# Three Rivers District Presents Board Games Camporee









# **Camporee Director's Minute**

We would like to welcome all Scouts, Scouters, and parents to another great Camporee and the coming together of the Long Trail and Three Rivers Districts for the 2022 "BSA Board Games" Spring Camporee. Get ready to play games such as Operation, Memory, Chutes and Ladders, and many others! This year's events will concentrate on competitions that center on the core skills and disciplines that lay at the heart of the Spirit of Scouting.

I have all confidence that we will have another fun, educational, and safe Camporee weekend that will embrace all that has drawn us to Scouting and all that it offers. Any safety precautions that are needed due to the COVID-19 pandemic will be announced closer to the camporee date.

This packet will provide our Camporee participants with the registration details and forms needed for the event. It will also provide our Patrols with descriptions of the competition events so that they may **Be Prepared** for the events. To also help in being prepared, there will be a Zoom meeting that will go over the Camporee and additional details. This date will be announced closer to the camporee.

In closing the Camporee Staff are excited to be putting on another great event for you and cannot wait to see you all there. If you have any questions or concerns, or would like to volunteer to help staff the event, please feel free to contact us at miss.muckles@gmail.com or via phone at (802) 922-8792. We will do our best to help however possible.

Yours in Scouting,

Shannon McCullen - Scoutmaster, Troop 658G, Winooski VT

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## **Registration and Check-in Procedures**

# Registration Fee: \$22 per Scout, \$18 per Adult Co-op: \$18 per Scout and \$15 per Adult.

Register online at <a href="https://scoutingevent.com/592-45960">https://scoutingevent.com/592-45960</a> and by <a href="https://scoutingevent.com/592-45960">Friday May 7<sup>th</sup></a>.

Registration fee is for a full weekend of theme-based activities and, of course, a patch! Female troops and female lone scouts must be accompanied by a registered female adult (that has completed YPT) to all stations of the event.

#### Leader Zoom Meeting -To be Announced

We will need help with running the different stations. Please contact the camporee leaders if you are willing to help run a station.

#### **Check In at Waterbury Flea Market**

All units will check into the camporee at the designated location. At this time, you will be assigned a campsite.

Please be prepared to pay for all registration and late fees not yet submitted. We will verify the name and number of people in your unit attending the Camporee at the time of check- in.

#### Registration Closes at 8:30 pm

- 1. Each unit will be assigned a troop camping area by the camporee staff. Depending on the size of your unit, it is likely that you will have to share a site with another unit.
- 2. Each Troop should have the appropriate medical forms (BSA Part A and B only) for each person attending the camporee.
- 3. A limited Number of Vehicles will be allowed at each campsite for the camporee, so please carpool accordingly to reduce the total number of vehicles.

#### **Location & Directions**

#### Location

The camporee will be held at the Waterbury Flea Market.

Address: 1901 US Route 2 West Waterbury, VT 05767

LAT/LON 44.36439, -72.79671



#### **Directions**

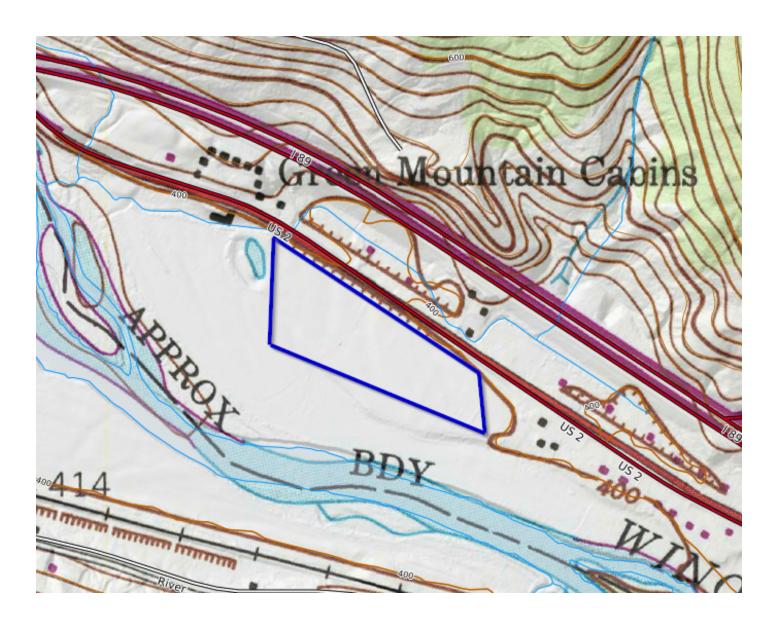
#### From Interstate 89 North:

