### Thunderbird District

# 2018 Fall Camporee Manual

# The Scouting Spirit

Our mission is to assist, guide, explore and lead new Cub Scouts to discover all the great things you can do in Boy Scouts by demonstrating great Scout Skills – and Fun!

# The Bobcat Round Up

All Cub Scouts are welcome and encouraged to attend with their entire Pack.

Cub Scouts are also welcome to attend for Saturday only provided at least 2 leaders attend for the day.

Tiger & Lion Cubs are allowed to attend any part or all of the weekend as long as their Tiger Pal is with

Boy Scouts (Webelos 2)

October 5, 6 & 7-2018

Cub World
Beaumont Scout Reservation

# Thunderbird District Fall 2018 Camporee

### Where

**Cub World At Beaumont Scout Reservation** 

### When

October 5-7, 2018

### Registration

Please send your unit, and participant (youth and adults) count to Troop 4Registration payments will be made on site by check payable to GSLAC. The cost is \$6 per participant.

### Contact

Matt Meyer, District Camping Chairman

314-295-4777 or mmeyer6724@gmail.com

### **Personal Gear**

- Class A Uniform (For Opening and Closing Ceremonies, Campfire / Retiring the Colors, Religious Services)
- Class A Uniforms for the morning demonstrations
- Demonstration Materials and Camp Gadget parts
- Standard Camping Equipment

### **Troop Gear - Preparation**

- Saturday Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner
- Demonstration Material
- 2 skits or songs per Unit 1 for Friday and 1 for Saturday
- Sunday Breakfast

### **Ground Rules**

Camp Code The Scout Oath and Law will be the law of the camp.

Roster The troop roster form, enclosed in this manual, must be completed and turned

in at HQ upon entering camp and registering.

Generators Generators are not allowed

Pressurized Fuels The use of either high or low pressure lanterns or stoves must be in accordance

with current council policy.

Tent Ditching "Proper pitching avoids ditching". Digging ditches around tents is strictly

prohibited.

Garbage Each Unit must take their trash to the dumpster with them on their way out.

Tobacco No person under the age of 18 is allowed to use tobacco products. Violators will

be asked to leave. Smoking is only allowed away from activity, camping, and

parking areas.

Sheath Knives Sheath Knives are STRICTLY PROHIBITED

Alcohol & Drugs Alcoholic beverages and non-medically prescribed drugs will not be allowed at

the Camporee and are not permitted at Council activities.

Fireworks & Firearms Fireworks and firearms are not permitted at the Camporee.

### **Unique Cub World Requirements**

Wrist Bands All attendees will be given a wrist band to wear for the event. All Cub Scouts

must have their name, unit, and a cell number written on them before they are

worn.

Ground Fires Only permitted in the 6 fire rings already present at Cub World. Please bring

your own fire pit.

Camping All camping is on the west side of the Creek. No camping in the Sports Field.

Please leave room around the Jungle Jim, Climbing Walls and a clear path to the

Council Ring. Please see the map!

Bathroom Facilities Cub World has a 4 pit toilets and Restrooms. These must be left neat and

orderly when we leave.

Pavilions Pavillion #4 will be HQ Friday night.

Cub Pavilion will be HQ on Saturday morning. It will also be the registration area for Saturday arrivals is for the provided hot dog lunch and for leader

training.

Each pavilion has its own "state park style" BBQ pit.

There are 4 on the east side of the creek and 2 on the west side of the creek.

Pavilions 2, 3, 4 & 5 are for demonstration activities and should be shared by the units doing those demonstrations.

Pavilions – named "Webelos 1" and "Bob Cat" may be used by units camping, however they may be needed for Saturday morning demonstration events if we have inclement weather.

### Scout Schedule

### Friday

4:00- 8:00 PM- Unit Check-In @ HQ @ Cub Pavilion #4

8:30 PM - Opening Campfire @ Main Council Ring near Emerson (short meeting after closing)

9:45 PM - Cracker Barrel and SPL/Scoutmaster meeting @ HQ - Pavilion #4

11:00 PM- Lights Out

### Saturday

7:30 AM- Opening Ceremonies flag raising at Cub World – morning announcements

8:00 AM- Prepare Demonstrations for 9 am start

12:00 PM- Lunch – eligible Cub Scouts at Cub World Pavilion; other with their units

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Cub Scout Hike to Fort Hussman and Eagles nest let by Boy Scouts then Creek Time

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Ultimate Frisbee in Sports Field

3:00 PM - Camp Gadgets due near the Swings and Jungle Gym

5:00 PM- Dinner

7:00 PM - Worship Service - locations TBD

8:00 PM - Campfire - locations TBD - either Main Council Ring or Cub World Council Ring

11:00 PM- Lights Out

### Sunday

8:00 AM- Closing Ceremony

9:00 AM- Checkout Begins

Note: Religious services Time and Date are still TBD and will be communicated at Leader Meetings.

## **Camporee Demonstration Events**

Bobcat Trail

Cub Scouts will be divided into groups and led by Boy Scouts through each demonstration event. While going from event to event, the requirements to earn Bobcat will be explained and taught.

All demonstrations are to occur on the EAST side of the Creek.

### **Friday Evening Events**

We begin with setting up camp and registration as always from 4 to 8 pm.

