



**Cascadia District Camporee
Antique Powerland
April 28 - April 30, 2023**

This Leaders Guide is designed to give you some basic information, and will be supplemented, as we get closer to the actual event. You should find all of your questions answered in this booklet, but if you do not, please contact **Ben Blau**, Camporee Chair, at by email to blau.ben@gmail.com.

General Information

Style of Camping: Units can elect to camp backpack style or drive-in camping style. Campsite judging will be geared to the style declared by the unit upon check-in.

Check-in: Plan to arrive on Friday, April 28, during the hours of 6:00-8:00 PM. Vehicle parking is close to the campsites, but some carrying of gear will be required. (Vehicles cannot drive right to campsites.) There will be a trailer unloading option. Whoever arrives from the unit first should be prepared to handle the unit's registration process, which includes receiving a campsite assignment. Please do not drive cars into the camp without first checking and receiving vehicle passes.

Registration: The registration form included in this packet should be filled out in advance and presented at the headquarters when you check-in your unit. Having it completed prior to arrival will greatly reduce the time it takes to register. Every scout and adult who is camping overnight **MUST** be registered on the form and online.

SPL/Unit Leader Meeting: There will be an event information meeting at 9:00 PM on Friday evening at Camporee Headquarters. The Unit SPL (or acting youth unit leader) and Scoutmaster/Crew Leader (or acting adult unit leader) should attend. All units must be represented at this meeting. The final schedule of events, checkout procedure information, and other important information will be distributed at this meeting.

Fees:

Early Bird Registration is \$17 until April 7, 2023 Afterwards it will be \$20 until April 23, 2023. NO registration at the door - no money transactions available.

Staff fee is \$10, includes patch and bling. Cub Scouts and chaperones who are visiting for the DAY are FREE, check in with headquarters before entering the event the museums will be open to visit and the cub's can watch the Camporee.

Patches: Each registered Scout and Scouter will receive a souvenir patch at the end of the weekend in their Unit Checkout packet after the site is inspected before departure.

Medical Records: Each unit leader should bring their health and medical record forms for all Scouts and Leaders that are attending the Camporee. If your unit will have trained medical professionals (doctors, paramedics, first responders, etc.), please inform us at check-in.

Facilities: Units will set up camp following the Guide to Safe Scouting per linked troops. Units will be assigned based on unit size. There will be a map with unit placement updated Friday evening, as units arrive at check in.

Uniforms: Full Scout uniforms are to be worn at general assemblies, campfire and chapel. Activity uniforms consisting of appropriate themed attire or scout pants or shorts, scout socks and belt, and a troop t-shirt (or some scouting tee-shirt) must be worn at all other times. This applies to staff as well.

Cooking: Liquid fuel and compressed gas stoves may be used in accordance with BSA policy. Registered Leaders are responsible for storage of liquid fuel in the campsite area. **NO Charcoal.**

Fires: NO OPEN FLAME FIRES ARE PERMITTED due to a fire ban by local Fire Marshall. Raised propane fires are allowed with fire bucket and shovel.

Water: Water spigots will be available for our water. **Bring water jugs** to fill and remember to conserve.

Garbage: Pack it in and pack it out.

Menu and Duty Roster: Each patrol should have its menu and duty roster posted. Samples are included in this booklet. These should be readable by anyone who may visit their site.

Camporee Activities: Saturday will consist of interpatrol competition events. Saturday before the campfire program, there will be a unit competition activity. Open program is provided throughout the day.

Who competes? Only a units regularly organized patrols should compete. "Ringer" patrols made up for just the Camporee are not in keeping with good Scout Spirit. Units are encouraged to have older Scouts act as Troop Guides.

Leadership: The events will be led by the District's Youth staff. Instructions will be presented to the patrol leader at the beginning of each event.

Competition Areas: Separate areas will be laid out for each of the events. When first registering at the Camporee, patrols will be assigned a starting station for Saturday's activities and circulate through the events until they have completed all event stations. As in previous years, patrols may go from station to station in whatever order they choose. It does not need to be in numerical order. Patrols should be advised that different stations will require different lengths of time to complete.

Skills and Knowledge Required to be Successful: As in past years, activity events will utilize Scouting skills, teamwork, and an emphasis on the Patrol method. The following list of activities are great skills to develop and use at Camporee, however, at this time, the youth are deciding on what to offer, and will be communicated at the April Roundtable.

Staff are still creating a fun filled program and final list will be made available to the SPLs on Friday evening prior to the event - POSSIBLE stations may be:

Patrol teamwork	OA Village	Basic Scout First Aid
Map & compass skills	Patrol communication	Scouting Essentials
Obstacle Course	Minimum impact camping	Skits & Song
Knot tying	Demonstrated patrol yells	

Points will also be gained for demonstrating scout and patrol spirit, teamwork, proper uniforming, having a patrol flag at the events, and active participation throughout the day

In addition to the primary activity stations, there will be additional activities available to patrols for Unit Honor award. These include:

- Visiting additional activities available throughout the event
- Campfire participation
- Service projects - all need to participate
- Museums are open, and will have demonstrations throughout the day

Campsite Inspections: All patrols in the troop must be judged under the one criteria declared by the troop. Please plan on having an adult in camp to help identify patrol areas (staff will try to pre-assign times needed. Inspections will occur during Saturday’s activities period).

Judging and Recognitions: Points will be awarded for action events, campsite inspections, and bonus participation activities. Awards will be presented at Sunday morning’s final Camporee Assembly.

