TURKEY TROT CAMPOREE 2017



CAMP YAWGOOG

Camporee Schedule

Friday, October 20th

5:00-9:00pm: Check-in with the Camp Masters and set up camp 11:00 pm: Taps, Lights Out and Quiet Time

Saturday, October 21st

7:00 am: Reveille, Breakfast at campsites
8:00 am: Senior Patrol Leader and Scout Master Meeting – location TBA
8:45 am: Opening Flag Ceremony followed with any needed announcements
9:00 am: Activities open – please follow schedule and maps handed out at SPL meeting
Noon-1:30pm: Lunch at individual campsites
1:30pm: Activities open up for the afternoon
5:00pm: Trash can turkey judging
5:30-7:30pm: Dinner at individual campsites
8:00pm: All Troop Campfire, skits and songs
11:00 pm: Taps, Lights out, Quiet Time

Sunday, October 22nd

7:00 am: Reveille, Breakfast at campsites9:00 am: Award announcements and Closing Flag Ceremony11:00 am: Camporee Closed and Checked Out

EVENT INFORMATION

TRASH CAN TURKEY CONTEST

In the Trash Can Turkey Contest, we will judge each Troop's ability to cook the perfect turkey in a trashcan.

Guidelines and Rules:

1 Turkey per Troop will be judged – 10 to 12 lb. Turkey

Must only use charcoal or wood chip fires

Metal trash can only – (no grills – sorry Scout Master's)

Must be "boy" cooked

Turkey must be ready and at the judging location (TBA) in time for the 5:00pm judging or be disqualified

Troop must present the fully cooked turkey

Judging will be done on both presentation and taste. Each troop will carve their bird once presentation has been judge for the taste contest.

Each Troop must bring all of their own supplies for the turkey cooking contest

TOMAHAWK THROWING

Test your skills at tomahawk throwing with an expert! Each patrol will be judged on skills and their ability to score.

No troop equipment needed for this event

RIFLE SHOOTING

Is your Troop full of sharp shooters? Test your skills on the rifle range and get the high score for your patrol and Troop!

No Troop equipment needed for this event.

PUMPKIN CORN HOLE CONTEST

This will be a contest of patrol against patrol. Who has the better aim? The game will be played until a team reaches 21 points at the completion of a frame. (If a team pitching first reaches or

exceeds 21 points, the game is not over until the other side is allowed to pitch all of their bags to complete the frame).

No Troop equipment needed for this event.

FIRST AID COMPETITION

First Aid – such an important Boy Scout skill for life. An active Army Medic will test what you have learned over the years against other patrols. You should be prepared to be proficient in First Aid skills up to First Class.

No Troop equipment needed for this event.

BOW SAW RELAY

Another competition of patrol against patrol. This time with Bow Saw's.....

The patrols line up in relay formation, each facing their log from a distance of 20 feet. The bow saw is placed alongside the log. On signal, two Scouts from each patrol run up to the log. One Scout steadies the log positioned on the support block, while the second Scout puts on the gloves and saws off a disk about 2 inches thick. As soon as the disk drops to the ground, the Scouts change positions and another disk is sawed off. When the second disk hits the ground, the bow saw and gloves are placed beside the log, then both Scouts race back to the starting line and tag the next two Scouts, who repeat the process. This continues until all Scouts have had a chance to saw and all members of the patrol have returned to the starting line.

- Each patrol that comes to the Bow Saw Relay should bring with them 1 30" bow saw; 1 set of leather gloves and 2 sets of eye protection.

TURKEY TROT RACE

A standard Turkey Trot is a 5K race, but we are going to add flare to this instead and do it "Scout" style.

Patrol against patrol in a relay race around Tim O'Neil field – Scout wheel barrel; three legged sack race and finishing up with leap frog to see who comes in first.

No troop equipment needed for this event.

MAP AND COMPASS

Another life skill even beyond Boy Scouts. Are we at Camp Yawgoog or on the trails of Philmont? Test your land navigation skills with a former Army Drill Sargent.

- Each patrol should come with 2 compasses or more if available, along with a notebook and pen/pencil.

FREE STANDING FLAG POLE LASHING CONTEST

Each patrol has come this far, the final test for the day will be making a free standing flag pole with nothing but rope and wooden poles. For extra points, bring a Troop made turkey flag to seal the deal and show your Scout pride when you raise your flag pole and fly your flag!

- Each patrol should come with 100 feet of rope and a pocket knife. Optional Troop made turkey flag.

SATURDAY NIGHT CAMPFIRE

After a long day of racing and challenges with Turkey's let's come together Saturday night for a Saturday night show. Each Troop should be prepared with 1 song and 1 skit. Please be prepared to turn the name of each into Mrs. Williamson by lunch time on Saturday of the Camporee.

Note to all Troops attending: We would be grateful if we could get one adult from your troop to assist our host Troop at each of the event's. Please see Mrs. Williamson at the SPL/Scoutmaster meeting on Saturday morning to sign up for an event.

TROOP SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR CAMPOREE

In addition to your Troop camping supplies, the following will be needed to participate in different events being offered at the camporee.

- 1) Each Troop must bring all of their own supplies for the turkey cooking contest
- 2) Each patrol that comes to the Bow Saw Relay should bring with them 1 30" bow saw; 1 set of leather gloves and 2 sets of eye protection.
- 3) Each patrol should come with 2 compasses (or more if available), along with a notebook and pen/pencil.
- 4) Each patrol should come with 100 feet of rope and a pocket knife. Optional Troop made turkey flag.
- 5) Duct Tape 1 roll
- 6) Each Troop should be prepared with 1 song and 1 skit. Please be prepared to turn the name of each into Mrs. Williamson by lunch time on Saturday of the Camporee.