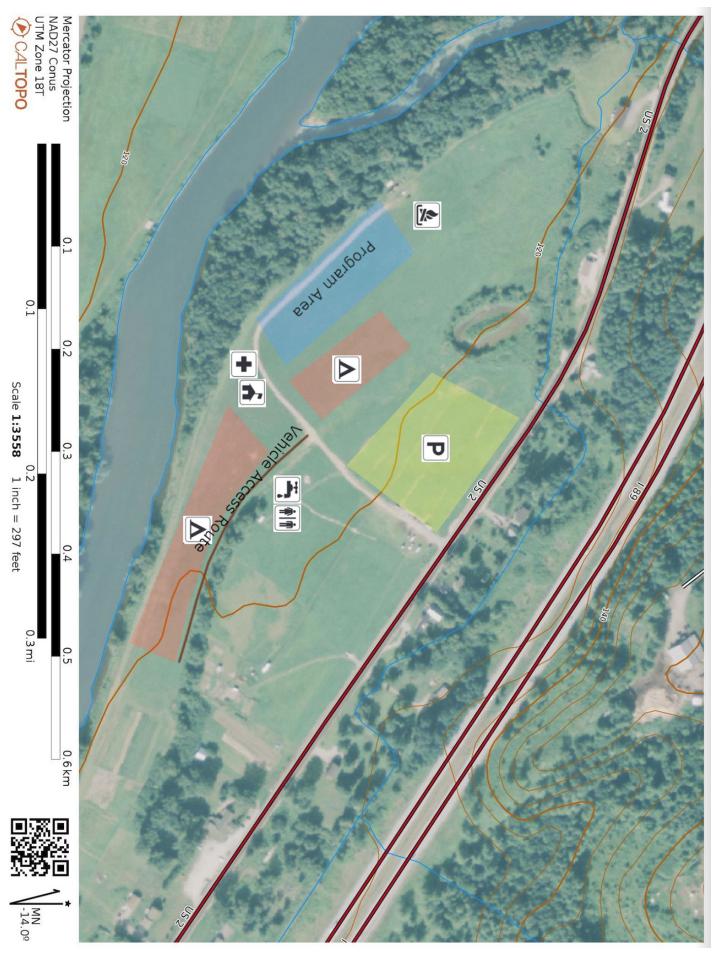
- 1. From I89 North take exit 10 to merge onto VT-100 S/Waterbury-Stowe Rd toward US-2/Waterbury.
- 2. Merge onto VT-100 S/Waterbury-Stowe Rd
- 3. At the traffic circle, take the 2nd exit onto US-2 W/N Main St.
- 4. Continue on US-2 W for 2.1 miles.
- 5. The destination will be on your left.

