

**2011 COUNCIL CAMPOREE
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**Fort Ticonderoga America’s Fort
Engage.... Explore.....Experience**

**Sept 30 – Oct 2, 2011
Fort Ticonderoga Ticonderoga, New York**

REGISTRATION

FEE

Cubs, Webelos & Leaders (Saturday only)	\$ 11.00
Late Registration – After September 26th	\$13.00
Scouts, Explorers, Venturers & Leaders (Friday, Saturday & Sunday)	\$19.00
Late Registration – After September 26th	\$21.00

The fee covers the cost of the patch and awards. It also covers the cost for the rental of the facilities and equipment, program materials, printing, mailing, etc.

Fill out the appropriate section of the Registration Form and promptly send it along with the correct registration fees to the Twin Rivers Council. Pre-registration by all units attending, even if participating only on Saturday, is vital to ensure an adequate patch and award supply. It is requested that units register prior to September 20, 2011.

UNIT PARTICIPATION

- ALL BOY SCOUT TROOPS in the Twin Rivers Council are encouraged to attend the 2011 Camporee.
- VENTURE CREWS & EXPLORER POSTS are also encouraged to attend. There will be several program opportunities for Venturers and Explorers. Crews and Posts may attend, camp out, and participate in the Boy Scout activities. Crews and Posts may also have an opportunity to assist in the running of the Camporee.
- CUB SCOUT PACKS are encouraged to bring their Tigers, Cubs, and Webelos Scouts to the special Cub Scout Activities Day on Saturday, October 1st.

REFUND POLICY

No refunds for reservations received after September 26, 2011.

LOCAL TOUR PERMIT

A Local Tour Permit does not need to be filed for “in-council” units attending the Fall Camporee. Your unit's Registration Form will serve as official notification of your trip to Ticonderoga, New York. However, all regulatory aspects of the Local Tour Permit must be adhered to (i.e., car insurance requirements, etc.).

CARRY IN - CARRY OUT

It is the responsibility of each unit to take their own trash out with them. Please remember – Scouts take only pictures and leave only footprints!

ROSTER

Each unit will be required to submit a roster at check-in with youth and adults attending the Camporee.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, September 30, 2011

5:30pm – 9:00pm	Arrival, Registration, Set-Up
9:00pm	Coordinator's & Sub-Camp Director's Meeting
10:30pm	Leader's Meeting at each Sub-Camp
11:00pm	Taps/Lights Out

Saturday, October 1, 2011

7:00am	Reveille/Wake-Up
8:00am	Breakfast, Clean-Up
9:00am – 10:00am	Tiger, Cub & Webelos Registration
9:15am	Opening Ceremony
9:30am – 11:30am	Morning Special Activities/Demonstrations – Trailblazers, Tour of the Fort, Reenactments, Historical Displays, CORN MAZE, etc.
11:30am	Lunch Preparation
12:30pm	Lunch
1:30pm – 3:30pm	Afternoon Special Activities/Demonstrations – Trailblazers, Tour of the Fort, Reenactments, Historical Displays, CORN MAZE, etc.
5:30pm	Dinner
7:00pm	Religious Services
8:15pm	Campfire Program
9:30pm	Fireworks
11:00pm	Taps/Lights Out

Sunday, October 2, 2011

7:00am – 8:30am	Reveille/Wake-Up & Breakfast
8:30am – 11:00am	Break Camp, Troop Check-Out, Check Sites
12:00pm	Final Walk-Around, Site Cleared of Campers and Troops

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EQUIPMENT

In addition to the patrol and troop program supplies required for the Saturday activities, a unit should come prepared to camp on-site for the duration of the event. Please remember to bring:

- Tents and tarps as needed
- Water containers
- Troop flag and stand
- Lanterns
- Stoves
- Fire fighting equipment (rake, shovel, bucket)
- Food (five meals plus snacks)
- Plastic garbage bags (carry in, carry out)
- Patrol flags and stands
- Cooking fuel

DISTRICT GATEWAY

Please bring all necessary materials to construct a district gateway that will include the unit number and district affiliation. There will be a first and second place award for each sub-camp. In addition, three top awards will be given – They will be judged on theme and originality.

Fire/Gateway Wood Limitation

Due to the spread of invasive species in firewood, State regulation prohibits firewood (or non-treated wood for our gateways) being brought in from farther away than 50 miles. The exception is wood certified as meeting state treatment requirements, which can be purchased at stores such as Stewart's.

COOL THINGS TO DO IN OUR DISTRICT

Each unit should collect and bring information and brochures on places scouts would enjoy visiting in your community. Scouts will have an opportunity to visit each District Hospitality HQ and learn about great places to go throughout our Council.

