

# 2021 KLONDIKE DERBY

## *HORSE-SHOE TRAIL DISTRICT – MARCH 6, 2021*

### UNIT INFORMATION PACKET

The Horse-Shoe Trail District's Klondike Derby will be held at the J. Edward Mack Scout Reservation on **March 6, 2021**. Troops/crews may camp overnight Friday, **March 5**, & Saturday night, **March 6**. **WE WILL BE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDED GUIDELINES FOR OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AS PER STATE AND FEDERAL MANDATES. THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING.**

Due to COVID-19 each individual entering into camp must complete and turn in the "Pre-Event Medical Screening Checklist". A copy of this form is located at the end of this guide.

We will NOT accept registrations after **February 26, 2021**, due to the planning and purchasing of food and supplies. If your registration and money are not in Tentaroo by 5:00 p.m., on February 26, 2021, your troop will not be participating in the Klondike Derby.

Volunteers are needed again, and we are willing to give two free lunches and two free patches to two volunteers for each type of unit registered to attend the event. Volunteers should report to the Head Mayor for the event they are volunteering for at the Mayors meeting for their assignment. Please note that there is a maximum of two free lunches per unit.

Three events will be taking place. Webelos Klondike Derby for Pack Webelos dens (Girls included); Scouts BSA Klondike Derby for Scouts BSA Troops (Girls included); and Iron Will for Scouts who are 14 and met First Class requirements and all Venturing Scouts (Girls included).

Since we are looking forward to snow, BE PREPARED!!! It is unlikely that the Klondike Derby will be canceled or postponed due to weather conditions, but perhaps due to crisis circumstances. However, if a decision is made to cancel or modify the event, announcements will be made as soon as possible.

This packet contains all the details that you will need to prepare your Unit to participate in the greatest Horse-Shoe Trail District Klondike Derby ever!

*Your Klondike Derby committee hopes that all of you have a happy and safe experience! Your host & chairman, Sheldon Brubaker, can be reached at 717-721-3863 or 717-468-5333.*

### REGISTRATION

Registration fee includes one patch, Saturday lunch, and a great program! Pay online through Tentaroo. **Please note, registration is not finalized until payment has been received.**

**Registration deadline is 5:00 pm on Friday, February 26, 2021.** Online registration is available this year at <http://padutchbsa.org/districts/horse-shoe-trail/horse-shoe-trail-district-activities/> Registrations will not be accepted after February 26, 2021.

**DO NOT SEND THE UNIT ATTENDANCE SHEET WITH YOUR REGISTRATION FORM.** However, you must have the form when you check in at Camp Mack.

### CHECK-IN

Upon arrival at Camp Mack, one leader should report to the Camp Office to check-in for the whole group, but only after confirming that everyone is in camp, and that the names on your Unit Attendance Sheets are correct. Volunteers need to check in and pick up their assignments with Head Mayors at Mayors meetings.

Units that are check in Friday night should gather in the short-term camping area and set up their campsite as soon as they arrive. Campsites are on a first come, first serve basis.

Check-in for units camping on Friday & Saturday is from 6:00-9:00 p.m. on Friday night and Saturday only is 7:00-8:00 a.m. Saturday morning.

## **CAMPSITE COURTESY**

Troops are asked to keep a reasonable distance between campsites. Quiet time will be observed between 11:00 P.M. and 6:30 A.M. The Scout Law and Oath is the standard for conduct.

## **HEALTH & SAFETY**

Medical assistance will be available from Friday night until the closing ceremony Saturday. All injuries, no matter how slight, must be reported to the health officer located in the Camp Office during the day, and at Dellinger Lodge Friday night. Radios will be available given to stations at strategic points throughout camp, and can be used to call for help in an emergency. Blair Lodge and Esbenshade Lodge will be open as warm up shelters on Friday and Saturday. Lodges are not available for troops to sleep in.

