

Gathering Waters District Klondike Derby

Rockledge Park
534 W. High Street, Seymour
January 25, 2025



Klondike Derby – Game Show

Register Here: <https://scoutingevent.com/635-gwklondikederby>

LEADER'S FIELDBOOK

AOL's are encouraged to attend.

Please share the leader guide with your scouts.

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(Please email Stacy if your troop is having more than 1 patrol or you have several different troops in a patrol)

General Information

Klondike Location

This year the Klondike Derby will be held at Rock Ledge Park in Seymour.
534 W. High Street, Seymour.

Patrol Size

Each patrol competing must consist of between 4 and 8 Scouts. Please email Stacy Wolter @ Stacywolter1@gmail.com if you have more than 1 patrol in your troop or if you will be several different troops in your patrol.

Arrival / Check in Process

All units will arrive on Saturday morning and report to the Scout House. The Scout house will serve as the event headquarters for the day.

Please have your SPL drop off your cans of soup and pick up all necessary information from the Headquarters.

As units arrive, you will unload your gear at the overflow parking lot. There will be no parking in the lot by the scout house, due to safety considerations.

Trail-in Inspection Sheet

To be completed by the Klondike Official once your entire patrol has arrived. This needs to be completed prior to flags.

Headquarters

The Klondike headquarters will be the Scout House.

Bathroom Facilities

Bathrooms are located in the scout house (Headquarters) and porta potty are located in the park.

Parking

Parking is located in the overflow parking lot behind the park.

Buddy System

Please remind all Scouts that the Buddy System should be used at all times. The scouts should never travel alone.

First Aid

Each unit should bring their own first aid kit. The First Aid area will be located at Scout House. Any emergencies should be reported immediately either to one of the activity leaders or by calling the headquarters. (920-366-3682) Activity leaders are able to contact HQ. In an emergency, CALL 911.

Patches

Patches will be distributed to SPL at the closing ceremony.

Frying Pan

The coveted frying pan is once again up for grabs.

Dutch Oven Competition – Adults only

Adults are invited to participate in a Dutch oven contest Saturday. All dishes must be prepared at the event, not in advance. Please make enough for our judges to sample. Please bring your own hog pans or Dutch oven table, charcoal, and all food. The coveted Golden Spatula is once again up for grabs.

Lunch

Lunch will be provided but participants should bring a can (or 2) of non-cream soup to share for friendship soup. Also, since Scouts are eco-conscience, please bring a reusable mug for the hot cocoa that is served throughout the day. Lunch will be eaten outdoors due to limited space. You may want to bring camp chairs due to limited picnic tables at the park.

Cost

The cost is \$15 per person, plus two cans of soup per person, which includes lunch, patch and fun.

Sled Race

The sled race shall consist of 5 patrol members. One patrol member in the sled, one patrol member riding on the sled and up to 3 patrol members pulling the sled. All members must cross the finish line before their time is counted. Continue running past the finish line to allow teams behind you room to finish the race.

Adult Leaders

Each unit must have at least two registered adult leaders per sled on site.

Troop Patrol Equipment Required

The following is a listing of equipment that each patrol should have with them in their sled as they compete in each event.

- Patrol Flag
- Current Written Weather Report and a Copy of the Leader Guide
- Pocketknife
- Scout Handbook
- Rain / Snow Gear
- Dry Paracord for lashings (50 feet)
- Pencil or Pen
- First Aid Kit
- 2 – 8' poles to build stretcher / Shelter
- Triangle bandages
- Splinting supplies
- Compass
- Flint & Steel or Hot Spark Kit
- An ice cream bucket of fire building materials – (no flammable liquids) to build sustainable fire. One piece of firewood will be provided.
- Trail-in Inspection Sheet
- Blankets or Tarp for stretcher
- Two cans of non-cream soup for each person attending
- Mug for hot cocoa.
- Klondike Sled

AOL's Patrol Equipment Required

The following is a listing of equipment that each patrol should have as they compete in each event.

