HASSANAMISCO DISTRICT 2007 FALL CAMPOREE

"COOKING"

Dear Scouts and Scouters, The district Fall Camporee will be focus on patrol sprit through cooking. The dates are Friday 12 October till Sunday 14 October at Treasure Valley scout reservation.

The Theme for this Camporee is "Patrol Sprit though cooking skills". This should allow all troops to allow their patrol to complete while having fun learning. Along with the Basic schedule we will have a district wide competition while allowing everyone to be a little creative. During the Campfire we will announce the best Cantaloupe carving by a patrol of their Scoutmaster. I will supply one cantaloupe per patrol. They must pick it up during the lunch break and submit it to the District Judge Diane & Al lagor after the Saturday Closing ceremony. It is strongly suggested that the Scoutmaster be present to allow the judges a final review of both the craving and the subject together.

To allow the leadership to test their cooking skills I would like to invite all troops to submit their best Chili to our First Annual "LEADERS CHILI COOK OFF" This will allow bragging rights as the "Best Chili in Hassanamisco District" until the next fall Camporee cook off. Please bring enough so everyone can try a little. This is a no rule chili cook-off so do your stuff but please Mark It "spicy" "Hot" "Really Hot" and "Oh my God hot".

Each station needs to be manned by qualified fun loving leaders who will be given every little time to sign up (hopefully tonight). Without All the stations including the Demonstration ones there can not be a Camporee.

Water, as we all know the water at camp will be shut down and there will only be a few key locations there camp water will be available. So, please plan ahead.

Fires; Wood fires, cooking fire will only be allowed in approved Camp fire pits or after permission from the Camp director or her staff. Propane cooking in sites is suggested. THERE WILL BE NO CAMP FIRES IN ANY SITE WITHOUT PERMISSON.

This will be my last event as your District Activity chair, I have ask our District chair to replace me as I feel we need new ideas and a new District Activity Chair. So, if you want our district to continue with Camporee's and Klondike derby's please step forward and become our Activity Chair.

STATIONS:

STATION #1: each patrol will be given a shopping list and the station judge will be supplied with local flyers which the patrols will use to decide quantity and price to feed eight scouts.

STATION #2. This station the patrol will need to bring a fry pan and what ever utensils they feed is needed. The Station will have spray oil (PAM) and the pancake mix ready to go. The patrol will be required to start their fire, cook the pancake and flip it at least 4inch into the air and catch it in the Fry pan with out destroying the food. This must be done successfully by 5 members of the patrol. There is no time limit.

Station #3: Utensil-less Cooking will allow the patrols to boil an Egg with out pots or pans. But they must supply what they decide to use such as: a Waxed paper cup, Once they believe the eggs is ready they must runs at least 20 feet carrying the egg on a spoon and transfer it to another member o0f the patrol to run pack to the judge. They can drop it but must put in back on the spoon not picking it up, but scooping it with their spoon. At the finish line they must eat their egg (s).

Station #4. At this station the patrol must make a kitchen utensil using their pioneering skill. They can not just slash a spoon or fork to a wooden stick. This utensil must be able to be used in food preparation and should be on display during the Afternoon demonstrations.

Station #5 the first aid station is to cover the Cooking Merit badge requirement for First Aid for Burns and field sanitation

Station #6; this is a simple test of memory. The patrols will be allowed to look at around twenty cooking items such as pats, pans, Utensils, cutting boards, spices, rolling pins, what ever for two minutes and then cover it up. They will be given a set amount of time by the judges and must right down everything they remember. 1 point for each correct item.

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