

# Calumet District Klondike 2026

**When:** January 17, 2026      **Check In:** start 8:00 AM      **Start Time:** 9:00 AM

**Where:** Isaac Walton Preserve, 1100 Ridge Road, Homewood, Illinois

**Cost:** \$5.00 per participant

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**Why:** To test Scouts on their skills in a patrol competition environment

## Klondike Patrol Challenge!

**Situation:** Your Patrol is conducting a (notional) three-day trek through the woods. There will be no assistance along the way, so your Patrol must carry your own supplies. You can expect incidents along the way as inexperienced hikers and sled operators are also in the woods. Before you head out, staff will inspect the Scouts of your Patrol and sled for completeness.

**Must Haves:** Individual Scout, Scout Basic Essentials (*Scout Handbook, Hiking section*): Pocket knife, Rain gear, Trail Food, Flashlight, Extra clothing, Personal First aid kit, Water Bottle, Map and Compass, Sun Protection, Matches / Fire Starter.

**Materials:** Sleds should contain materials to complete stations. See Event Plan for station descriptions.

**Patrol Flag**

**Patrol Yell**

**The Stations include:**



Inspection

Station 1: Injured Hiker

Station 2: Build a Shelter

Station 3: Log Pull

Station 4: Ice Rescue

Station 5: Cooking Fire

Station 6: Sled Accident

Station 7: Camp Gadget

Station 8: Firewood

**Patch for Each Participant ---- Trophy for Winning Patrol**