- Current Written Weather Report
- Rain/ Snow gear
- Pencil or Pen
- First Aid Kit
- Compass
- An ice cream bucket of fire building materials – no flammable liquids
- Two Cans of non-cream soup for each person attending
- Mug for hot cocoa.

Klondike Schedule

<u>WHEN</u>	<u>WHO</u>	<u>WHAT</u>	<u>WHERE</u>
<u>Saturday, January 25, 2025</u>			
8:00 – 8:40	All	Registration (Send in SPL with soup, for necessary information and schedules) Trail-In Inspection	Scout House / Registration Building
8:45 – 8:55	All	Flags and Announcements	Flagpole near Scout House
9:00 – 9:40	Scouts	Session 1	
9:45 – 10:25	Scouts	Session 2	
10:30- 11:10	Scouts	Session 3	
11:15 – 11:55	Scouts	Session 4	
12:00 – 12:40	All	Lunch	Line up outside of Scout House
12:45 – 1:25	Scouts	Session 5	
1:30 – 2:10	Scouts	Session 6	
2:15 – 2:55	Scouts	Session 7	
3:15	Scouts	Sled Race	
3:30	All	Closing Ceremony / Frying Pan	Scout House
9:00 – 11:30	Adults	Dutch Oven Competition	Parking Lot Near Scout House

The list of events may include Tomahawk Toss, Fire Building, Orienteering, First Aid, Sledding, Lashings, Shelter Building, River Crossing, and Team Building.

