

2001: A Snow Odyssey

Greater Cleveland Council - Frontier District 2001 Klondike Derby

February 2nd- 4th, 2001 - Firelands Scout Reservation

Participation options

Claim Stake - \$16 per person
Prospector - \$14 per person
Campsite with Shelter
Musher- \$12 per person
Snowshoer- \$10 per person

Event, Patch, 3 Saturday Meals, Two *Nights' Cabin Lodging*
Event, Patch, 3 Saturday Meals, Two Nights' Tent

Event, Patch, 2 Saturday Meals (*Lunch, Dinner*)
Event, Patch, Saturday Lunch Only

Details

- Registration:** **PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED BY JANUARY 6, 2001.** Pre-Registration And full payment is required for **Claim Stakes and Prospectors**. *Mushers* and *Snowshoers* *must* pre-register, but may pay on the day of the event.
- Lodging:** Cabins and Campsites are available on a first-come / first-served basis and will only be reserved upon receipt of pre-registration and *FULL* payment.
- The Event:** The event will focus on Scouting Skills, Working as a Patrol, and Problem Solving. **Claim Contracts** (maps, schedule, and event descriptions) will be mailed upon receipt of pre-registration, and will be available at the January Roundtable.
- Patrols:** "Natural" patrols are preferred, 5 Scouts minimum, 8 Scouts maximum. We will make *reasonable* attempts to assist in combining pre-registered groups of four or fewer *Scouts*.

Questions? - Contact **Jim Gress** at (440) 845-6956 or JLGress@ameritech.net

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CHECKS ONLY- NO CASH - Payable to. **KLONDIKE c/o BSA TROOP 263**
Mail Registration To, 2001 Klondike 6393 Doncaster Ave, Parma, OH 44129

Troop #	Leader 1	Leader 2
Contact Phone # minimum.)		No. of Patrols (5 Scouts)
Total Number Leaders & Scouts	Participation Option (Check One)	Cost per Person
	Claim Stake	\$16
	Prospector	\$14
	X Musher	\$12
	Snowshoer	\$10
		Total Due

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Check In

Two adult leaders and the Senior Patrol Leader from each unit must check in with event staff at the Claim Office (Dining Hall) on Friday night. Please no more than these three at check in. A unit roster must be submitted at check in. Saturday-only Units may check in at the Claim Office on Saturday Morning.

Derby Regulations

1. *SAFETY FIRST! All Scouts* must be clothed appropriately for winter weather - especially footwear. No tennis shoes- permitted.
2. All patrols must register Saturday Morning at the Claim Office, Each patrol must provide a patrol roster signed by the Scoutmaster.
3. Patrols should be "natural" patrols of 5-8 Scouts with no more than 3 Senior Scouts (16 or over) if possible. In the interest of fair competition, patrols with more than 3 Senior Scouts will be subject to handicapping.
4. Sledges must be at least 6 feet long and weigh 50 pounds without gear. Ballast may be added to sledges to achieve minimum weight. Patrols are responsible for ballast. *Suggestion: bring enough water containers (jugs or dromedary bags) to hold six gallons of water (about 48 pounds) that can be secured to your sledge. Add water to bring sledge to weight.* Sledges must beat weight at Saturday morning patrol registration at the Claim Office and will be weighed following competition.
5. Sledges must clearly display a patrol flag and troop number.
6. The event will emphasize the patrol method and patrol spirit, Know and use your patrol yell and practice good leadership.
7. Adults are not allowed on the trail with patrols. Adults may escort Webelos to observe events.
8. Judge's word is final. Town Mayors are the final word *at* all stations. Patrols must stick to the schedule and are not to leave towns until released by the Mayor.