#### From Interstate 89 South:

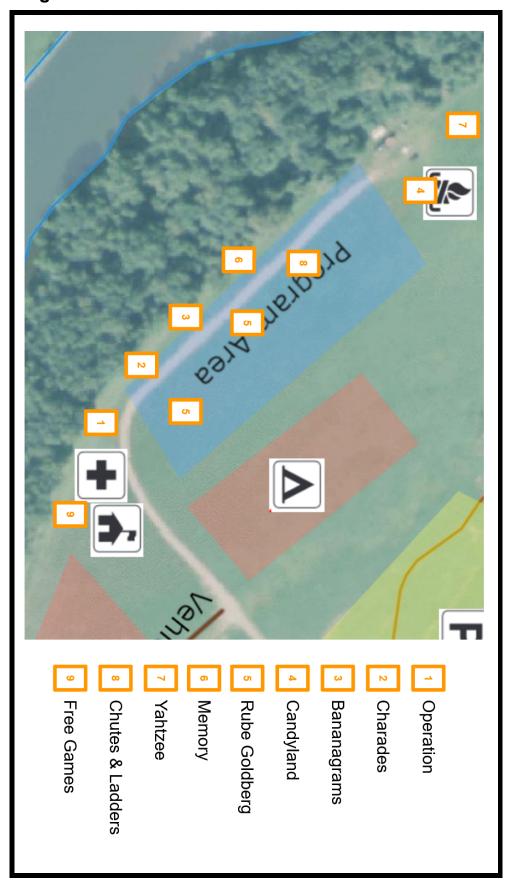
- 6. From I89 North take exit 10 to merge onto VT-100 S/Waterbury-Stowe Rd toward US-2/Waterbury.
- 7. Turn left onto VT-100 S/Waterbury-Stowe Rd
- 8. At the traffic circle, take the 2nd exit onto US-2 W/N Main St.
- 9. Continue on US-2 W for 2.1 miles.
- 10. The destination will be on your left.

#### **Site Map**





# **Program Area**



## **BSA Requirements for 2022 Spring Camporee**

**Medical Forms** - Each registered Scout and Scouter must have a completed BSA Annual Medical Form Part A and Part B. Part C requiring a doctor's exam is NOT required for this weekend event.

These forms can be found online at -

http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/HealthandSafety/ahmr.aspx

It is the responsibility of each Troop leader to maintain control of the medical forms for each of their Scouts participating, and to provide Camporee Staff with quick access in case of an emergency. If the Troop leader must leave the grounds for any reason they need to transfer control of the medical forms to another Troop leader or parent. The Part B of the medical form includes the BSA Talent Release Agreement. If any participant elects not to sign the Talent Release Agreement, please bring this to the attention of the Camporee Staff when you check-in. If there are any medical conditions or considerations for any of your Scouts, please bring these to the Camporee Medic's attention at check-in as well.

# **Camporee General Information**

Check-In - Friday May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022 5:30pm to 7:30pm - The Scout Master and SPL should be the only Troop representatives at the check-in/registration table. Campsites will be assigned at check-in and will be determined by the number of campers in each Troop. Space will need to be made to neatly park your Troop trailer within your designated campsite boundaries. Parking will be at a premium, so it will be more important than ever to rideshare and economize travel to include as few vehicles as possible. Please be Kind and Courteous to our Staff as they do their best to facilitate a fun event for you and our Scouts.

Check-Out - Sunday May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022 10:30am until complete - Sunday morning will consist of your Troop's breakfast, campsite clean- up and clearing by our Staff, and finally the check-out with Camporee Staff.

<u>Scout Spirit</u> - Scout Spirit is the core of everything we do as Scouts and Scouters. It is the embodiment of the Scout Oath and Scout Law, and it is the cheerful and positive attitude displayed in all we do. Scout Spirit is the beacon that sets Scouting apart from other youth programs. It is an expectation that all those participating in the 2022 Board Game Camporee be ambassadors of the Scouting Spirit in all we do.

<u>Uniform</u> - The uniform for Camporee is the BSA Field (Class A) Uniform. The Field Uniform is expected for all Scouts and Scouters during registration, flag ceremonies, Campfire, and Scout's Own. The Activity (Class B) Uniform can be worn during campsite set up, competition, and meals. Please stay aware of the weather for Camporee weekend. It is the responsibility of the Troops to have weather appropriate

clothing on hand, as well as a change of uniform if necessary.

