

**ALOHA!**  
**SATURDAY JANUARY 23<sup>RD</sup>**



**ARCTIC COLD WEATHER DOESN'T HAVE TO STOP US FROM ENJOYING THE SUN ON OUR FACE AND A "GENTLE" BREEZE. WE ONLY HAVE TO THINK WARM THOUGHTS!**

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## **Saturday, January 23, 2021**

- 8:30 am** COVID Health Check-in outside CampMasters Office
- 9:00 am** Patrol Check-in at Sperling Center, Opening, Last Minute announcements  
Shotgun Start
- 12:00pm** Lunch – Patrols will halt all activity for lunch break at the station that they just finished.
- 12:30pm** Stations reopen. Patrols resume activity.
- 3:00 pm** All stations closed
- 3:30pm** Patrols turn in score sheets and immediately depart. (no closing)

## Overview

**What Is A Klondike Derby?** Many years ago men traveled across the frozen wilderness of Alaska's Klondike searching for gold using sleds pulled by dogs and carrying gear on prospector frame packs. The 2021 Manitoa/Muscot District "Hawaiian Klondike Derby" is an experience based on those original travels into the snow covered interior of Alaska, but this year with a Hawaiian twist. The Klondike adventure begins, in advance of the event, with each Patrol building a Prospector Frame as used in the Gold Rush and preparing supplies and equipment. The Prospector Frame will be loaded with patrol equipment, secured by a diamond hitch. Patrols journey through woods and fields, up and down hills, to Hawaiian towns where the Scouts' knowledge, skills, teamwork, and problem solving will be challenged. Patrols will be at each town for about 20-30 minutes.

★ **Registration:** The cost per person attending will be is **\$10 per Scouter or Scout.** Registration will be available Online at <https://mycouncil.wpcbsa.org/Event/4087>

★ **Health And Safety:** All participants must wear proper face coverings and observe social distancing practices.

★ **Location:** Durland Scout Reservation (Sperling Center will be HQ)

★ **Camping:** This Klondike event is for Saturday only.

★ **Lunch:** Each Scout will bring his/her own lunch, and gear to cook it if needed.

★ **Scout Uniforms:** Uniforms are not required- but Hawaiian dress is encouraged!

## Patrol Equipment

- ★ Patrol First Aid Kit
- ★ Twine for the diamond hitch and for lashing
- ★ One 50 foot long rescue rope
- ★ Fire building materials (birds nest, tinder, flint, etc)
- ★ Wool Blanket (for pack and for station 2)
- ★ One whole fresh Pineapple
- ★ Spam and other ingredients, utensils and cookware needed for the Spam-tastic cooking challenge.

## Individual Equipment

- ★ Mask or Face Covering
- ★ 6 ft knot tying rope with whipped ends
- ★ Bag lunch
- ★ Drinking water in refillable bottle
- ★ Weather-appropriate clothing & footwear
- ★ Scout Handbook,
- ★ Personal First Aid Kit

### **(1) Luau Pig Rost – Fire Building: (50 points)**

Scouts will have to build a fire to burn a string that is at a given height. The scouts will be graded on how fast they are able to build a fire that can burn through a PIG and on the materials/method that is used to build the fire. Scouts can bring kindling and birds nests (no fatwood may be used)

### **(2) Volcano Tour Rescue: (30 points)**

In the Mauna Loa Volcano on the Big Island of Hawaii are some deep lava tubes that contain frozen lakes deep within. While spelunking, one of your scouts ignores the danger signs and decides to do an epic slide to impress his Instagram followers. Of course ... the ice breaks and the scout falls in. Your patrol now has to rescue your friend and provide appropriate first aid. Scouts will need show how to safely rescue someone who has fallen in a frozen lake using a line rescue, and provide first aid for hypothermia. Points will be awarded for correct demonstration of ice rescue and first aid as well as scout spirit/teamwork.

### **(3) Guide Your Patrol Safely through a Lava Pit- (30 points)**

The patrol leader has to guide his/her entire patrol snowblind patrol as a group through a tricky part of the trail.

### **(4) Pineapple Shoot - (30 points)**

Each patrol loads and charges a “Pneumatic Pineapple Gun” and then shoots for distance.

### **(5) Spam-tastic Cookoff Challenge- (30 points)**

Each patrol creates a culinary treat utilizing SPAM as the main ingredient. Swedish Stove will be provided for cooking. P.S. Final submission must be edible.

**(6) Patrol Limbo Competition (30 points)** Line up and take turns going under a limbo stick which is setup so that everyone will need to pass under a standard levels. A winner is determined by who can limbo under the pole at its lowest point, without touching the ground.