PARTICIPATION RIBBONS & PATCHES

Participation ribbons will be awarded to every unit attending the Camporee. Patches will also be awarded to ALL PAID PARTICIPANTS.

FORT TICONDEROGA RULES & REGULATIONS

The following regulations have been issued to ensure proper safety and health standards for everyone:

- A. The Buddy System MUST BE used.**
- B. Do not enter restricted areas.**
- C. No “Pot Hunting.” This is the unauthorized removal of archaeological material.**
- D. Conduct – respect visitors of the Fort. The Fort will be open to the public during the Camporee.**
- E. “Cooking Pits” and/or “on-ground” campfires are prohibited. “Off-ground” barrel fires will be permitted.**
- F. Fires must be attended to at all times. A filled water bucket must be kept near each fire. Fires must be extinguished before leaving camp or retiring for the night.**
- G. No pets may be brought to the Fort or the Camporee, with the exception of service animals.**
- H. No throwing of edged weapons.**
- I. Do not cut brush, trees, etc. (dead or alive)**
- J. Automobiles must be in dead storage unless an emergency occurs or permission has been granted.**

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- K. Gray water (dish water, cooking water, etc) should be disposed of properly as directed by the sub-camp director.
- L. Vandalism (in any way) is strictly forbidden.
- M. It is not necessary for youth to bring axes (wood should be pre-cut so there is no need for axes, machetes, or knives).
- N. No signs put on existing posts, trees, or existing signs.
- O. Fire hydrants are not part of the water source available for us to use. **DO NOT USE.**
- P. No fireworks.
- Q. No electronic games
- R. No alcoholic beverages.

FORT TICONDEROGA HEALTH & SAFETY REGULATIONS

- A. NO GENERATORS are to be used at the Camporee (unless for emergency services)
- B. FIRES – NO GROUND FIRES ARE PERMITTED. Cook on **above-ground stoves or use fireplates** which are located at the Fort.
- C. FIRE PROTECTION– will be provided by Explorer Posts and local authorities. Each unit leader should establish and maintain a Troop fire protection plan.
- D. WATER – an adequate supply of water will be available at the sub-camp locations.
- E. RESTROOM FACILITIES – portable toilets will be located where needed.
- F. PARKING - only authorized parking is permitted. NO vehicles/trailers are allowed in undesignated areas.
- G. ACCIDENT & HEALTH INSURANCE – all registered youth and adult members of the Twin Rivers Council are covered by the Accident and Sickness Plan provided through the Council.
 - NOTE – all participants are also covered for liability insurance under local and national BSA coverage. All Scouts outside of our Council must provide proof of the above.
- H. FIRST AID – First Aid stations will be located at various locations throughout the area for the duration of the event. Around-the-clock coverage will be available for medical emergencies. Don't forget your medical history forms or written information regarding any medical problems.
- I. SECURITY – will be provided under the supervision of the local police.
- J. ARRIVAL & DROP-OFF – Funneling over 2,500 Scouts, Leaders, and Troop equipment into a narrow roadway takes time. Please be patient!! Most units will arrive between 7:00pm and 8:00pm Friday evening. We will be prepared to accept units as early as 3:00pm. **COME EARLY TO AVOID THE RUSH!!**
 - ✳️ **NOTE – Troop equipment may be dropped off in the unit site; however, all vehicles must be moved to designated parking areas immediately thereafter.**

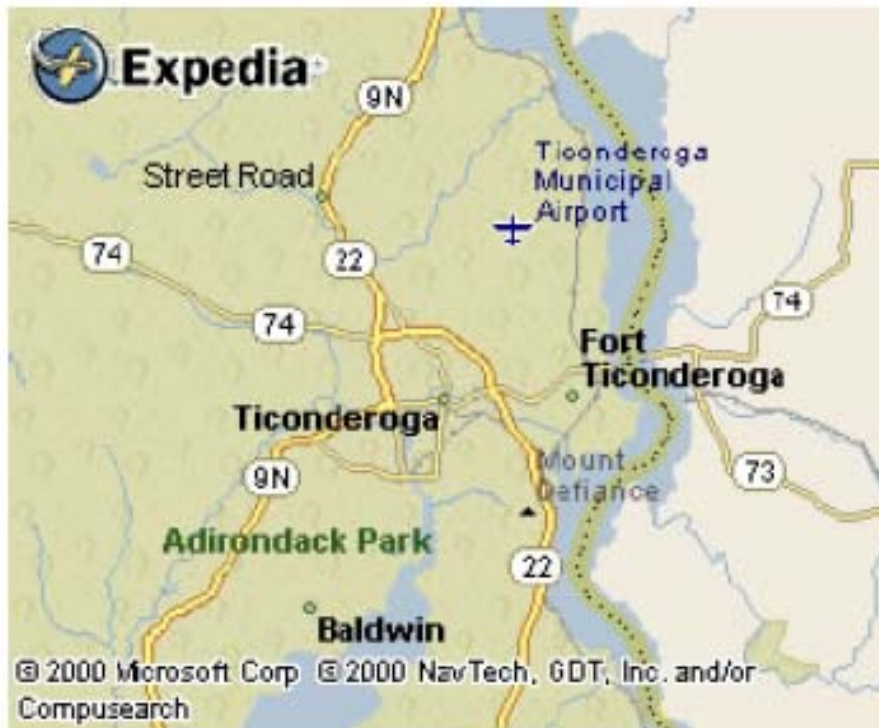
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MAP & DIRECTIONS TO THE FORT



