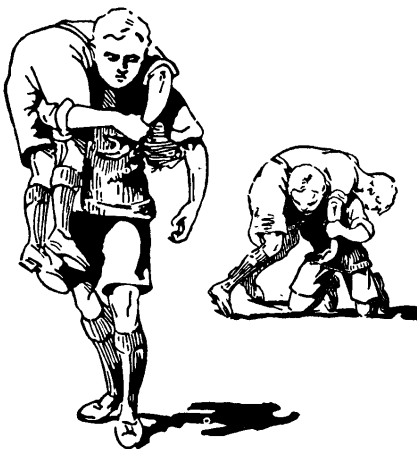




# 2021 Snake River District Spring Camporee Guide

## Trail to 1st Class Challenge: Outdoor Skills



## **1.0 CAMPOREE OVERVIEW**

**1.1 Location:** Niagara Springs State Park

**1.12 Who Participates:** Members of the Snake River District Scouts BSA and Webelos are invited to attend. This is a Snake River District, one day event Saturday 8 am to 9pm, May 15th.

**1.13 Pre-Registration:** You will need to pre-register by responding to the email sent out by District Executive Jeremy Brown sent out with a Roster of scouts attending and the names of your two deep leadership and if your unit would be willing to help with overseeing a program event. On-site registration is 8am.

a. If you plan to camp overnight Friday/Saturday:

- With a sister troop or Webelos Den you will be expected to follow BSA guidelines for overnight camping.
- If you plan to camp Friday night you will need arrive before 7pm. The gate will be closed at 7pm.
- If you plan to camp over Saturday night please let us know if you would like Sunday church service, this will help us plan accordingly.

**1.14 Driving Directions:** From the district office it is 23 miles to Niagara Springs State Park. Follow the driving Direction included in this guide

**1.15 Upon entering the Camp:**

- a. There will be no cost for vehicle parking or overnight camping. Cost for camporee will be a group service project at the end of the day.
- b. Follow the directions signs to the parking at the pavilion. The Scoutmaster and SLP will walk to the registration table. Here you will be given a program schedule showing the daily events.
- c. You will be expected to park in designated parking areas, by backing in. This will help eliminate any confusion should we have to evacuate camp. If you bring a trailer you can park it beside your camp site. Please don't block the road

**1.16 All Overnight camping:**

- a. Troops who plan to camp before or after the Camporee will not be under the Camporee event. This is a Saturday Snake River District event from 8:30am to 9pm
- b. Campsites will be first come first served.
- c. Food and drinks will not be provided. Food and drink must be provided by the troop.
- d. There will be no trash receptacles. As scouts when we pack it in we pack it out.
- e. As always a scout leaves it better then they found it....so be sure to leave your campsite/area cleaner.

**1.17 FIRST AID AND MEDICAL EMERGENCIES:** A First Aid Station will be set up near the pavilion and prominently marked. All injuries or illnesses, even minor ones treated in the campsite, **must be brought to the First Aid station personnel for treatment/review.**

**1.18 Proper Uniform** BSA Field Dress Uniforms will be dress of the day and will be expected, at all events. So come prepared

**1.19 Availability of Water** No water is available. You will need to bring your own.

**1.20 Latrines** Niagara Springs Camp bathrooms will be closed. Bathroom facilities are Camp latrines located north side of camp please respect them and help keep them clean.

**1.21 Trash** Every unit needs to bring a supply of plastic trash bags to securely bag their own trash.  
**We are required to carry our trash out.**

**1.22 Discipline** Leaders will be responsible for the behavior of their Scouts at all times. Non-scout behavior will not be tolerated. All electronic equipment (games) are not permitted at the Camporee and they should be left at home.

**1.23 Religious Services** The 12th part of the SCOUT LAW is a "Scout is Reverent"  
The Staff will provide a Sunday Scout's Own Service Sunday morning at 10 am. Please let if you will be attending and we will include your troop in part of the service.



## 2.0 PROGRAM INFORMATION

**NOTE: Bring whatever equipment you will need to compete in the events!!!**  
**Each scout should bring their scout book**

### **2.1 SCOUT CRACKER BARREL** Saturday evening's cracker barrel will be a Troop Cracker barrel cook-off.

Here is where each Troop can show off their Dutch oven cooking abilities. Each Troop will need to bring a Dutch oven dish to be judged. An award ribbons will be present after judging. This will be a great opportunity for Scoutmasters, to teach their scouts Dutch oven cooking using the edge method. If you plan to participate, be sure to let us know when you pre-registration if you plan to attend.

Each station will be a 60 minutes long event and overseen and explained by a youth/adult staff member. Your SPL will be the youth leader for your unit and will ensure the E.D.G.E. method is being used during the training of scouts. The Scoutmaster will judge how well their scouts complete the event.