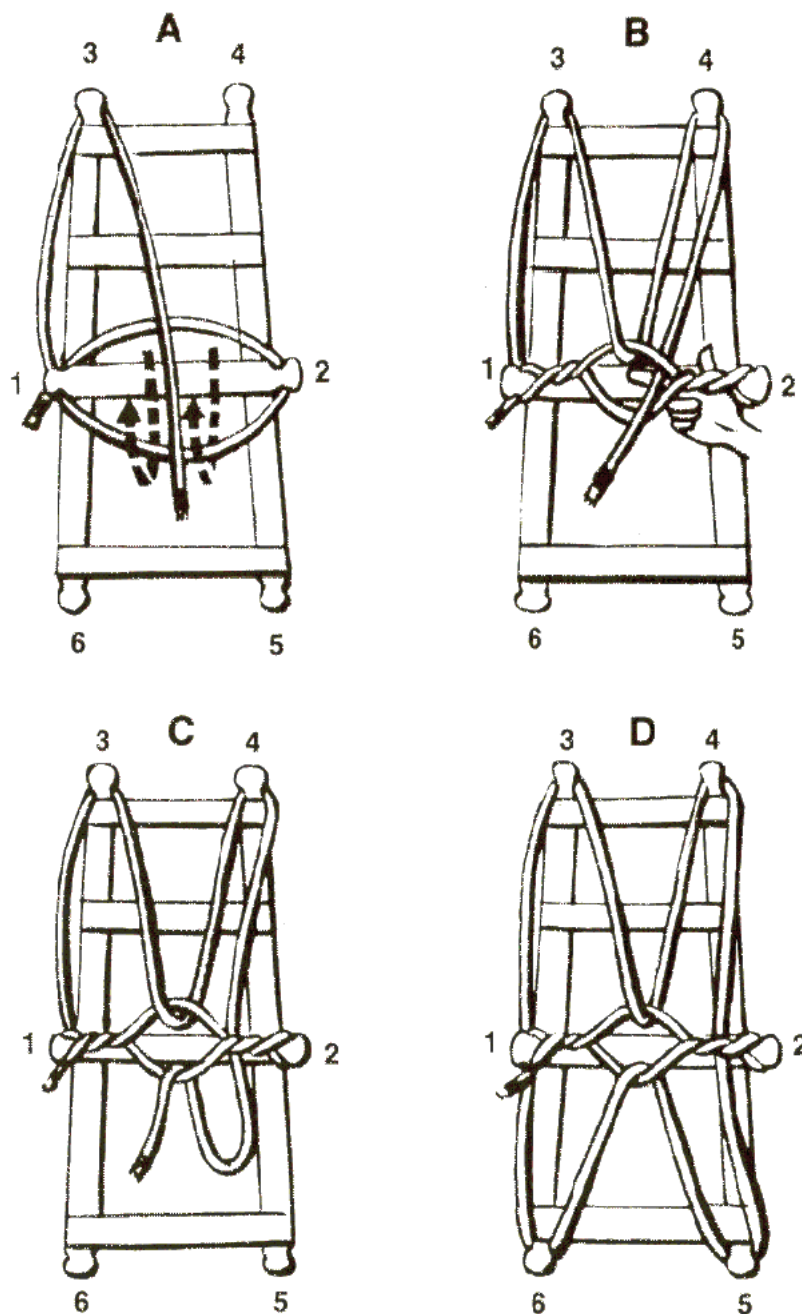
**(7) Break a Coconut! (30 points)** No description needed... (Coconuts will be provided by Council).

**(8) Mouse Trap Fishing! (30 points)** Patrols will fish from “the river bank” (a point past which scouts may not step). The patrol will construct a fishing pole by lashing up to 5 poles together to reach the biggest fish. Patrols can use as many lengths of twine as they need to lash their poles together to create a fishing pole....then use it to catch many “Red Snappers” as they can!

**(9) Heat Stroke! and Shark Attack! (30 points)** A first aid scenario challenge. One of the locals has come down with heat stroke! How will you protect him from the elements? Another local has been experienced a shark attack! How will you tend to his wounds? You will be expected to demonstrate and explain what to do for these scenarios.

**(10) Axe Throwing! (30 points)** (All equipment for this station will be provided by council.)

## Single Point Frame Pack and Diamond Hitch



The Diamond Hitch, long used by prospectors, traders, and trappers in loading packhorses, is also a handy way to lash your pack to a six-point frame. Its advantage is that a pull on any section of the line makes every other section tighter. Begin by tying one rope end at point 1, using a Clove Hitch. Loop the rope over points 2 and 3 as shown in A. Before pulling the line through the bight between points 1 and 2, twist the two center strands two or three times as shown. Then loop the rope over the other points in numerical order as shown. When the hitch is nearly complete, pull the rope to tighten all sides and tie it at point 1 (over the starting hitch) with a hitch or knot. Drawing D shows the Diamond Hitch completed around a pack. Note the "Diamond" in the center.