

Mountain Laurel & Lake Cumberland Districts Present:

"Challenge in the Klondike"

Klondike Derby

January 12-14, 2018

Where

Feltner 4-H Camp 380 J.M. Feltner Road, London, Kentucky

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Event Details

Directions

From I-75 South London Exit #38 – head East on KY 192 for 2.1 miles to KY 229. Turn right (South) and head 2.9 miles. Camp is just past Levi Jackson SRP on the left.

From Hal Rogers Parkway – head West on KY 192 for 1.6 miles to KY 229. Turn left (South) and head 2.9 miles. Camp is just past Levi Jackson SRP on the left.

General Information

- 1. Cost is \$12.00 per person (youth or adult).
- 2. Every youth participant must be registered with the BSA.
- 3. Every Unit must have 2 adult leaders with Youth Protection Training.
- 4. Saturday supper will be a chili cook off and a Dutch oven dessert competition:
 - A. Every unit should bring at least 1 pot of chili sufficient to serve up to DOUBLE its attending members. This DOES NOT necessarily have to be cooked in a Dutch oven, although that is preferred. Units may bring more than one pot of chili but only 1 may be entered for the cook off.
 - B. Dutch oven dessert competition will be a patrol competition each patrol in a unit may enter 1 dessert.
- 5. Buildings and areas not designated for Klondike Derby activities are off-limits.
- 6. Some firewood will be available on-site, but units should plan to bring their own.
- 7. Fires in campsites should be <u>elevated</u> above ground level as we will be camping on an activity field. No dug pits or ground fires allowed.
- 8. Water will be available on-site.
- 9. Units may begin checking in at 4 p.m.
- 10. Bathroom facilities are available on-site.
- 11. There will be 10 fun competitive Patrol activities. Minimum Patrol size is 4 Scouts; maximum size 7 Scouts. All 10 activities will be scored with 1st Place ribbons for each event plus overall awards for the top 3 Patrols.
- 12. Competitive events stations may be visited in any order to avoid log jams.
- 13. Klondike Sled Race This will be an <u>optional</u> fun event. Your entry <u>must resemble a</u>
 <u>Klondike sled</u> that is capable of carrying 1 Scout (sitting on sled). No more than 4 Scouts may pull/push the sled over the course. (So, total 5 Scouts for this event.)

All policies of the Boy Scouts of America will be followed at all times.

Tentative Schedule of Events

Friday, January 12, 2018

4:00 pm	Registration opens / Campsite setup
6:00 pm	Supper on your own in campsites
9:00 pm	Cracker Barrel (the unit leader and the SPL should attend)
	 Deadline to register Patrols for competition / event fees due
11:00 pm	Lights Out

Saturday, January 13, 2018

7:00 am	Reveille	
7:30 am	Breakfast on your own in campsites	
8:30 am	Flag raising at Flag Pole	
9:00 am to 12:00 pm	Competitive events (stations may be visited in any order)	
12:00 pm to 12:45 pm	Lunch on your own in campsites – activity stations closed	
12:45 pm to 3:00 pm	Competitive events (stations may be visited in any order)	
3:00 pm	Optional Klondike Sled Race - meet at Picnic Shelter	
3:45 pm	Free time and prepare for supper	
6:00 pm	Chili cook off Judging & Supper @ shelter house	
6:30pm	Dutch oven dessert judging @ shelter house	
8:00 pm	Campfire program and awards	
11:00 pm	Lights out	

Sunday, January 14, 2018

7:00 am	Reveille
7:30 am	Breakfast on your own in campsites
9:00 am	Non-denominational "Scout's Own" worship service at Picnic Shelter
10:00 am	Camporee concludes
11:00 am	All units should be out of camping area. Remember: Leave No Trace!

Note: All units must complete a police line of their area before departure.

"Challenge in the Klondike" Competitive Events

Overview

- 1. Each Patrol must visit all 10 stations to be eligible for awards.
- 2. Patrols should have a minimum of 4 members and maximum of 7 members.
- 3. Patrols should "Be Prepared" by having the 10 Boy Scout Outdoor Essential items.
- 4. Patrols may visit stations in any order to prevent backups.
- 5. All events have been designed to be completed in 30 minutes or less.
- 6. Awards will be given to 1st Place Patrol at each station and the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place Overall Patrols during Saturday campfire program.

Activity Stations

Hunting Party (Marksmanship)

Description: Each member of your Klondike Team will take 5 shots at a target using a BB gun

(provided by Council) to receive a score. Total team score divided by the number of

shooters will give overall average score.

Telegraph Office

Description: Two members of your Klondike Team will decipher Morse code messages (a key will

be provided) that contain questions related to requirements for the **New Scout Rank**. Teams will select their messages by random draw. The remaining team members must provide the correct answers (or perform the appropriate tasks). The Team members who decipher the messages <u>may not assist</u> in providing the answers. This is a timed

event.

Lumberjack Challenge

Description: One at a time, each member of your Patrol will saw through a landscape timber (or

similar) using a Bow Saw. Total time divided by the number of members in your team

will give overall average score.

Delivering the Mail

Description: On Snow Shoes carry a mail bag a set distance. This will be done by each member this

will be a timed event.

Log Toss

Description: Each member of a patrol will do a Caber Toss with a small log total distance will be

counted total for the patrol. If a patrol is smaller than 6 members scouts will be

chosen at random for a second toss to achieve a total of 6 tosses.

Obstacle Course Challenge

Description: Each member of your patrol will run the gauntlet! Complete this challenge to earn a total team time

Finding the way

Description: Your Klondike Team will pick up a sheet containing instructions taking you to several locations. At each location, team members will be asked to provide a compass bearing to a designated target relative to magnetic North. Teams must provide their own compass. Points are awarded based on accuracy of the bearing; tie-breakers determined by fastest time to complete challenge.

Trouble on the Mountain

Description: While traveling across a mountain pass one member of your Klondike Team becomes injured breaking his leg. You mush splint and dress the wound then you must construct a stretched carrying your team mate of 20 meters to safety. This is a timed event.

Burn the rope (Fire Starting)

Description: Your task is to build a fire with a magnesium fire starter and/or up to 3 matches (all materials and wood provided). This is a timed event, and will be completed when the rope is burnt in half with a tie-breaker being the Team using the fewest number of matches.

Big Joe Mufferaw

Description:

Knot tying challenge, timber hitch, clove hitch, bowline, reef knot, sheet shank (for shortening a long rope) bowsun chair, truckers hitch. This will be a timed and accuracy event.

In addition to completing the specific task, Patrols will receive scores based upon their Teamwork, Participation and Scout Spirit at each station.

Each Troop will need to have at least 1 leader volunteer to assist running and scoring activity stations.

Registration Form Unit type: □Troop □Crew #_____ **ADULT ROSTER (please PRINT)** 1. Adult Leader: _____ Email: _____ 2. Other Adults: Phone:_____ 3. 4. 5. Phone:___ Phone: ___ SCOUT ROSTER (please PRINT) - List all Scouts in unit. Patrols will be designated separately for competition. 1. SPL: 2. ASPL: 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. Number of Adults _____ + Number of Youth ____ = Total Participants ____ x \$12.00 = Total Due: \$___ ☐ Payment enclosed (make checks payable to Blue Grass Council, BSA, 2134 Nicholasville Rd, Suite 3, Lexington, KY 40503) □Visa \square MC □AmEx □Discover Exp Date _____ CVV# ____ =6LCKD

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