



March 2024

Orienteering Campout At Hickory Run State Park



Starts: Friday, March 22, 5:30pm
Ends: Sunday, March 24, 11:00am

This campout will focus on the 1st Class Orienteering requirement. **Any scout who has not yet earned their First Class rank is strongly encouraged to attend the campout to get this requirement signed off.** Scouts who have already earned their First Class rank are also welcome to attend to enhance their orienteering skills and help the younger scouts navigate the orienteering course.

Please eat dinner before arriving on Friday night.

What to Bring: Compass, Standard tent camping gear – Personal tent if you have one (troop tents are also available), sleeping bag, sleeping pad, extra blankets, pillow, spare clothing (pants, shirts, socks and warm sweatshirt or jacket and boots/shoes), hat, rain gear, flashlight, and a camp chair.

Meals: We will discuss our meal plan after our Monday March 18th meeting. Meal planning will be for Friday night snack, Saturday Breakfast, Saturday Lunch, Saturday Dinner and Dessert and Sunday Breakfast. This will be a Patrol cooking campout.

Advancement Opportunities: While the focus of this event is on completing the First Class Orienteering requirement, we will also be available to help scouts work on completing any Map and Compass rank requirements they may be working on. If interested in getting other requirements signed off, bring your Scout Handbook.

Trip Itinerary: We will be leaving Camp Spirit at 5:30pm on Friday to arrive at Hickory Run State Park by 6:30pm and set up camp. Saturday we will complete the orienteering course in the morning and have some free time in the afternoon. We will return to Camp Spirit by 11:00pm on Sunday.

Sign-up / Cost: Return attached permission form on Monday, March 18th.

Campout Cost: \$21

Scout Organizer: Connor Smith/Owen McCauley

Leaders: Mr. McKenzie smckdisney@aol.com, 610-462-2628

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Troop 72 Permission Slip
Orienteering Campout at Hickory Run State Park
March 22nd – 24th
Permission slip due by Monday March 18th

_____ has my permission to attend the event listed above.

During the event I can be reached at (Phone): _____.

If I cannot be reached in the event of an emergency, the following person should be contacted:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

NOTE: It is the parent's responsibility to see that their son takes any medication on troop events. If it is important that the medication schedule not be disrupted, notify one of the leaders of the required dosage and schedule.

Medications and dosage: _____

Please list any health concerns, allergies to medication, etc. that would be helpful in an emergency:

Please list any food **restrictions**, allergies or dietary concerns: _____

In the event of an emergency, the adult in charge is authorized to act on my behalf.

If your Scout will be leaving early, please indicate day and time: _____

Adult who will pick up and take your Scout home after event:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Cost of event

☐ Campout - \$21

☐ Payment from Scout Account

☐ Pay by Check

☐ Pay by Cash

For Adults Only:

☐ YPT Certificate attached

☐ YPT Certificate on file

Date

Scout's Signature

Date

Parent or Guardian Signature

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