

Survival Scout Challenge



Ahdawagam and Ojibwa District Unit Leader Guide

Spring Camporee

April 24th-26th 2026

Register at [Samoset.org/calendar](https://samoset.org/calendar) by April 19th

Contact Amy Sherman at tiggeramyof1@yahoo.com or 715-697-3656 with any questions.

General Information

The Camporee is going to be held at Dexterville campground . The campground is located at 8200 WI-54 Trunk, Pittsville, WI 54466

In keeping with the Boy Scout Spirit of Camping, Campers & RV's are not allowed at Scouts BSA Camporees.

Pets

No pets are allowed at District Camporees or at set-up prior to the event.

Check-in and Registration

All troops need to check-in at registration upon arrival. Check-in will take place at the entrance of the sites. Any person who comes out to the camporee needs to check in with the Activities Chair no matter when you get there. If you do not check in and/or pay to be there you will be asked to leave.

DO NOT leave scouts unattended in running vehicles in the line. When you check in you will be directed to where you will be camping for the weekend.

Parking

Parking is to be only in designated parking areas. There will only be room for one vehicle to be parked by the campsites. Other vehicles will need to be parked in the visitor parking lot.

Registration Fee

Pre-Registration should be done online. The registration fee is \$10.00 for each Scouts BSA participant The fee covers the cost of the patches, supplies, fees, insurance, etc. Pre-Registration must be done through Double Knot at <http://www.samoset.org/>

General Information

Camping Area

All camping will be in the specified areas only, so please check in BEFORE YOU SET UP Camp. There is to be no trenching around tents.

Please see a staff member if you have any questions.

Firewood

Troops wishing to have a fire in the approved area will need to locate fire wood from around the campground. No outside firewood will be permitted on the property.

First Aid and Medical Care - All major injuries should be brought to the attention of the Camporee Staff **IMMEDIATELY!** Minor cuts and scratches that can be handled with a troop first aid kit should be handled in the campsite.

Inclement weather - In case of severe weather we will blow a horn/whistle to let you know you and your scouts need to head to the shower house. Once at the shower house males on one side and females on the other. Then a head count will be taken to ensure all scouts are accounted for.

Electricity - Electricity is not readily available at this site. Please plan accordingly and let a Staff member know if you have a specific need for electricity.

Lighting - Bring your own lanterns. Lanterns using liquid fuel must have proper adult supervision at all times. No liquid fuel, other than in a lantern or cooking stove, will be permitted in the campsite.

Water - Limited Potable water will be available at this Camporee. Please bring your water jugs full and bring what you will need for the entire weekend. We want to be courteous to our host site and conserve their water as much as possible.

An adequate supply of water should be available in campsites at all times for fire safety.

Toilets -There are pit toilets down by the campsites that we have for the camporee.

General Information

Alcohol & Tobacco

It is the policy of the Boy Scouts of America that the use of alcoholic beverages and controlled substances is not permitted at encampments or at any activity involving participation of youth members.

Adult leaders should support the attitude that they, as well as youths, are better off without tobacco in any form and may not allow the use of tobacco products at any BSA activity involving youth participants.

All Scouting functions, meetings, and activities should be conducted on a smoke-free basis, with smoking areas located away from all participants.

SPL / Adult Leader Meeting

There will be a very short meeting of adults and Senior Patrol Leaders, Friday evening at 9:00 pm. This will be an important meeting, as we will review the program and rules for the weekend. SPLs will be asked to represent their troops with Adult leaders observing from the background please.

Campfire Program

A campfire program of songs, skits, and awards, will bring the weekend activities to a close on Saturday night. Troops will be asked to participate by putting on a skit or leading a song that has a Welcoming theme for our Webelos guests.

Check-Out

Time for check-out will be from 9:00 - 11:00 am on Sunday. Your troop site has to be checked-out by a Camporee Staff member BEFORE you leave. All troops must be checked out by 11 am.

Scout Spirit

Scouts BSA -Bring and display your troop and patrol flags.

A Scout is Courteous

Remember this part of the Scout Law! Stay out of other troop campsites, unless invited or given permission to enter. Show respect to others by being in your campsite and quiet from 11:00 pm to 6:00 am the next morning. **We ask that no radios be brought to District Camporees.**

Event Activities

This will be a patrol based camporee. Throughout the weekend you will be working with your patrol to complete different events. Each event your patrol will be awarded points based on times and accuracy.