#### **1. NAVIGATION: [326-357]      Event Director: ASM Kevin Wright**

Description of event:

Ways of measuring Distance; Heights; Widths.  
Understanding Topographic Maps; Symbols; Map Colors; Contour lines;  
Parts of a compass; Adjusting for declination; orienting a map;  
Show you know what a 3 point and log fireplace is;

#### **2. CAMPFIRE: [387-397]      Event Director Jared Evans**

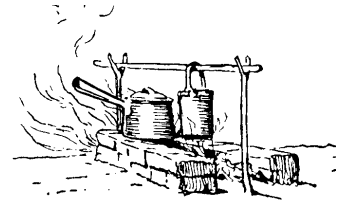
Description of event:

Show that you know how to build two fires using a match and without a match  
Show you know how to fire lay for a Teepee; Log and three point fire place  
Build a fuzz stick and use it to light one of the fire lays and fire burns 5 minutes. Earn your Firem'n Chit card

#### **3. CAMPING: [256-285]      Event Direct**

Description of event:

What are the two types of camping;  
As a Patrol or "Troop sing Scout Vespers"  
What are the six parts of a "Camping Trip Plan?"  
What is campsite inspection?  
Demonstrate two ways of sleeping outdoors not using a tent.  
Show what must be done with your smellables



#### **4. KNOTS: [359-371]      Event Director:**

Description of event:

Show that you can;  
Whip and fuse a rope  
Tie and explain how you would use a Square Knot; Two half-hitches;  
taunt- line hitch; Clove Hitch; Bowline; Sheet Bend;

#### **5. LASHINGS: [371-378]      Event Director:**

Description of event:

Learn to tie the following Lashings:  
Square; Shear; Diagonal; Tripod; Round; Floor  
Review Outdoor Ethics in Pioneering



#### **6. CAMPING TOOLS: [379-387]      Event Director: ASPL Rosemary Bowyer**

Description of event:

Show how to properly care for a pocket knife & wood cutting tools  
Show how to safely use wood cutting tools  
Earn your "Totin' Chip" card

**Campers Schedule of Events**

Each event will be 1 hour long

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Notes</b>
<b><i>Saturday</i></b>		
<b>8:30 am</b>	Camp Flag Ceremony	At flag pole Field Dress
<b>8:45 am</b>	Scoutmaster Roundtable	Discuss programs
<b>9:00 am-12:00 pm</b>	1. Knots; 2 Camping; 3 Campfire	
<b>12:00 – 1:00 pm</b>	Lunch at campsite	
<b>1:00 – 4 pm</b>	4 Camp tools; 5 Navigation; 6 Lashing-	
<b>4:30</b>	Service Project	
<b>5 pm</b>	Camp Flag Retrieval	At flag pole Field Dress
<b>5pm</b>	Dinner & Skit development	At campsites
<b>7:30</b>	Campfire	Fire Bowl
<b>8:00</b>	Cracker Barrel	At pavilion
<b>9:00 pm</b>	Camporee over	

**Saturday night's campfire will include skits and award presentations. So come prepared with a skit**





**35 min (22.9 mi) via Golf Course Rd**

[DIRECTIONS](#)

2988 Falls Ave E	
Head west on E 4000 N/Falls Ave E toward Skyline Dr	
Continue to follow Falls Ave E	
Turn right onto N 3100 E/Eastland Dr N	1.0 mi
Slight left onto E 4100 N	0.9 mi
Turn right onto Bridgeview Blvd	0.6 mi
Turn right onto US-93 N	0.4 mi
Turn left onto Golf Course Rd	0.9 mi
Turn right to stay on Golf Course Rd	4.1 mi
Turn left onto W 300 S	3.0 mi
Continue onto E 3600 S	5.0 mi
Turn left onto Rex Leland Hwy	4.4 mi
Continue onto Niagara Springs Grade	0.6 mi
Niagara Springs State Park, 2136 Niagara Springs Grade, Wendell, ID 83355	1.9 mi



## **Troop Roster**

**All scouts must be registered**  
**Please include this in email to District Executive**

<u>Troop No:</u>		<u>SPL:</u>		<u>SM:</u>
<u>Patrol Name</u>	<u>Patrol Name</u>	<u>Patrol Name</u>	<u>Patrol Name</u>	<u>Patrol Name</u>
Scouts Name and rank				

### **Adults**

Please include Troop position

troop position	name	What program can you help with?

**Unit Registration**  
**Snake River District**  
**2021 Spring Camporee**

Unit Number \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Type \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Unit Leader's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Unit Leader's Email \_\_\_\_\_

Second Unit Leader's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Will your unit be camping during the weekend? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Do you plan to camp? Friday Night: Yes/No \_\_\_\_\_ Time of arrival \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday Night: Yes/No \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to participate in the troop Dutch Oven cook-off?

\_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no