

**SPIRIT OF ADVENTURE COUNCIL
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

**2023 SPRING CAMPOREE
WEST WIND AND GREAT EASTERN DISTRICTS**

**T.L. STORER SCOUT RESERVATION
1513 PROVINCE RD.
BARNSTEAD, NH 03218
MAY 3-5, 2023**

**POCKET GUIDE TO THE
GALAXY**

The world in your hands. Smartphone can be used for more than phone calls, texts and games.

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What is the Spring Camporee?

The Spring Camporee is an event that challenges the scouts by giving them a problem or situation to solve as a team at various station.

Theme:

‘Pocket Guide to the Galaxy’

This year’s Spring Camporee will focus on using your smart phone and apps at stations to resolve real world situations that a scout may come across. Smart phones as a new basic essential. The Scouts will be challenged to accomplish tasks with limited resources and limitless imagination.

Morning Stations:

- At each station, scouts will be given a scenario with a problem for them to resolve or an action to undertake.
- Scouts are required to solve the problem using their own abilities and training.
- Scouts are given points based not only on accomplishment of the problem, but on patrol spirit, team unity, and other scout qualities.

Campwide Afternoon Event:

- Campwide Scavenger Hike - Utilize items learned at morning stations.
- Service project – Thank you to the staff at T.L. Storer for inviting us to use the facility.

General Information

- **CHECK-IN:** Units must check in upon arrival, Friday evening or Saturday morning. Submit a patrol roster of all participants. Patrols should be made up of 6-10 Scouts. All units are responsible for their members' medical forms.
- **PARKING:**
Parking allowed at service center parking lot.
Vehicles may enter campsite to load/unload.
Troop trailers allowed to remain at campsite.
Vehicular traffic NOT allowed on camp roads on Saturday.
- **CAMPING:**
Camping allowed in designated camping areas only. Camping is not assigned.
- **FIRST AID:** First aid emergencies should be directed to the staff. All minor first aid opportunities should be handled by the individual unit. Camporee staff will be on hand throughout the event.
- **EMERGENCY CONTACTS:**
 - Barnstead Fire/Rescue. (603) 269-4121 or 911.
 - Barnstead Police Dept. (603) 527-5454 or 911.
- **FACILITIES:** Located throughout the camping area for your convenience.
- **FIRES:** Fires are only allowed in fire ring or container OFF the ground. There is wood available at the reservation.
- **WATER:** Water will be available.
- Scouts should wear properly attired for the day! 'A Scout is Always Prepared'.
- **Pack-In, Pack-Out. Please keep the campground clean. We want to be welcomed back. Take your trash home.**

Schedule:

Friday, May 3, 2024

- 5:00 p.m. - Begin arrival and check-in (@ dining hall)
- 8:00 p.m. - Backstage Pass - Patrol Leader Meeting and Cracker Barrel (@ dining hall)

Saturday, May 4, 2024

- 7:30 a.m. - Check in
- 8:00 a.m. - Station Leaders' Meeting
- 8:30 a.m. - Patrol Leaders' Meeting
- 8:45 a.m. - Opening Ceremony
- 9:00 a.m. – Morning Events
- 12:00 noon - Lunch (in-site)
- 1:30 p.m. - Afternoon Events
- 4:00 p.m. - End of Activities
- 5:00 p.m. - Dinner (in-site)
- 8:00 p.m. – Fire @ Council Ring (@ waterfront)

Sunday, May 5, 2024

- 9:00 a.m. - Awards Ceremony

Morning Events

Test Your Skills in Designated Areas.

- Plant Identification
- Animal and Animal Track Identification
- First Aid
- Weather
- Knots, Lashings and Pioneering
- Measuring Objects

Afternoon Events:

- Camp Wide Scavenger Hike:
 - Identify 3 animals and 3 plants
 - Knots
 - Orienteering
- Service Hours @ T.L. Storer









Evening Events:

- Astronomy (time permitting)
 - App: SkyWatch Night Sky
- Fire - the Council Ring @ waterfront
 - skits, songs and chants are mandatory

Cooking Competition:

- Entrée - Troops will be required to prepare an entree utilizing three (3) ingredients given to them and the ingredients in their campsite.
- Dessert - Troops will be required to prepare a dessert utilizing three (3) ingredients given to them and the ingredients in their campsite.
- Judges will award point based on creativity, taste and visual appeal
- Troops may cook using a style of their choosing: open fire, tin foil, dutch oven or camp stove.

Event Descriptions

Plant Identification - app: INaturalist	
Animal and Animal Track Identification - app: iTrack Wildlife Lite	
First Aid - app: First Aid: American Red Cross	
Weather - app: Weather Radar by Weatherbug	
Knots, Lashings and Pioneering - app: Useful Knots Tying Guide (Neptune Apps)	
Measuring Objects - app: Phyphox	
Orienteering - app: Digital Compass (Axiomatic Inc.)	
Astronomy - App: SkyWatch Night Sky Star Finder	

The Essentials

- Journal or Notebook
- Writing Implements (pen, pencil, etc)
- Binoculars
- Rope for Lashing
- Smart Phone
 - Charger and/or brick
 - Power strip

2023 Spring Camporee Registration

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Register online at <https://form.jotform.com/240705520606145> or
using the QR code below

Registration fee is \$10.00 per scout.
Troops registration requested by April 19, 2023
This is necessary to obtain required supplies



Check-In

Please bring your payment receipt when checking in at the registration area. Every unit is to check in upon arrival. Please provide the staff with a patrol list including: Troop number, Patrol name, number of Scouts in Patrol, age and rank of each Scout.

If you have any questions, or would like more information please contact:
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2023 Spring Camporee
Patrol Registration

Troop# _____ Patrol Name _____

Scout Name

Rank

Age

Total Scouts _____