Equipment

Each patrol will need the following equipment:

1. Notebook and pencil
2. Scout Handbook
3. Two blankets.
4. Two groundcloths or medium-sized tarps (8' x 10')
5. Six sturdy 5' poles (scout staves or similar)
6. Ten lengths of 1/4" or 3/8" rope, 6'-10' long each
7. One quart of water per Scout
8. Compass
9. First Aid Kit
10. Hand Axe
11. Bow Saw
12. Small frying pan and spatula (to cook a flapjack)

Towns / Stations

Juneau - Claim Office

Get off to a good start - inspection of patrol, sledge and equipment, receive your patrol's itinerary,

Skagway - Signaling

Use any silent means of signaling to send an emergency message and receive a reply. Semaphore flags will be available.

Prudhoe Bay - Rescue / First Aid

Rescue a victim from icy arctic waters and provide first aid.

Barrow - Snow-blind

Guide patrol members stricken with snow blindness in completing a task.

Fairbanks - Orienteering and Measurement

Use your orienteering skills to find your way and to estimate height and width of object and features.

Anchorage - Knots

Tie ten knots and/or hitches identified by common use. Each patrol member must tie at least one knot or hitch before other members can tie another.

Nome - Fire Building / Woods Tools

Use the materials provided to start a fire and cook a flapjack.

Valdez - Pioneering / Problem Solving

A large oil storage tank has ruptured nearby. Secure your provisions from the rising ooze.

On The Trail - Watch Out for Claim Jumpers! - Scouting Basics

Brush up on your Scouting basics - Oath, Law, Motto, Slogan, basic Scouting history, and meanings of symbols, signs and sayings - to avoid high tolls and delays.

Awards

Each registered Klondike Derby participant will receive an embroidered patch as a souvenir of the event. The top three scoring patrols will receive awards of recognition. Each patrol will receive a participation streamer for its patrol flag.

Camping

Event staff will assign Cabins/Campsites. Each unit is responsible for proper care of the assigned Cabin or Campsite. All sites will be inspected at checkout. The event will take place regardless of weather. An alternate plan will be implemented in case of dangerous weather,

Evening Program

FRIDAY - A Cracker Barrel will be held Friday night for adult leaders and Senior Patrol Leaders. Be sure to attend to find out about any late changes or other important event information,

SATURDAY - On Saturday evening there will be a brief non-denominational worship service shortly after dinner.

Participants will assemble shortly after the worship service for event awards, songs, and skits. Each unit is asked to come prepared with one Scouting-appropriate song or skit.

Food

Event registration provides meals or, Saturday only. Units must provide any other food for Friday snacks and/or Sunday breakfast.

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Directions to Firelands Scout Reservation

Take 1-480 west. Just past North Ridgeville, 1-480 turns into Route 10. Follow the signs that say Norwalk - Oberlin and **continue on Route 10** - do not get on *the Ohio Turnpike (Rt. 80)*. *After several miles, Route 10 becomes Route 20* you don't need to turn or anything - just keep going west (about 20 miles on Rts. 10 & 20). Route 20 eventually narrows to two lanes and you'll come to a traffic light at Route 58.

Cross Route 58 and continue west. You will pass Baumhart Road and cross Route 511. After you **cross Route 511**, start looking for **Gore-Orphanage Road on the Right**. There is a small sign on the telephone pole that says "Firelands Boy Scout Camp." Turn right onto Gore-Orphanage Road and go about two or three miles. Along the way, you will come to a stop sign at Becker Road. Keep going past Becker road - you'll find **Firelands Scout Reservation on the left just after the steep, curvy hill with the really narrow bridge at the bottom** (it's a lot of fun with a trailed).

Turn left into Firelands and follow the road to the right until you come to the parking lot. **Remember the camp speed limit is 10 MPH.**

Check In

When you arrive, two adult leaders and the **unit's Senior** Patrol Leader must come to the Claim Office at the Dining Hall to check in with event staff. Please have only these three people come inside to check in, Remember to bring your Unit Roster.

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PATROL ROSTER

Unit Number: _____ Patrol Name: _____.

List Patrol Leader first, followed by patrol members

	NAME	AGE
PL:		
2		
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	Scoutmaster's Signature:	