". Working knowledge of chess will be needed for both the base team and the field agent.

Book of Knowledge

Based on the book of knowledge that every Plebe must commit to memory from his or her first day at West Point. Each Patrol will receive a copy of the book on Friday evening, and one Patrol member will be tasked with memorizing the contents in preparation for a test administered while other Patrol members are participating in PT or uniform inspection.

Trial by Fire

Brush up on your fire building skills or your patrol leader may be getting wet!

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Schedule of Events

Senior Patrol Leader and Adult Leader Meeting at 9pm on Friday at check-in.

Day	Time	Event	Location
Friday	5:30 PM	Arrival, Check in and Camp Set up	Check In
	9:00 PM	Adult Leader and SPL Meeting	TBA
	10:30 PM	Quiet Hours	Troop Camp Site
Saturday	7:00 AM	Flag Raising	Campfire Ring
	7:15 AM	Thayer Morning	Campfire Ring
	8:00 AM	Breakfast	
	9:00 AM	Stations Open	
	1:00 PM	Stations Closed for lunch	
	2:30 PM	Special Guest Speaker	Campfire Ring
	3:45 PM	Stations Re-Open	
	5:15 PM	Stations Closed	
	5:30 PM	Flag Lowering / Skit outline Deadline	Campfire Ring
	6:00 PM	Dinner	Troop Campsite
	8:00 PM	Campfire / Flag Retirement	Campfire Ring
		OA Ice Cream Social after Campfire	
Sunday	7:00 AM	Reveille / Breakfast	Troop Camp Site
	8:30 AM	Chapel Service	Check In
	9:00 AM	Patch Handout and	
		Departure Check Out Inspection	