OPTION #1

- Take the Northway (I-87) North to Exit 28.
- Take Route 74 East 18 miles to Ticonderoga (Village of Ticonderoga is to your right via Route 9N).
- Continue straight on Route 74 for 1.5 miles.
- Turn left continuing on Route 74. Proceed straight 4/10th mile to the Fort entrance.

OPTION #2

- Take the Northway (I-87) North to Exit 20.
- Take Route 149 East to Fort Ann for 16 miles.
- Take US 4 North for 10 miles.
- Continue on Route 22 North for 24 miles.
- Turn right onto Route 74 and go ½ mile.
- Continue on Fort Road to the Fort Ticonderoga entrance

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REGISTRATIONS ARE VALID ONLY WHEN PAID

Please complete this form and mail it, along with your payment to:

TWIN RIVERS COUNCIL, BSA P 253 WASHINGTON AVENUE EXT. P ALBANY, NY 12205-5553

Or you can register online at www.trcscouting.org

Troop #: _____	Pack #: _____	DISTRICT:		
Post #: _____	Crew #: _____	-- Fort Orange	-- Mahikan	-- Saratoga
		-- Schenectady	-- Sir Wm. Johnson	-- Wapominee
		-- Adirondack	--Out-of-Council	

A TROOP REGISTRATION

(Friday/Saturday/Sunday)

Scoutmaster Name: _____

I wish to register _____ Scouts & _____ Leaders @ \$19.00 per person (prior to September 20, 2011)
@ \$21.00 per person (after September 20, 2011)

\$ _____ Amount Enclosed

B CUB SCOUT/WEBELOS REGISTRATION

(Saturday Only)

Cubmaster Name: _____

I wish to register _____ Scouts & _____ Leaders @ \$11.00 per person (prior to September 20, 2011)
@ \$13.00 per person (after September 20, 2011)

\$ _____ Amount Enclosed

C VENTURING/EXPLORER REGISTRATION

(Friday/Saturday/Sunday)

Adviser Name: _____

I wish to register _____ Venturers/Explorers & _____ Leaders @ \$19.00 per person (prior to September 20, 2011)
@ \$21.00 per person (after September 20, 2011)

\$ _____ Amount Enclosed

D COUNCIL OR DISTRICT STAFF REGISTRATION

Name: _____

I wish to register as a Council or District Staff Member _____

Registration Fee Only @ \$15.00 per person

Explorer post or crew staff only @\$10.00 per person

Staff meals (includes 5 meals & 2 cracker barrels) @ \$20.00 per person

Staff Hat @ \$ 10.00 per person

\$ _____ Amount Enclosed

(NO REFUNDS WILL BE ISSUED AFTER SEPTEMBER 26, 2011)

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PLEASE HAND THIS FORM IN AT THE CAMPOREE

Troop #: _____	Pack #: _____	<u>DISTRICT:</u>		
Post #: _____	Crew #: _____	_ Fort Orange	_ Mahikan	_ Saratoga
		_ Schenectady	_ Sir Wm. Johnson	_ Wakpominee
		_ Adirondack	_ Out-of-Council Unit _____	

ADULT MEMBERS

1. _____	3. _____
2. _____	4. _____

YOUTH MEMBERS

1. _____	15. _____
2. _____	16. _____
3. _____	17. _____
4. _____	18. _____
5. _____	19. _____
6. _____	20. _____
7. _____	21. _____
8. _____	22. _____
9. _____	23. _____
10. _____	24. _____
11. _____	25. _____
12. _____	26. _____
13. _____	27. _____
14. _____	28. _____