“Trail-In” Inspection Sheet

Troop _____ Patrol _____

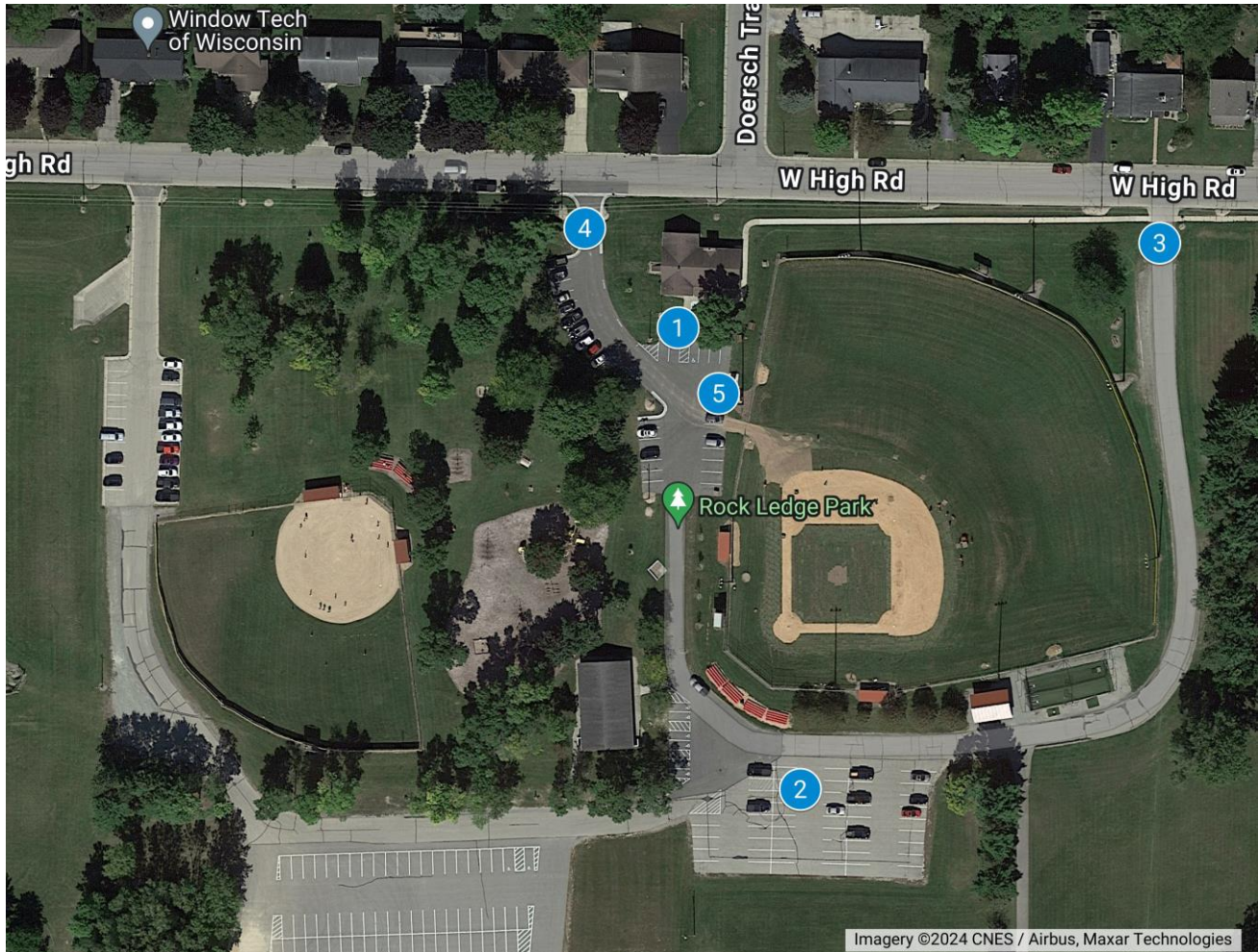
Inspection Category		Max Points	Points Awarded
1.	Is the Patrol Flag Flying?	10	
2.	Does the Patrol Leader have a written weather forecast for Saturday showing source and time?	20	
3.	Does the Patrol Leader have a WORKABLE COMPASS, and can the patrol leader use it to ORIENT the Rock Ledge Park MAP?	10	
4.	Does the patrol have a patrol FIRST AID KIT or individual kits?	20	
5.	Are all SHARP TOOLS safely sheathed?	10	
6.	Are all Scouts properly CLOTHED? (i.e., Mittens, Hat, Ear Protection, Winter Jackets, “Long Johns” and handwarmers?)	20	
7.	Are all Scouts properly SHOD? (Insulated & Waterproof - NO SNEAKERS!)	20	
8.	Do all Scouts have MATCHES that are waterproofed or in a waterproof container?	10	
9.	Is First Aid kit in a central location and visible?	10	
10.	Do they have a copy of the Leader’s Guide?	10	
Maximum		140	

NOTE: Whole patrol must qualify or no score. No partial or pro-rated scores.

Patrol Leader: Resolve any disagreements with the inspection team head judge IMMEDIATELY. Your scores will not be changed later.

Klondike Derby Map of Rock Ledge Park

Actual event map provided at Check-in.



1. Registration / Flags / Lunch
2. Parking Lot
3. To Parking Lot – Watch for signs.
4. NO PARKING
5. Dutch Oven Competition

Klondike Evaluation

Please have Senior Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, and Scoutmaster fill out and return at check out. Each evaluation will be read and considered in the planning of future Klondikes. (Keep in mind that we had nothing to do with the weather, good or bad. Comments concerning weather will not help us improve our programs.)

Troop Number: _____ (Optional) Youth or Adult

1. Which station(s) did you like best about the Klondike and why?

2. Which station(s) did you like least and why?

3. What could have been done differently to improve this Klondike?

4. Were the events able to include all of your scouts? If not, which events presented problems and what were they?

5. Did you feel that the staff was knowledgeable and organized? Need to improve? How?

6. Did the information packet include all of the information you needed? If not, what should have been included?

7. What stations would you like to see in the future?

8. Would you recommend this event to your troop / friends next year? Why or why not?

Additional Comments: (Use the back for additional room)