

FAMILY CAMP 2018

Folks,

Hope you are looking forward to a relaxing Family Camp this year.

Following is the schedule and other information for the camp.

See you there!

Paul

p.s. If you have any comments or questions reply to me using this email or call me at 505-934-1954.

SCHEDULE

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Saturday

- 10am - Planned Arrival Time
- 10-12 - Tent Setup, Games (think Caveman Golf) and Activities at the Pavillion (Caveman Gold will also be available all day, Kim is returning again this year! Dig you wooden sticks out of the closet!)
- 12-1pm - Lunch - Sandwiches/Chips/Drinks
- 1:30-3pm - Annual Planning meeting at the Pavillion (~1.5 Hours)
We can start/end this earlier. We'll play this by ear.
- 3pm - Dutch Oven Bake Off Starts (the results will be dinner desert)
- 6-7pm - Dinner
- 7-8:30 - Court of Honor

Sunday

- 7am - Continental Breakfast + Coffee

NOTE: Please remember to help cleanup at the Pavillion before you depart.

NOTE: Thanks to Lauren Erdman and Ana Llamosas for handling the food and snacks for the FC.

TENTING

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Don't forget to bring your tent. You are welcome to tent just about anywhere from the main gate to the Pavillion. Most people typically camp to the left side after entering through the main gate.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES

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The patrols have planned various games and there will also be the ever-present FC special: Caveman Golf. Patrols: don't forget to bring the games your patrol volunteered to bring.

Activities such as Orienteering, Fire starting (boiling water), Knot Tying, Lashing and others are planned for the morning (thanks Evan and Troy Claar). It is hoped that these will help the Troop with activities that will take place at the Klondike early next year.

HOW TO GET THERE...

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There are instructions and a map here:

<http://www.bsatroop220nm.org/addtl-event-information.html>

WEATHER

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Currently the weather outlook is partly cloudy with 30% chance of rain and high around 82F/65F. I would suggest planning for some rain and for it to be cool in the evening.

DUTCH OVEN COOK-OFF

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This year we are just going to have a good time making desert in our dutch ovens. Right now we have 4 12" ovens for the four patrols, one 10" oven for the Venture crew and two 12" ovens for the adults. At the last meeting the patrols elected a dutch oven grub-master who will bring the mixings for their patrol.

Unfortunately, I left the last scout meeting without getting the names of the patrol grubmasters and would appreciate it if the scout or parents of the respective scout/grubmaster could email me to let me know who you are and what you plan to make.

Adult Volunteers:

Nancy Parks - Apple Cake

Gaudet Peach - Peach Cobbler

The Troop is providing the ovens, coals, shovels, the coal burners and the oven cover handling tool (or whatever it is called . All you need to bring is your mixings and whatever utensils you need to prepare your desert and get it into the oven.

COURT OF HONOR

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The COH will be held in the Pavillion at the scheduled time. We will have a fire, a flag ceremony and each patrol and the venture crew will provide us with some entertainment, in the form of skits. Your MCs will be Gabriel Zelaya and Troy Claar. Special thanks to Celina Iske for doing the advancement work.

PHOTO SLIDE SHOW

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Evan Chang (with the help of his Dad) will be putting together the photo slide show during dinner and the COH. Thanks guys.

SUNDAY MORNING

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There will be a continental breakfast with juice and coffee for those who will brave the bears and coyotes and spend the night at the Refuge. Serving time will probably be around 7am.