## **PARKING**

Primary parking areas are the main parking lot and the staff parking lot. Parking is not permitted along North Camp Road or any other road or trail except while loading and unloading at the short-term campsites, in which case the vehicles should park on the side of the road closest to the campsites so that the other side remains clear for emergency vehicles. Klondike Derby staff will direct overflow parking. There is a possibility that piles of snow in the lots may reduce parking considerably, therefore it is suggested that units travel to and from Camp Mack in the least number of vehicles. Please carpool! **\*\*\* ANY VEHICLE BLOCKING ACCESS TO A ROAD OR TRAIL WILL BE TOWED AT THE OWNER'S EXPENSE. \*\*\***

## **MEALS \*\*\*\*\* CHANGE IN MEAL PLANS \*\*\*\*\***

**We are doing lunch differently this year. Because we are unable to cook and serve the meal, a bagged lunch containing a turkey sandwich, chips, drink, and other items will be provided to all participants and staff. When you bring your roster to the camp office for registration, you will be getting a ticket for all your unit's lunches, that you will then pick up at the kitchen and take with you on the trail, and eat at an appropriate time. There will not be a designated lunch time or place. \*\*\* UNITS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING ALL THEIR OTHER MEALS DURING THE WEEKEND. \*\*\***

## **REQUIRED CLOTHING**

The scout uniform is not needed for the Klondike Derby. Wear suitable undergarments for the weather, along with the appropriate layering system of outer winter protective clothing. It is highly recommended that participants carry along at least one extra pair of dry socks for a quick change on the trail. These should be carried in a zip lock bag or another waterproof container. Also recommended is a wool hat and gloves. Overnight campers need a sleeping bag rated for the temperatures expected and should have a change of clothes to sleep in. A poncho or rain suit is also highly recommended. Scouters and scouts who are found on the trail without the appropriate clothing will be escorted to a warm up station where they will remain for the rest of the event. **\*\*\*SNEAKERS MAY NOT BE WORN UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCE FOR THIS EVENT! NOT SCOUTS, NOT LEADERS, NOT ANYONE!\*\*\* VIOLATORS OF THIS RULE WILL BE ESCORTED TO A LODGE WHERE THEY WILL REMAIN UNTIL SOMEONE CAN TAKE THEM HOME. THIS MEANS EVERYBODY!**

## **EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS**

Camp office phone during daytime hours is 717-626-8711. After office hours call 717-626-5674. This is the Camp Ranger's private home number, and should be called only in the event of an emergency. Please do not call the ranger at home with questions on the Klondike Derby. These phone numbers are the ranger's and there is no guarantee they will be answered.

**NOTICE:** The Klondike Derby is only for scouts and their unit leaders. Only people registered for this event may participate in the Klondike Derby. This is vitally important for the safety of everyone, so that we will know at all times who is in camp.

## **TRADING POST**

The Trading Post will not be open this year due to safety and health concerns. Thank you for understanding.

## **MAYOR'S MEETING & Volunteers**

Leaders and other adults who have volunteered to serve as mayors/judges at an activity are asked to attend an orientation meeting from 7:45-8:10 A.M. in Blair Lodge for Scouts BSA event; 8:00-8:30 AM at the Training Center for Iron Will; and 8:30A.M. on the Dining Hall Porch for Webelos. Score sheets for the stations will be handed out at that time. Volunteers should have all equipment needed for their stations in place by the meeting time, preferably by Friday night.

## **JUDGING**

The Klondike Derby emphasizes the patrol method for Scouts BSA/Webelos. Each of the Patrol Leaders will be responsible for the actions of his/her patrol. Patrols will be penalized for any patrol member wearing sneakers. Leaders and adults are prohibited from assisting in competition. Adult leaders may observe from a distance, but the patrol will lose points if adults are seen helping the patrol. Patrols receive points at each station based on teamwork & cooperation, leadership, task accomplishment and patrol spirit.

There are no certain dimensions or design restrictions on sleds. They should be practical and safe. It is a good idea to build them to accommodate wheels in case the ground is not covered by snow.

**\*\*A BASIC SLED DESIGN IS INCLUDED IN THIS PACKET\*\***

Scouts BSA sled and flag judging will take place in front of the Dining Pavilion at 8:30 AM. Webelos sled and flag judging will take place in front of Dining Pavilion at 9:30 AM. Each patrol is responsible for completing the sled identification card in this packet and placing it on the sled prior to judging. Unidentified sleds cannot be judged.

## **AWARDS AND RECOGNITION**

Trophies will be awarded at the closing assembly in front of the Dining Pavilion. Unit award presentations will start sometime between 3:00-4:00 PM depending on completion of all stations.

