

Troop 1 Trip Information

EVENT: Trout Brook Camping Trip and Webelos Reception

WHEN: Friday-Sunday November 15 - 17, 2019

STAYING WHERE: Trout Brook Park, 320 Manning Street, Jefferson, MA (Holden) 01520

MEETING WHEN: Meet Friday November 15 at the Church of the Nativity Parking Lot at 5:30 p.m.

This will allow us to be on the road for the campsite by 6:00 p.m. Scouts will be returned to their homes on Sunday.

Webelos can also join us on Saturday at Trout Brook Camping Area in Holden, MA starting at 9 a.m.

MEALS: Please eat supper before leaving Friday. Scouts will be assigned patrols and each patrol will need to bring and prepare their own meals for Saturday breakfast and lunch, and Sunday breakfast. Dinner Saturday night is smoked turkey and fixings provided by the troop. **Avoid nuts and peanuts since there are allergies in the Troop. Webelos will be assigned in with scout patrols, and all food/meals are provided by Troop 1. Patrols should plan on extra food for lunch for Webelos. Webelos parents/adults will be included with the adult patrol(s) and meals are provided by the troop.**

AGENDA: This will be a great camp-out. Saturday we will work on several Webelos activities such as fire starting and ropes/knots, as well as hike, sports and having fun. Saturday night we will have smoked turkey dinner with all the fixings. Finally we will have a dessert cook-off and dessert.

***Friday Night - Meet at The Church of the Nativity at 5:30 pm**

WHAT TO BRING: Clothing and equipment for a two-night campout. Be prepared: Pack for one season colder than it is.

***Bring appropriate clothing for the time of year and an extra change of clothing in case you get wet. Remember, Holden typically will be colder than the Northborough area so please bring additional layers for warmth if needed.**

Boy Scout Cost: \$15.00

SOME KEY BSA AND TROOP 1 CAMPING RULES

PERMISSION SLIPS – Every scout attending campouts must have completed permission slip.

POCKET KNIVES – Pocket knives are a part of scouting and an important tool for use in the outdoors. It is very important that scouts be taught to use and handle them safely and properly. The privilege of using a pocket knife will be taken away from any scout who misuses or mishandles the pocket knife per the discretion of troop leader(s).

ALCOHOL, DRUGS, AND OTHER PROHIBITED MATERIALS AND ACTIVITIES – National Boy Scout policy prohibits the possession of, or use of, intoxicating beverages in any form, or any controlled substance, including, but not limited to, marijuana, cocaine, beer, wine, or hard liquors by either scouts or parents during scout functions. Fireworks and explosives are strictly prohibited for safety sake. Pornographic materials or the use of obscene language is inappropriate and not permitted.

CONSERVATION – We take care of the outdoors. We do not cut any living tree, shrub, or bush. Leave no trace.

INITIATIONS, HAZING, NAME CALLING & FIGHTING – These do not belong in scouting! Under BSA policy, these situations are regarded as child abuse or inappropriate behavior, and will not be tolerated.

SMOKING – Cigarettes, cigars or the use of any tobacco products by scouts is prohibited. Adults must smoke away from scouts and non-smoking adults. Smoking is prohibited in tents, cabins or in any scout building.