8:30 PM - Opening Campfire at the main Council Ring near Emerson. You are encouraged to walk there.

Please plan a skit or song in advance. Our OA Ceremonial Team members are planning some unique things as a surprise – they only request that the skits on both Friday and Saturday be unique and fresh.

9:00 PM – Announcements after Campfire

9:45 PM Cracker Barrel at Pavillion #4

### **Morning Events**

### Fire Building

Without fire, there is no warmth, and no cooking. Given a match, build up your fire until a string at an established height is parted. Timed event – and if you need another match, you'll have to trek to get it, using precious time.

#### Water Relay

Water is the stuff of life, and the first means of transporting it from the water source to where it was needed most was a bucket. Unfortunately, your bucket has aged and sprung a leak or more. You'll need to move water from the source to where it's needed – more than one trip may be required depending on how fast you transport the water, and how well you plug your leaks.

#### Lashing

Lashing skills were used to construct shelters, cross rivers, and transport your equipment. Your task will be to lash spars using specified lashings. Time and accuracy counts!

### **Animal Tracks**

Tracking animals was a good thing to know. Prove you can bringing back identified plaster-of-paris impression of animal tracks from the area. Do not, however, bring back the animal (alive or dead) and under no circumstances should you try to trap any – we will not be responsible for skunk encounters.

### **Compass Event**

Without knowing your directions the pioneer could have ended up in Boston rather than St Louis. Which is fine if Boston was your intended location. In this event, you will move through three courses of compass direction determination. Speed and accuracy wins the event.

#### First Aid

Accidents happen, and speed is critical in treating injuries. In this instance, you'll need to bandage, stabilize and transport using supplied equipment. Don't kill the patient getting to a doctor!

#### STEM

STEM activites for Cubs will be explained and demonstrated at Cub Pavilion.

### **OPEN INVITATION**

We can always use more demonstrations of amazing scout skills!

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### **Afternoon Events for CUB SCOUTS**

Short hike to Fort Hussman and Eagles Nest.

2 adult leaders must go with the Boy Scout Guides with each group of Cub Scouts.

After the hike ---- free time = Creek Time!

### **Afternoon Events for Boy Scouts**

#### **Camp Gadgets**

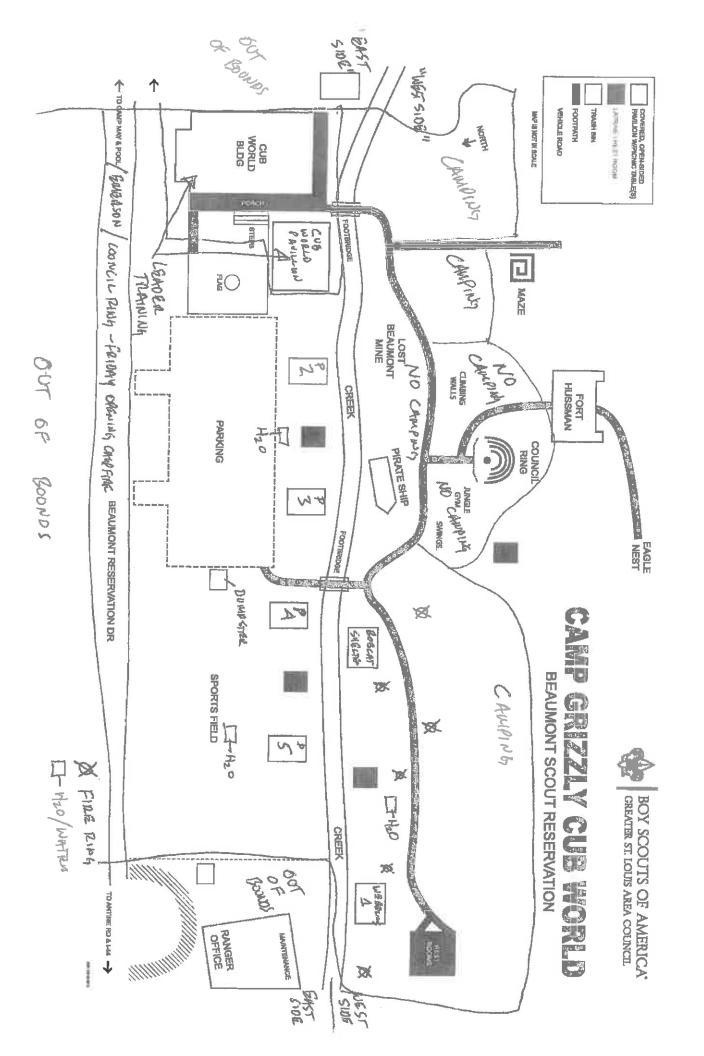
For Boy Scouts Only. Using your lashing skills, construct a camp gadget. This is NOT a timed event, but accuracy and ingenuity counts. Camp Gadgets to be displayed at HQ by 3 pm.

#### **Ultimate Frisbee**

For purely fun an ultimate Frisbee game in the Sports Field.

### **Skit Preparation for Saturday**

Please plan something unique. Something not seen before at each camporee – such as WWII "Hans".





# Thunderbird Camp Roster

Fall 2018 Camporee
Beaumont Reservation
October 5-7, 2018
Cub World

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