First, Second and Third place trophies will be presented to patrols/teams in each event for:

1. Overall score in competitive events
2. Patrol Flags
3. Patrol Sleds
4. Mayors Award
5. Sled Race

All participants and adults, who are registered, will receive a participation patch, which will be ordered and distributed after the event at a later date. Each Patrol/Team registered will be given a participation ribbon at check in.

Units staying overnight Friday or Saturday may be eligible for the BSA 32 Degree Patch, depending, of course, on the weather. Unit leaders may purchase these patches at the Council store if their units are eligible.

## **WEBELOS KLONDIKE EVENT**

Webelos dens will have at least eight stations that are intended to be fun and give the youth a taste of what lies ahead for them in Scouts BSA. No advance preparations are necessary. The Klondike Derby Committee will provide all materials required. The best thing a leader can do to prepare their adults and scouts for the Klondike Derby is to teach them how to dress for outdoor activities during cold weather. Dens traveling with or without sleds should carry extra clothing, especially socks in a zip lock bag, and rain gear. Dens are encouraged to carry their flag with them on the competition trails. **Webelos parents/guardians should accompany dens on the competitive trail, but should avoid getting involved in the activities.**

**NOTICE:** The Klondike Derby is only for Webelos, their parent/guardians, and their unit leaders. Only people registered for this event may participate in the Klondike Derby. This is vitally important for the safety of everyone, so we will know at all times who is in camp.

**\*Anyone interested in helping with the Klondike Derby, please call Sheldon Brubaker at 717-468-5333\***

### **WEBELOS SCHEDULE**

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 2021**

8:30-9:00	a.m.	Mayors/Volunteers meeting on Porch of Dining Hall
8:30-9:30	a.m.	Webelos registration at Camp Office
9:30-9:45	a.m.	<b>PATROL SLED &amp; FLAG JUDGING in front of Dining Pavilion</b>
9:45-10:00	a.m.	Opening assembly in front of Dining Pavilion
10:00-12:00	a.m.	Klondike Derby activities/stations for all dens
12:00-1:00	p.m.	<b>You are encouraged to eat your lunch during this time, wherever you are</b>
12:00-2:45	p.m.	Klondike Derby activities/stations for all dens
2:30-3:00	p.m.	Stations closed; trading post will be open & warm-up for participants if necessary
3:00-3:30	p.m.	Closing assembly, awards presentation in front of the Dining Hall
3:30-5:00	p.m.	Depart camp unless staying to watch scout activities and awards

The Klondike Derby is officially over at 5:00 P.M.

**NOTICE: WEBELOS are not allowed to camp at Klondike 2021!**

## **SCOUTS BSA KLONDIKE EVENT**

There will be a minimum of 8 stations for the Scouts BSA patrols this year. We will have some new events and challenges, as well as some old favorites, including the infamous sled race. Details will be handed out at the SPL meeting on Saturday morning; however, some hints may be obtained from looking at the equipment list.

### **SCOUTS BSA PATROL EQUIPMENT LIST**

1. SMALL BUNDLE OF KINDLING (NO FIRE STARTERS)
2. MATCHES
3. ONE LARGE HANDKERCHIEF PER PATROL MEMBER
4. FIRST AID KIT, INCLUDING ITEMS NEEDED FOR SPLINTS
5. ONE ROPE PER PATROL MEMBER (EACH AT LEAST 10 FEET LONG)
6. WINTER SAFETY ESSENTIALS AS PER YOUR JUDGMENT
7. COMPASS
8. POCKET CHANGE FOR TRADING POST

\*This is a basic equipment list, so be prepared for almost anything!

**\*\*\*Any Scouter interested in helping with the Klondike Derby, please call the Scouts BSA Patrol Program Head Mayor, Jim Rank, at 717-865-6464.\*\*\***

### **SENIOR PATROL LEADER/SCOUTMASTER MEETING**

Senior Patrol Leaders must attend a meeting on Saturday morning for the Scouts BSA event from 8:10-8:30 A.M. in Blair Lodge to get up to date instructions. Scoutmasters are also invited to this meeting.

