## **Trip Information**

**EVENT: Webelo Welcome with Troop 1, and Webelo Camping** 

WHEN: Friday -Sunday Oct 29-31, 2021

**Registration:** All Troop 1 Scouts and Adults need to register for the event on the Troop website. The cost will be \$15 per person. This event is subsidized by the Troop.

**STAYING WHERE:** Treasure Valley Scout Reservation (TVSR), 394 Pleasantdale Road, Rutland, MA. We will be at the West Lodge, and camping at Fort Courage campsite. Dining and bathroom facilities are available.

**MEETING WHEN:** Meet at TVSR Friday afternoon. From 5-6pm preferred for daylight setting up camp. Scouts wishing to carpool should contact other Scouts/families to see who is able.

**AGENDA**: Friday night camp and prepare for Saturday. Webelo sign in starts Saturday at 10am and activities start at 10:30am. Saturday we will have several activity stations where the Webelo can work on scout skills and experience the Patrol environment with Troop 1 patrols. The SPL and PLC will plan and run this with adult support.

Webelo will be welcome to stay and camp with a parent in the Campsite Troop 1 has reserved

Sunday morning, pack up, clean up and go home.

**MEALS:** Please eat dinner before arriving on Friday evening, or bring your own. Saturday breakfast will be by Patrol. Lunch Saturday will also be by Patrol who will also provide lunch for Webelo. Snacks such as snacks & cookies, as well as water will be provided throughout the day. Dinner Saturday will be prepared and provided by Troop 1. Scouts staying to camp Saturday night will be responsible for their own breakfast Sunday.

See map attached of Treasure Valley Reservation for Parking and location of West Lodge. There will be many signs out for Troop 1 directing you where to go.

If bringing your own snacks, avoid nuts and peanuts since there may be allergies.

Please let the Troop know in advance if there are any individual needs for food or accommodation.

**WHAT TO BRING:** Camp chair. Shoes for hiking. Clothing and equipment for an active New England Fall day and weather. Be prepared. If you choose to camp Saturday night, pack for one season colder than it is. Outdoor games if you have any favorites. Sleeping bag, clothes, all according to standard camp list.

## SOME KEY BSA AND TROOP 1 CAMPING RULES

**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.

## Treaure Valley Scout Reservation Directions for Troop 1 Event

There will be signs directing you where to go.

