

Frontier District

2017 Spring Camporee



THEME "Citizenship In The World" Merit Badge
Each Troop Must Present on a Topic

WHERE: Camp Baker

WHEN Friday April 28 – Sunday April 30, 2017

COST: Online: \$8/scout, \$4/adult
Campsite reservations are an additional fee

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Monday 4/17

Because of the amount of prep work required by the participants for this camporee, we must enforce a registration deadline.

Please note that in addition to registering individuals for this event, units must also pay for their campsites. Campsites may be purchased by contacting dale.kaufman@scouting.org or calling Dale at 412-325-7921.

Leader's guides and pre-requisites will be posted to <http://tinyurl.com/2017SpringCamporee>

Overview

The Frontier District 2017 Spring Camporee will present Scouts with an opportunity to earn the Citizenship in The World merit badge. A Scout is Helpful. That will be a focus of this camporee as each participating troop helps all of the Scouts earn their merit badge. As units register, they will be assigned one of the requirements for the merit badge. Before the camporee, the Scouts of the unit will work together to prepare a 10-15 minute presentation on the requirement. During the camporee, each unit will make their presentation for the rest of the Scouts in camp. Be sure to register early to get your choice of presentations. Other activities will include games, Scouts' Own service, and International Cracker Barrel.

How it Works

1. Form a patrol and work as a patrol.
2. Pick a Requirement (Requirement 1 is a pre-req and not available for presentations) for your troop – email jason@ditzenberger.net with your first and second choice. If neither is available, one will be assigned to you. You can do this immediately – even before online registration is available.
3. Adult leaders complete a troop registration at: lhc-bsa.org (Available approx. 3/25)
4. Adult leaders rent campsite(s) by contacting Dale Kaufman at 412-325-7921 or dale.kaufman@scouting.org. Please note that there is a separate charge for sites.
5. Each Scout must complete Requirement 1 as a pre-requisite prior to arriving at Camporee.
6. As a patrol, prepare a 10-15 minute presentation on your requirement. If you have any questions we can put you in touch with a merit badge counselor.
7. Create a poster board / tri-fold display or handouts for your presentation. This will remain on display after your presentation.
8. For Saturday evening's cracker barrel, plan and prepare an international dish. Please bring a card or paper describing what country your dish is from. You should be prepared to share your dish with the camp, but do not need to make enough to feed everyone.
9. Obtain Blue Cards for each patrol member signed by your Scoutmaster and bring them to camporee.

Instructions for Completing Your Presentation

A Scout is Helpful. At this camporee we will help one another complete the requirements for Citizenship in the World.

A Scout is also Trustworthy. It is important to understand that other Scouts are depending upon your being prepared. Please take your preparation work seriously and try to make the best presentation that you can. Be sure to practice it as a group before camporee.

The presentations will be given in the main pavilion at Camp Baker. You will have a card table to set your display on. A microphone and speaker will be available.

You may bring other props such as maps, flags, music, etc. if they add to your presentation.

Other Notes

- There is a registration deadline. This is to allow time for Scouts to prepare their presentations.
- Campsites are a separate registration and payment for this camporee.
- Your unit must present in order to attend.
- Webelos and AOL are welcome.