### **SCOUTS BSA SCHEDULE**

#### **FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 2021**

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|------------|------|--|
| 6:00-9:00  | p.m. | Troop registration at Camp Office        |
| 9:00-11:00 | p.m. | Inter-troop campfire programs, free time |
| 11:00      | p.m. | Taps, quiet time                         |

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 2021**

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|-------------|------|--|
| 6:30        | a.m. | Reveille, quiet time is over   |
| 6:30-8:30   | a.m. | Personal hygiene, breakfast in troop area                                      |
| 7:00-8:00   | a.m. | Troop registration continues in Camp Office                                    |
| 7:45-8:10   | a.m. | Mayors meeting in Blair Lodge  |
| 8:10-8:30   | a.m. | SPL/SM meeting in Blair Lodge  |
| 8:30-8:45   | a.m. | <b>PATROL SLED &amp; FLAG JUDGING in front of Dining Pavilion</b>              |
| 8:30-8:45   | a.m. | Opening Assembly in front of Dining Pavilion                                   |
| 8:45-11:30  | a.m. | Klondike Derby activities for all patrols                                      |
| 11:30-12:30 | p.m. | <b>You are encouraged to eat your lunch during this time, wherever you are</b> |
| 11:30-3:15  | p.m. | Klondike Derby activities for all patrols                                      |
| 3:30-4:00   | p.m. | Tie-breaking competition, if necessary   |
| 3:30-4:00   | p.m. | Troops not staying the night should break camp                                 |
| 4:00-4:30   | p.m. | Closing assembly and awards presentation in front of the Dining Pavilion       |
| 4:30-5:00   | p.m. | Depart camp unless remaining overnight   |

The Klondike Derby is officially over at 5:00 p.m.

In case of severe weather on Saturday, the assemblies may be modified or eliminated and the location of the sled/flag judging may be changed to inside the Dining Pavilion.

Latrines will be open in the vicinity of Blair and Esbenshade Lodges at the Seneca and Susquehanna campsites. Portable toilets will also be available at the North Camp parking lot.

## **IRON WILL TREK WINTER EVENT**

There will be a minimum of 8 stations for the Iron Will Trek participants this year. We will have some new events and challenges, as well as some old favorites. Details will be handed out Saturday morning; however, some hints may be obtained from looking at the equipment list.

### **IRON WILL TREK EQUIPMENT LIST**

1. BACKPACK
2. SMALL BUNDLE OF KINDLING (NO FIRE STARTERS)
3. MATCHES
4. FIRST AID KIT
5. SEVERAL ROPES (EACH OF AT LEAST 10 FEET LONG)
6. WINTER SAFETY ESSENTIALS AS PER YOUR JUDGMENT
7. POCKET CHANGE FOR TRADING POST

This is a basic equipment list, so be prepared for almost anything!

**\*\*Also note that each pair for the Iron Will Trek should have a name for their team and a team flag similar to patrols and dens. Be as creative as you want to be -- that will be your team's identification for the Klondike Derby.**

**\*\*\*Any Scouter interested in helping with the Klondike Derby, please call the Iron Will Trek program Head Mayor, Rick Shoher, at 717-538-3173.\*\*\***

### **IRON WILL TREK SCHEDULE**

#### **FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 2021**

6:00-9:00 p.m. Unit registration at Camp Office  
9:00-11:00 p.m. Inter-unit campfire programs, free time  
11:00 p.m. Taps, quiet time

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 2021**

6:30 a.m. Reveille, quiet time is over  
6:30-8:30 a.m. Personal hygiene, breakfast in troop/crew area  
7:00-8:00 a.m. Unit registration continues in Camp Office  
8:00-8:30 a.m. Iron Will Trek teams check in at Training Ctr.  
8:30-11:30 a.m. Klondike Derby activities for Iron Will Trek  
11:30-12:30 p.m. **You are encouraged to eat your lunch during this time, wherever you are**  
11:30-3:00 p.m. Klondike Derby activities for Iron Will Trek  
3:00-4:00 p.m. Tie-breaking competition, if necessary  
3:00-4:00 p.m. Troops/crews not staying the night should break camp  
4:00-4:30 p.m. Closing assembly and awards presentation, in front of the **Dining Pavilion**  
4:30-5:00 p.m. Depart camp unless remaining overnight; the Klondike Derby is officially over at 5:00 p.m.

In case of severe weather on Saturday, the assemblies may be modified or eliminated.