Patrols will be able to test their abilities at throwing Tomahawks and slingshots for points. This activity will be held only in the Morning.

Patrols will compete in fire building. They will be asked to start a fire and build it up to burn through a string in the fastest time possible. This activity will be held only in the morning.

Patrols will do a first aid relay by being given a scenario to complete. This activity will be held only in the morning.

Patrols relays scouts will be given a series of scout thur first class tasks to complete. This activity will be held in the afternoon.

Patrol memory scouts will have a minute to look over items that are under a sheet and then have to write down what they can remember. This activity will be held in the afternoon

Scavenger hunt patrols will run around looking for different items on their sheet. This activity can be done throughout the day.

Compass course patrols will work together to use a compass and find all the points. This event will be held both morning and afternoon.

Patrol totem scouts will create a scout appropriate totem created with items that they find in the woods. This event can be done throughout the day.

Patrols will be able to challenge other patrols to Tug of War games. This activity will be held in the afternoon

Patrols will have the chance to challenge other Patrols to games of kickball. This activity will be held in the afternoon

Patrols will create a useful camp gadget that will be judged. This activity can happen throughout the day.

Schedule of Events

Friday (SCOUTS BSA)

5:00 - 8:30 PM Registration Dinner/Cracker Barrel on your own.

8:30 PM Adult Leader & SPL Meeting

11:00 PM Lights Out

Saturday – All event times may be adjusted by Ms. Sherman.

7:00	Breakfast at your campsite
8:00	Opening Ceremony and Announcements
8:15-12:00	Morning Activities will start
12:15-1:30	Lunch
1:40-5:00	Afternoon Activities
5:00–7:00	Dinner
7:15- 8:00	Evening Campfire and skits/Award camp patch selection
9:00-9:15	SPL Leader meeting
11:00 PM	Lights Out

SUNDAY

8:45 - Patrol leader meeting for clean-up and shut down instructions

Breakfast at your campsite

Tear down camp/police area leaving it cleaner than we found it

Patch Design Requirements

1. This event's winner will receive a backpack at the campfire.
2. Must include the Boy Scout Fleur De Lis (similar to the arch shown below)



3. Must include "Ahdawagam & Ojibwa District Spring Camporee 2026" on the design.
4. Design must follow the theme of the camporee, designs that do not follow the theme will be excluded from the contest.
5. Patches designs can be hand drawn or you may use a computer. If your Scout is using digital technology to create a patch, remind them that they have to use public domain images. Copyrighted images may not be used without permission from the image owner. If in doubt do not use it!

Address to the Campground with a google map from First English Lutheran church to the campground

1. Take 3rd St S to State Hwy 13 N/WI-13 Trunk N/WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W (0.8 mi)
2. Head toward Walnut St (177 ft)
3. Continue onto Walnut St (0.1 mi)
4. Turn left onto 3rd St S (0.6 mi)
5. Continue on WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W/WI-73 S/2nd Ave S/Wisconsin Firefighters and Emergency Medical Technicians Hwy. to Seneca Rd (2.3 mi)
6. Turn right onto State Hwy 13 N/WI-13 Trunk N/WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W (0.4 mi)
7. Slight left toward WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W/WI-73 S/2nd Ave S/Wisconsin Firefighters and Emergency Medical Technicians Hwy.
8. Use any lane to turn left at the 1st cross street onto WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W/WI-73 S/2nd Ave S/Wisconsin Firefighters and Emergency Medical Technicians Hwy.
9. At the traffic circle, take the 3rd exit and stay on WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W/WI-73 S/2nd Ave S/Wisconsin Firefighters and Emergency Medical Technicians Hwy. (1.4 mi)
10. Take Port Rd to WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W
11. Take Port Rd to WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W (2.6Mi)
12. Turn right onto Seneca Rd (1.1 mi)
13. Turn left onto Port Rd (1.5mi)
14. Drive to WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W in Dexter (13.5 mi)
15. Turn right onto WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W (11.9 mi)
16. Turn right onto WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W/WI-80 N/WI-80 Trunk N (0.9 Mi)
17. Turn left onto WI-54 W/WI-54 Trunk W (0.7 Mi)

[Destination will be on the right](#)

Lake Dexter County Park & Campground

8200 WI-54 Trunk, Pittsville, WI 54466