

1st Merrickville Scout Troop

Planned Outing: **JOTA** (Jamboree on the Air)
 AREA sponsored camp.

When: October 14th 6:30 pm (arrival)
 October 16th 11:00am (departure)

Where: Whispering Pines Camp site (Boy Scout Camp)

Activity Schedule:

Upon arrival set up camp by patrol.

Includes: 1) Set up tents.

- 2) Designate cooking and eating area
- 3) Gray Water pit and garbage disposal
- 4) Storing food in protected area.
- 5) Buddy system, also every Scout to have whistle at all times.
- 6) Review camp rules and etiquette.
- 7) Filling of water jugs from the water pump
- 8) Knives only allowed by Scout who has earned "Knife Permit"

Friday evening after set up, will be time to become familiar with the surroundings.

Proper use of Stove and lamp. **Permit to be earned** (Patrol leaders ensure Tenderfoot Scouts are properly instructed) Adult Leaders supervise.

Patrol # 1 builds and lights the evening camp fire.

9:00 pm

 Mug up *I* snacks around the campfire.

10:30 pm

 lights out - all Scouts to bed.

Dampen down the fire.

Saturday:

6:30-7:00am

 Patrol # 2 builds and lights the morning camp fire.

 Rise for breakfast. Scouts prepare and clean up following meal.

9:00 am Meet at the main area for "Camp Opening" Presided by Area organizers.

 (Stan L, Ken R, and Chris T)

9:30 am: First activity (includes hike on new 2 trails)

 Scouts from all troops are mixed together in groups of approx. six (6) to participate in the different activities.

11:00 am Back to regular camp site to prepare " Tinfoil" lunch.

This lunch will be cooked at a main fire tended by AREA leaders.

Followed by free time. Will set up activities for our troop as time permits.

Testing for Knife and Axe permits at our campsite "Troop activity"

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm Pioneering

Compass activities

Aerial Sling suspended between two trees.

JOTA (Radio conversations with other Scouts around the Globe)

5:00 pm Supper at our camp site followed by tree time. Include Pellet pistols, archery and hatchet throwing at specific targets. Patrol contest.

7:00pm

Area organized, Wide game

Or JOTA if the Radio operators remain on site until dark.

9:00 pm

Campfire attended by all scouts from the different troops attending.

10:30 pm

Lights out

Sunday:

6:30 am light cook fire

7:00 am All rise and cook breakfast

begin dismantling the camp and packing all equipment.

9:30 am

Scouts Own at the New Chapel.

Close camp

11:00 Departure from camp.

We expect full Troop participation. Ten to eleven Scouts.

Camp has been costed at \$25.00 per Scout. Unknown if a fee will be levied by the area to cover incidentals.

Should the cost be actually less than levied the excess will be held in reserve to offset our next outing in

November to Limerick Forest.

Leaders in attendance:

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