Latrines will be open in the vicinity of Blair and Esbenshade Lodges at the Seneca and Susquehanna campsites, as well as the Training Center. Portable toilets will also be available in the North Camp parking lot.

# UNIT ATTENDANCE SHEET

## HORSE-SHOE TRAIL DISTRICT – 2021 KLONDIKE DERBY

**\*BRING THIS SHEET WITH YOU AND SUBMIT IT AT THE EVENT\***



PACK # \_\_\_\_\_ TROOP # \_\_\_\_\_ CREW # \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT LEADER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
(PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR EACH UNIT WHILE IN CAMP)

Patrol Name \_\_\_\_\_

Patrol Leader \_\_\_\_\_

Patrol Members:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_

(Maximum Patrol size is 8 members)

Patrol Name \_\_\_\_\_

Patrol Leader \_\_\_\_\_

Patrol Members:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_

(Maximum Patrol size is 8 members)

Patrol Name \_\_\_\_\_

Patrol Leader \_\_\_\_\_

Patrol Members:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_

(Maximum Patrol size is 8 members)

### Iron Will Pairs

First Pair Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

Second Pair Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

Third Pair Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth Pair Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

### Paid Adult Leaders:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

ADD ADDITIONAL ADULTS ON BACK

### Adult Volunteers:

(Maximum 2 free per Unit w/registered participants)

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Pack
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Pack

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Troop
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Troop

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Crew
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Crew

# Patrol Name

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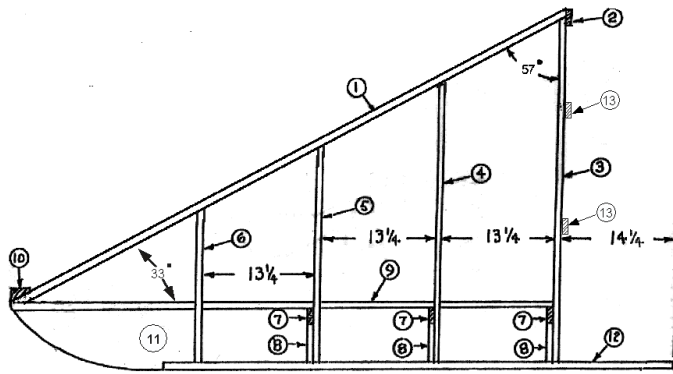
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**Sled Sign Klondike Derby 2021**



# Klondike Derby Sled Plan

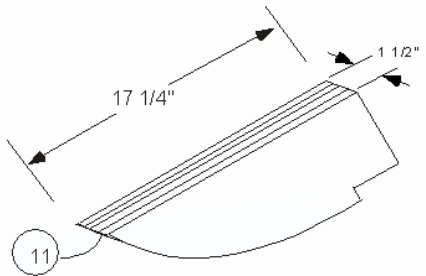
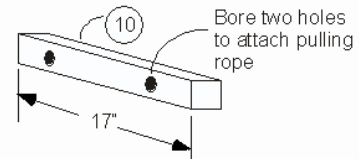
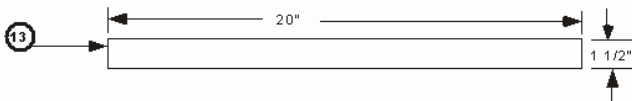
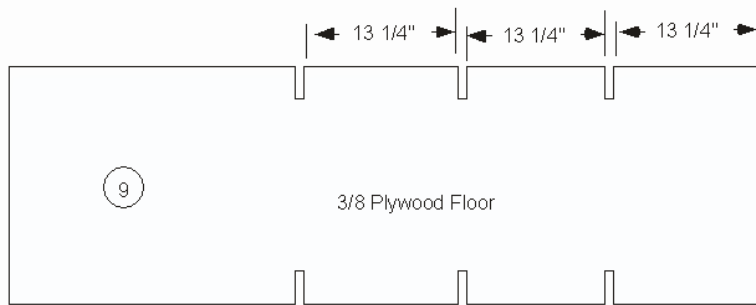


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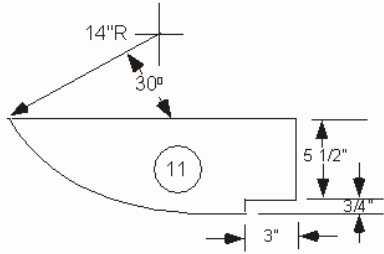
## Klondike Derby Sled Parts List