<u>Troop Flags</u> - Each Unit is expected to have their unit flag at the camporee to help identify their unit and show scout spirit. We strongly encourage each unit to bring their flags to the opening and closing ceremonies. Ribbons for the flags will be handed out as prizes!

<u>Emergency Medical Service</u> - Camporee does provide an event Medical staff for first-aid situations. Scout specific medication and other medical issues should be handled within the Troop. Each Troop should also be outfitted with a campsite first-aid kit that is centrally located.

<u>Campfires</u> –Campsites must use an above ground fire pit. Your unit will need to bring an above ground fire pit if you wish to have a campfire. All these sources of flame should be clearly marked and away from tent areas.

<u>Campfire Program</u> - There will be a campfire program on Saturday evening. Patrols are welcome to perform a skit, song, or story at the campfire. The skit, song, or story must follow the BSA campfire regulations and is required to be approved by the camporee staff. Please see this document for campfire regulations: <a href="https://www.scouting.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/NCS-Ceremonies-and-Campfire-Guidance.pdf">https://www.scouting.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/NCS-Ceremonies-and-Campfire-Guidance.pdf</a>. There will also be an OA callout at the campfire as well.

<u>Cooking/Meals</u> - It is each Troop's responsibility to provide all meals and snacks for themselves. Each Troop is responsible for the cleanliness of their campsite and for packing away their own trash after the event.

<u>Food Storage</u> - Each Troop is responsible for supplying their own secure food storage containers.

<u>Camporee Service</u> - It is strongly encouraged that Scouters and older Scouts from each Troop help to contribute to the Camporee Program in some way, be it through Honor Guard detail, event sponsorship, or volunteering for staff. This is YOUR Camporee and your help is greatly appreciated.

<u>Site Management</u> —We want to continue to show this appreciation by properly respecting the grounds during our event. This means staying within our area of operation and keeping it, and all its facilities, clean. BSA's Outdoor Ethics should be embraced in full during the Camporee. We clean up after ourselves as well as police random litter as we come across it.

We would like to ask that we are vigilant regarding YPT, our Scouts utilizing the buddy system, our PLCs and adult Leaders having accountability of their Patrols/Troops, and all our attendees staying in our assigned areas for the event.

# **Camporee Agenda**

#### Friday May 14th

5:30-7:30 pm Registration/Check-in & Campsite Setup

One vehicle and trailer can be brought to site. All other

vehicles should be parked in the main lot.

7:30 pm Registration Ends

8:30 pm Scoutmaster/SPL Cracker Barrel

10:00 pm Quiet Hours/Taps

#### Saturday May 15th

6:30 am Reveille

6:30 - 8:30 am Breakfast and Cleanup

9:00 am Flags and Opening Ceremony

9:45 am -12:00pm Program Activities

12:00pm - 1:00 pm Lunch

1:15 pm – 4:15 pm Program Activities

5:00 pm - 5:30 pm Hot Potato Cooking Competition Judging

6:00 - 7:00 pm Dinner and Cleanup

7:30 - 9:00 pm Closing Campfire: Awards, Skits and OA Callout

10:00 pm Quiet Hours/Taps

#### Sunday May 16th

8:00 am Reveille

8:00-10:30 am Breakfast, Cleanup, Pack up, Campsite Inspection, Departure

Please check out with staff and practice Leave No Trace.

10:30 am Spring Camporee Closes

#### **The Outdoor Code**

As an American I will do my best to; be clean in my outdoor manners, be careful with fire, be considerate in the outdoors, and be conservation minded.

#### **Principles of Outdoor Ethics**

- Plan ahead and be prepared
- Travel and camp on durable surfaces
- Dispose of waste properly
- Leave what you find
- Minimize campfire impacts
- Respect wildlife
- Be considerate of other visitors

# **Patrol Items to Bring for the Competition**

Pen or Pencil and Notepad

10 Essentials

Scout Handbook

### **BSA Camporee Events**

\*\* Each event description is an overview of the task to be completed in the competition. Target type and count as well as round count may be adjusted depending on the total amount of participants and the supplies on hand. If changes are made to any of the competitions from what is described below, the scoring card for said event will reflect the change, and the changes will be described in detail by the event staff before competition begins. We thank you for your understanding.

