

Mackinac Rendezvous XIX Schedule And Important Information

Schedule of Events:

Friday, September 15

Noon – 10:00pm - Check-In

1:00pm – 5:00pm -Explore Mill Creek area and venture to Fort Michilimackinac in Mackinaw City

1:00pm- 9:30pm – Trading Post Open

2:00pm – 10:00pm - Explore Mill Creek Camp

Inflatables

Re-enactors

Climbing Tower

Unit Bingo Card

6:00pm – Opening Ceremony @ Activity area

7:00pm – Night Sky Program

9:30pm - SPL Meeting/Social @ Rally Building

10:00pm - Leaders Meeting & Cracker Barrel – Rally Building

Saturday, September 16

7:00am – 9:00am – Trading Post Open

6:45am – 9:15am – Load Busses by color group @ Rally Building

7:30am – 10am – Ferries Depart for Island

8:00am – 3:30pm - Island Scavenger Hunt and Unit Bingo Card

9:30am – 1:30pm – Porch walk at Grand Hotel by color group

Saturday (Cont'd)

12:00pm – 2:00pm – WEBELOS/AOL Honor Guard for a Day

1:30pm – 3:30pm Assemble at Father Marquette Park by the statue for Departure

2:00pm – 4:00pm – Ferries Depart for Mainland

2:00pm – 10:00pm – Trading Post Open

2:00pm – 5:00pm – Group games at activity area

4:30pm – 6:30pm – Dinner @Rally Building

6:30pm – Carnival games, Crafts, inflatable archery, climbing tower @ activity area

6:30pm – 8:30pm – Live Band Concert – Tricks @ activity area

9:00pm – Honored Eagle ceremony @ the Rally Building

9:30pm – Fireworks @ point (check map)

Sunday, September 17

8:00am – 10:00am – Trading Post Open

9:00am - Closing Ceremony & Check-Out Instructions @ activity area

10:00am – Campsite Inspections & Check-Out

CONDENSED CAMPGROUND RULES

- It is expected that all Scouts and leaders will honor and live by the Scout Oath, Law and Outdoor Code.
- Trees, shrubs and plants will not be destroyed, damaged or removed.
- Ropes will not be attached to trees or shrubs for any purpose.
- Clotheslines must be between tent poles or other non natural growth.
- Campfires are permitted, but only in provided fire pans. Do NOT bring firewood, it will be provided.
- Trash must be placed in provided containers in closed plastic bags and left in designated locations.
- Alcohol, firearms, paint ball guns, air guns, bows and arrows, slingshots or fireworks are NOT allowed.
- All electronic devices must be inaudible to others and the camp must be quiet during designated sleep hours.
- All camp gear must be on your designated campsite only.
- No Smoking except in designated areas.
- Stay off the gravel hills.
- No swimming in Lake Huron
- Be respectful of others. We are sharing the campground with other non-Scout campers who are not part of Mackinac Rendezvous.

SCOUTS ALWAYS LEAVE AN AREA BETTER THAN THEY FOUND IT

SATURDAY ISLAND PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- **LUNCH** – You will provide your own lunch and will eat at your leisure while on the Island.
- **DOWNTOWN PROGRAM** - Mackinac Island has been a focal point of history, great shops and tourist adventures for over two hundred years. Become a “tourist” and visit the great downtown shops and get some of the world’s best fudge!
- **FORT PROGRAMS** - Please enter only at the South Sally Port for an exciting tour of Fort Mackinac. Enjoy the sights and sounds of old Fort Mackinac and Fort Holmes.
- **ISLAND VISIT** - Mackinac Island has many historical and natural sites that are open for you to explore. Take a walk back in time and explore the island.
- **BE SURE TO ARRIVE AT MARQUETTE PARK BY THE STATUE AT YOUR COLOR GROUPS SCHEDULED DEPARTURE TIME!**

ISLAND PROGRAM REMINDERS

- **WRIST BAND:** Make sure your color Wrist Band is visible and on your person at all times. Your color Wrist Band identifies you as an official participant of this Mackinac Rendezvous. It also serves as your admission to the bus, ferry, Fort Mackinac, Fort Michilimackinac, Historic Mill Creek, and is your Saturday night meal ticket.
- **DO NOT LOSE YOUR WRIST BAND! It is color-coded to divide the entire Rendezvous into smaller program groups. It *IS* waterproof and can be worn when showering!**
- **COLOR GROUPS:** The four-color groups are: Blue, Purple, Red and Green. Departure and arrival is by color group. Stay with your color group and unit at all times. This includes when waiting for transport.
- **UNIT CONTROL:** Each unit is a team and is to stay together during the transportation to and from the island, during the Island visit, and the Saturday night meal. Your unit leadership is responsible for the safety and conduct of its Scouts and Leaders. Units need to have a leader(s) in the front and back of the group and in the middle if it is a large group.
- **EMERGENCIES:** For a medical emergency report to the Mackinac Island Medical Center at 7474 Market Street, or call 911. Please advise any member of the Security Staff “wearing Yellow hats” that an injury or medical emergency has taken place.
- **IN ADDITION, IMMEDIATELY CONTACT HEAD OF SECURITY, TYLER BROWNELL AT 269.760.7200. BE SAFE**

***** MINOR FIRST AID (SCRATCH, BAND AID, ETC) IS TO BE PROVIDED BY THE UNIT IN YOUR CAMPSITE.**

ANYTHING OTHER THAN MINOR INJURIES, PLEASE GO TO THE FIRST AID STATION, OR CALL JASON KELLEY AT

231.250.3934 ***

**LAKE HURON
BRIDGE AND ISLAND VIEW**

MAC RENDEZVOUS XIX 2023

**MACKINAW MILL CREEK CAMPING
MACKINAW CITY, MI 49701**

MAIN PARKING AREA

Fireworks

Foot Bridge

Activity Area

Assembly Area / Stage

Island Adventure Check-in & Basecamp

Check-in

First Aid

Staff Parking & Overflow Cub Parking

Scouts Camping Area

OVERFLOW PARKING AREAS

Camp Entrance Road for MACKINAC RENDEZVOUS

TRASH DROP

US23

CHEBOYGAN (12 miles)

(Buses must be loaded within 15 minutes of arrival time to be at dock 20 minutes before departure.)

Color Group	Green	Blue	Red	Yellow
Bus to Island Ferry	6:40am	7:40am	8:40am	9:10am
Meet at Marquette Park for Ferry	1:20pm	1:50pm	2:20pm	3:20pm

Everyone will gather at Marquette Park by the statue according to the departure time for your color group. All Units must depart for the mainland as a Troop or Crew. Leaders must sign off that all Scouts and Leaders are present before boarding boats.

SCOUT LEADERS, WE NEED YOUR....
SPL AND MACKINAC HONOR SCOUTS!!

SCOUTMASTERS AND UNIT LEADERS – YOUR SPL, AS WELL AS ALL CURRENT AND FORMER MACKINAC HONOR SCOUTS ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MACKINAC RENDEZVOUS XIX FLAG CEREMONIES!

- **SPL**
 - Attend a short meeting on Friday, September 15th at 9:30pm at the Rally Building.
 - Wear full Boy Scout uniform for the Flag Ceremony on Sunday morning 9:00am.

- **CURRENT & FORMER MACKINAC HONOR SCOUTS –**
 - Attend a short meeting on Friday, September 15th at 9:00pm at the Rally Building to cover the procedure for the closing on Sunday.
 - Wear Mackinac Honor Scout Uniform for all Flag ceremonies.

Thank you,
Paul Flessner
Flag Contingent Team Leader