#1 1" x 2" x 70 1/4" Top Rail 2 req.
#2 1" x 2" x 20" Hand Rail 1 req.
#3 1" x 2" x 40 3/8" Rear Upright 2 req.
#4 1" x 2" x 32" 2nd Upright 2 req.
#5 1" x 2" x 23 7/8" 3rd Upright 2 req.
#6 1" x 2" x 16" Front Upright 2 req.
#7 1" x 2" x 20" Floor Support 3 req.
#8 1" x 2" x 4" Floor Spacer 6 req.
#9 3/8" x 20" x 60 3/4" Plywood Floor 1 req.
#10 2" x 2" x 17" Front Support 1 req.
#11 1 1/2" thick Laminated Plywood Front Runner 2 req.
#12 1" x 2" x 60" Hardwood Runners 2 req.
#13 1" x 2" x 20" Stiffener 2 req.
#6 x 1 1/4" Flat head Wood Screws 100 req.
Wood Glue
Rope for Pulling Sled
Screen, net, or plastic sheet (to form walls for sled)
Old skis may be screwed to bottom of runners if desired
Important: Glue and Screw all joints.

## Parts Detail



4 pieces 3/8" plywood  
glued together -  
2 units required



**\*\*Worksheet for Unit use purposes only\*\***

**UNIT REGISTRATION - MARCH 2021**

**HORSE-SHOE TRAIL DISTRICT – 2021 KLONDIKE DERBY  
J. EDWARD MACK SCOUT RESERVATION**

Registration fee includes one patch and Saturday lunch for each individual, plus a great program! Register online through Tentaroo and pay online.

Registration deadline is 5:00 pm, February 26, 2021. Online registration is available at <http://padutchbsa.org/districts/horse-shoe-trail/horse-shoe-trail-district-activities/> After the deadline date **NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED**, however, substitutions will be permitted. Refunds cannot be made after deadline date.

**ALL MUST PRE REGISTER!!!**

**YOU CANNOT SHOW UP SATURDAY MORNING AND REGISTER!!!**

PACK # \_\_\_\_\_ TROOP # \_\_\_\_\_ CREW # \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT LEADER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Youth \_\_\_\_\_ Pack  
\_\_\_\_\_ Troop  
\_\_\_\_\_ Crew

Number of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Pack  
\_\_\_\_\_ Troop  
\_\_\_\_\_ Crew

Total \_\_\_\_\_

Total \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Free Adults - \_\_\_\_\_

(Mayors/volunteers, maximum 2 for each unit type who is registering - LIST NAMES BELOW)

TOTAL Youth + Adults Regular Rate (Deadline Feb. 26) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$15 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL Youth + Adults Council Team Player (Deadline Feb. 26) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$12 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Extra Patches \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$2 = + \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL AMOUNT OWED \*All payments are made through Tentaroo = \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Dens - Pack \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Patrols - Troop \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Iron Will Teams \_\_\_\_\_

Select:  Troop  Crew will be camping  Friday night &/or  Saturday night

We will not be camping

**NOTE: WEBELOS are not allowed to camp at Klondike 2021!**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Troop/Crew/Pack: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle one - If applicable

## Pre-Event Medical Screening Checklist

Use this checklist to assist in identifying potentially communicable diseases before event participation.

The intent of this checklist is to review with each youth and adult participant their current health status, both before departure and upon arrival at the event. Anyone entering a camp or event — including visitors, vendors, etc. — should be screened using this checklist.

- Yes  No Have you been in contact with anyone who has COVID-19 in the past 14 day?  
 Yes  No Have you or anyone you have been in close contact with traveled on a cruise ship, internationally, or to an area with a known communicable disease outbreak in the last 14 days?

*If the answer is “yes” to either of these questions, the participant must stay home.*

- Yes  No Are you in a higher-risk category as defined by the CDC guidelines?  
If the answer is “yes” to this question, we recommend that you stay home. Should you choose to participate, you must have approval from your healthcare provider and then proceed to the symptom decision tree below.

*If the above answers are “no,” proceed to this symptom decision tree.*