**Operation** – Retrieve first aid materials without touching the sides. Then, use the materials to demonstrate first aid. First aid challenges will come from the Tenderfoot - First Class first aid requirements.

**Candyland** - Make your way through Candyland in order to get your fire building materials. You must make kindling from a piece of wood and use that to make a fire to roast a marshmallow.

**Charades** - Scouts will need to act out the uses for different knots. Then, the patrol must correctly make the knot. The knots used will be for Tenderfoot - First Class. Remember, no talking!

Bananagrams - Scouts will need to make words from Scouting quickly!

**Rube Goldberg Machine** - Scouts will need to make a Rube Goldberg Machine using various materials. The machine will need to span 20 linear feet and must keep a ball in motion the entire time until it lands in a bucket. Ball must go through a minimum of two (2) transitions. They will need to make lashings in order to make their machine work!

**Memory** - Scouts will need to play Memory card game with animal tracks and common plants. Scouts must also identify the plant or what animal made that track.

Yahtzee! - Shoot arrows at dice targets! If you get five of the same number, Yahtzee!

**Chutes and Ladders** - Answer Scout trivia as you move through the board. Try and go up ladders and avoid the chutes!

# **Camporee 2022 Competition Scoring**

Each Scout and Patrol is encouraged to participate in all the events to be able to achieve the maximum number of points. Every Troop should carry their Troop Flag with them to every competition, work as a team and involve each member of the Troop in all events to demonstrate their Scouting Spirit wherever they go. In all activities and challenges, every Scout should keep SAFETY FIRST as their first goal awards are based on the Patrol's achievements based on the standards below.

Scoring will be based on how the patrol does at each event. There will be a score sheet given to each patrol at the start of the camporee. It is the responsibility of each patrol to hold on to their score sheet. Patrols must turn in the score sheet at the end of the activity period.

# **Troop Camporee Competitions**

**Hot Potato** - There will be a hot potato competition for Saturday dinner. Please note, the potato should be hot in temperature not in spiciness. Come up with your best baked potato and you don't even need to throw it!

# Camporee 2022 Registration Form Scout/Venture Crew

Troop/Crew #	
Number of Scouts	
Number of Leaders	
Troop/Crew Total	
Total Number of Patrols	
Registration Cost per Person	\$22 per Scout, \$18 per Adult Co-op: \$18 per Scout and \$15 per Adult.
Troop/Crew Total Cost	
Troop/Crew Contact	
Contact Phone Number	
Contact Email	
Camping Friday and Saturday Nights	
Bringing Trailer	
Approximate Number of Tents	
Additional Leader Name	
Additional Leader Phone Number	
Can Your Troop/Crew Sponsor an Event	
Can Your Senior Scouts Help Run an Event	

# **Camporee 2022 Unit Roster**

Unit #		
Unit Leader		
Emergency Contact No	umber	
Senior Patrol Leader		
Patrol Name		
Patrol Leader		
Assist. Patrol Leader		
Scout Name		
Patrol Name		
Patrol Leader		
Assist. Patrol Leader		
Scout Name		

# **Camporee 2022 Campfire Submission Form**

This form is to be used to submit each tall tale, song or skit that will be performed at the Saturday night campfire program. Use of Camporee theme is encouraged when deciding the basis for your skit/song but is not required. Participation is encouraged, and Patrols may perform multiple skits/songs. Use your imagination, have fun, and keep it Scout appropriate. Depending on the total number of submissions, not every skit/song may be able to be performed.

Patrol:	Patrol:	Patrol:	Patrol:	Patrol:
Skit				
Song				
Story				

Skit/Song/Story Name Description:

Unit: \_\_\_\_\_