Service Projects: There will be a service project for **ALL** units to participate. The service projects will be explained at the Friday night SPL and unit Leaders’ meeting. Have scouts bring gloves and units bring basic yard tools.

Visitors: All visitors must check in at the Camporee headquarters prior to visiting the Camporee grounds. Parents, siblings, and supervised Cub scouts are invited to watch the events and the campfire on Saturday. Visitors should show up no later than 6:30 p.m. for the campfire.

Camporee Staff: The Camporee staff will consist of approved Scouts, and members of the Order of the Arrow, or District scouts. Contact **Ben Blau**, Camporee Chairman, at blau.ben@gmail.com and provide a name of who you recommend to serve on staff. All Camporee Staff member selection will take place in advance of the Camporee and not on the day prior to the event.

Camp Departure: Camporee check-out procedures will be provided at Friday's SPL/Unit Leader Meeting. Some units will be leaving on Saturday evening and will need to have their campsite inspection and checkout before dark. They can attend the campfire, but their site should be cleared for inspection. Be sure that you inform Ben Blau, Camporee Chairman, before your departure for a site inspection. All units are expected to follow the same guidelines of leaving their site clean, taking out their trash, and checking out with the proper Camporee Staff before departure. The Camporee officially ends at the Final Camporee Assembly on Sunday. All Units must be out of the Camporee site by Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

**Questions? Ben Blau Camporee Chairman,
email: blau.ben@gmail.com**

**Location: Antique Powerland, Powerland Heritage Park
3995 Brooklake Rd NE, Salem, OR 97303
Exit 263 - Off I-5 Brooks, Oregon**



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Campsite Inspection Criterion

Troop #: _____ Campsite #: _____ Senior Patrol Leader: _____ Inspector: _____

	Possible Points	Score	Notes
Tents lined up in neat rows or formations, with definite patrol divisions.	10		
Patrol dining fly pitched properly.	5		
Trash bag available and not overloaded	5		
At least one Pioneering campsite improvement, made only from natural materials brought from home.	10		
Ground cloth covering entire tent floor (prepared for inclement weather)	5		
Tents areas are neat, with no personal belongings outside of the tent. "Be Prepared"	10		
No ditching, careless damage or disruption of ground cover and surrounding foliage.	10		
Campsite is litter free/Leave No Trace -gray water disposal (screen)	10		
Use of stoves only – no open fire or charcoal.	5		
Cooking gear is stored between uses, covered, at least under a tarp or in a tent.	5		
Proper fuel storage. (gas valve off)	5		
Demonstrated method for proper utensil/dishwashing.	5		
Camporee schedule and duty roster posted.	5		
First Aid Kit visible per unit	5		
Gateway/Scout Spirit (Unique scouting feature)	5		
TOTALS	100		

Cascadia Camporee Unit Roster

Unit # _____ Number of Patrols: _____

Number of Scouts: _____

Number of Adults: _____

Troop Leadership

Unit Leader _____	Senior Patrol Leader _____
Assistant Unit Leader _____	Assistant Senior Patrol Leader _____
Assistant Unit Leader _____	Junior Assistant Scoutmaster _____
Other _____	Other _____
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Patrol Rosters

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**Please print additional pages for additional Patrol Rosters.

2023 Schedule

NOTE: SCHEDULE CHANGES ARE POSSIBLE, BE SURE TO HAVE YOUR UNIT REPRESENTED AT THE SPL/UNIT LEADERS MEETING AT 9:00 PM FRIDAY NIGHT

FRIDAY

- 6:00 PM Registration opens / Troops start arriving
- 9:00 PM SPL/UNIT LEADER MEETING/CRACKER BARREL-Headquarters (all units)
- 10:00 PM Scouts in camp except to & from KYBO. This must be strictly enforced. Lights Out & All Quiet - After this time, no lanterns should be lit, even in adult campsites.

SATURDAY

- 6:30 AM Quiet Breakfast prep
- 7:00 AM Reveille - before this time, no scout is to leave their campsite except for the KYBO. Only whispers are allowed before this time. Camp sites should be quiet.
- 7:00 Breakfast
- 8:30 Morning assembly and Flag
- 9:00 AM Activity Stations begin at assigned location. Campsite Evaluations begin
- 11:00 am Activity Stations end morning sessions. Patrols return to campsites for lunch
- 12:30-1:30 pm Service Project - all Units, and Leaders participate
- 2:00 PM Activity Stations begin to complete any missed stations
- 4:30 PM Activity Stations end, Museums close. All patrols in campsites. Begin dinner preparation
- 7:00 pm Campfire with OA call out
- 10:30 PM Scouts in camp except to & from KYBO. This must be strictly enforced. Lights Out & All Quiet - After this time, no lanterns should be lit, even in adult campsites. Only whispers are allowed after this time.

SUNDAY

- 7:00 AM Reveille - before this time, no scout is to leave their campsite except for the KYBO. Only whispers are allowed before this time. Camp sites should be quiet.
- 7:30 AM Breakfast
- 9:00 AM Troops depart for Chapel
- 9:15 AM Chapel Service, Final Assembly
- 9:30 AM Final All Camporee Assembly. Then Troops depart as they receive final clearance from camp staff after checking out
- 10:00 AM Trailers allowed in to load out
- 11:00 AM Camporee Site Vacant

*Please note, schedule may deviate due to unforeseen circumstances, updates will be provided by the Camporee Youth SPL