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# Man vs. Wild

Quinsigamond District Fall Camporee

October 2-4 2009

Treasure Valley Scout Reservation

## **2009 Quinsigamond District Spring Camporee**

The 2009 Quinsigamond District Fall Camporee will be a very fun and exciting event! Scouts will have the opportunity to broaden their knowledge in the area of Scoutcraft and safety.

### **WHAT: THEME:**

Quinsigamond District Fall Camporee 2009 – Man vs. Wild

### **WHEN: WHERE:**

Friday, October 2 – Sunday, October 4, Treasure Valley Scout Reservation  
Check In begins at 5pm on Friday 394 Pleasantdale Road  
Rutland, MA 01562

***Exact Schedule & Program Details to Be Announced at the event***

### **WHO:**

VENTURERS, BOY SCOUTS, WEBELOS AND CUB SCOUTS. All Crews, Troops & Cub Packs within Quinsigamond District may register for this year's Fall Camporee. If you have any questions, contact the Camporee Chair, Mike Pankratz

### **\*\*UNIT REGISTRATION\*\* - IMPORTANT, PLEASE REVIEW**

As stated, Venturers, Boy Scouts, Webelos, & Cub Scouts are WELCOME and ENCOURAGED to attend the event, but ALL Scouts & Adults must register and pay in order to attend and participate. The Camporee Fee is **\$9.00 per person** and covers operating expenses, event patches, event fee, setup & equip.

Attached you will find the **REGISTRATION & PAYMENT FORM – DUE TO COUNCIL OFFICE NO LATER THAN 9/26/2009**

All Units should complete this Registration form and submit with their full payment to participate in this exciting Camporee. We need to plan for the appropriate amount of people to ensure a successful event **AND ONTIME REGISTRATION FORM & FEES ARE NEEDED TO ACCOMPLISH THIS!**  
**PLEASE NOTE: REGISTRATION FORM & FULL FEES ARE DUE NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 26, 2009**

**\*\*\*ANY UNITS THAT REGISTER AFTER THAT DATE MAY NOT RECEIVE PATCHES AND WILL BE CHARGED A\$25.00 LATE REGISTRATION FEE \*\*\***

Form & Payment may be handed delivered or mailed directly to Mohegan Council (*please makes checks payable to Mohegan Council and specify "2009 Quinsigamond District Fall Camporee" in the Note area of all checks*). Review the Registration Form for more payment details.

**NOTE:** All scouts, leaders & parents may only attend as part of a scout Unit that has registered and paid for their attendance at this event. No singles or standalones should be in attendance without being registered for the event under their Scouting Unit unless cleared by district ahead of time. Packs, Troops and Crews should communicate and coordinate with their youth and parents to facilitate the registration process. Contact Jeff Haris at the council office with any questions.

### **PARKING**

PARKING WILL ONLY BE ALLOWED IN DESIGNATED PARKING AREAS FOR THE DURATION OF THE EVENT. NO VEHICLES (with certain exceptions for emergency purposes) WILL BE ALLOWED IN

OR NEAR UNIT CAMPSITES! YOU WILL RECEIVE SPECIFIC PARKING INSTRUCTIONS UPON ARRIVAL.

## **CAMPING**

Units will reserve their own campsites for overnight camping. Units will be camping in the traditional Treasure Valley West Camp campsites (Hardwood, Whistering Hill, Deer Teal, etc). Units must supply their own camping/cooking equipment, and meals. If you have any questions, contact the District Exexutive, Jeff Harris or the Camporee Chair, Mike Pankratz.

## **FIRES**

Per current Mohegan Council policy, due to the Asian Longhorn beetle problem: **Units ARE NOT ALLOWED to bring in any outside firewood. All firewood must be obtained onsite at Treasure Valley.** Fires are limited to existing campsite fire rings. No new fire rings can be made by individual units. Fire buckets must always be full of water and nearby the fire. Fires should never be left unattended and **MUST BE COLD OUT** before leaving TVSR. Please leave the area **BETTER** than you found it.

## **FOOD & MEALS**

All Units will be responsible for planning and preparing their own meals during the entire event.

## **WATER**

We've been informed that depending on the conditions at TVSR leading up to the Camporee, **WATER MAY OR MAY NOT** be available in certain areas of camp during the weekend. That being said, water **WILL** be available at the Ranger's house and the Magee Center. Camporee Staff is working to secure a water buffalo for any additional water requirements. However, until further notice, please "Be Prepared" and plan on binging water for your Unit's needs, until we can confirm the status of water availability.

## **VOLUNTEERS**

Adult and/or older Scout volunteers are needed to help direct scouts and assist in program areas. Don't be shy – please volunteer, **your help is greatly appreciated!!!** Contact Mike Pankratz at 508-826-1133 or email [mike.pankratz@charter.net](mailto:mike.pankratz@charter.net)

## **ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS**

In addition to registering at the Mohegan Council Service Center and making individual unit campsite reservations, units will submit a unit roster at check-in. Each Scout will also need to complete a Child ID form in order to participate at the Child ID Program station. A copy is included as part of this information package.