



Fall Camporee Adult Leaders Guide

Oct. 1, 2019 Revision #3. The Guide can be downloaded at
www.ctyankee.org/district/powahay/2019-fall-camporee/

CSI: Hoyt -- Crime Scout Investigators

October 18-20, 2019

A look into Forensic Science and Law Enforcement
Hosted by Troop 19 and Troop 190 Norwalk

Updates October 1, 2019

We are dedicating the Fall Camporee to Police and other law enforcement Agency in honor of their service guarding our lives and property, often at risk to themselves. The opening ceremony will include a memorial dedicated to Connecticut Police Officers who have lost their lives in the line of duty.

- The Redding Police Department and their Chief of Police and others will be participating in the Opening Ceremony.
- Norwalk Police Department is bringing in their Honor Guard Unit for the opening.
- Norwalk Police Department K9 Units will be in for a show during lunch.

The narrative has changed: Troop 19 and Troop 190 Norwalk are hosting a **teen-rated Kidnapping Mystery theme** for the camporee. Scouts will learn how to gather and analyze evidence which they then can use to solve the mystery.

- The narrative is fictional and not based any actual events or real-life characters. It was solely written for this camporee. Some of the material used is from ©Haley Productions, and from a "canned" BSA Camporee and from volunteers from district and the host troops.

An objective of the camporee is to spark a career interest in Police, Law Enforcement, Forensic Science, attorneys – defense and prosecutors, judges, etc. We invite Scouters or parents from your unit that can share their experiences with our Scouts to participate in our program.

The Fall Camporee is held in conjunction with the Cub Scout Field Day. This provides a unique opportunity to bring our entire Powahay Scouting Community together for a weekend of fun and adventure. Cub Scout Packs will be camping upper Hoyt but sharing lower Hoyt with Troops for programs.

We have created a Fall Camporee SPL & Patrol Leader Packet. This contains all the program information for Youth Leaders to organize their Troop and Patrol. This can be downloaded at www.ctyankee.org/district/powahay/2019-fall-camporee/. Please refer to that for all of the program information.

Questions:

- Program and Logistics: Joel DeGray, District Scouts BSA Activity Chair joeldegraybsa@gmail.com
- Program and Registration: John Hanks at johnwhanks@hotmail.com
- Host Troop and Program: Thane Grauel, Scoutmaster Troop 19 at thaneg@optonline.net
- Senior Patrol Leaders: Matt C assisted by Eddie -- please use Scoutmaster Thane Grauel above email to contact.

Registering

Regular Fee -- \$20.00 Youth & \$20.00 Adult
 Don't Miss the Early Bird Discount

Early Bird Fee -- \$15.00 Youth & \$10.00 Adult Fee with a deadline due by October 4, 2019

Go to: <https://www.ctyankee.org/district/powahay/2019-fall-camporee/>

- Final Registration Deadline is October 14, by 5 pm. This will allow Troop 19 to plan for the best possible program.
- **AOL Webelos** can camp with a host troop, but they **MUST** pay and register through their Pack and NOT the host Troop.
- The camporee is being organized for 24 patrols. Each patrol should have at least 8 Scouts. Troops that cannot provide 8 for a patrol may be asked to combine with another smaller patrol. The patrols will be formed by the SPL of their Troop. The Patrols should be balanced based by rank and age. A troop can enter as many patrols as they need but try and stay within the recommended number of scouts. Please pre-assign a patrol leader.

Tentative Schedule

Friday-Oct 18

5:00 PM	Camp Open - Lower Hoyt	
	Check-in/Campsite Set-up	
8:30 PM	SPL/Scoutmaster Meeting	Ranger Cabin
	Movie – TBA	Jackson Pavilion
10:00 PM	Taps/Quiet Time	Campsite

Saturday-Oct 19

7:00 AM	Reveille	
8:00-8:45 AM	Saturday Arrival Troops Registration	Jackson Pavilion
8:30-9:15 AM	Crime Scene Inspection (2 scouts/patrol)	Jackson Pavilion
9:15 AM	Opening Ceremony	Activity Field Flag Pole
9:45 to 11:45 AM	Morning Stations	
11:45 to 1 PM	Lunch Campsite	
11:30 to 12:45 PM	Cooking Contest (entries due by 12:45 pm)	Jackson Pavillion
12:30 PM	PD K9 Show (tentative)	Activity Field
1:00 to 2:00 PM	Afternoon Stations	
2:10 to 2:30 PM	Solve the Crime – Who did it?	Jackson Pavilion
2:45 to 5:15 PM	Ultimate Frisbee	Activity Field
2:45 to 4:45 PM	Special Activities	
	Scouters (adults) vs Scout (youth) Challenges	
4:45 to 5 PM	Awards Ceremony	Flagpole
5:00 to 7:45 PM	Dinner/Clean-up	
7:45 PM	Campfire Gathering	Campfire Ring
8:00 to 9:00 PM	Campfire/Closing Ceremony	Campfire Ring
9:00 PM	SPL Cracker-barrel	Jackson Pavilion
	Order of the Arrow Scouts invited to Cracker-barrel	
9:30/10:00 PM	Quiet Time/Taps	Campsites

Sunday-Oct 20

7:00 AM	Reveille
7:00 to 9:45 AM	Breakfast/Break Camp/Carry Out Garbage
10:00 AM	Camp Closed - Safe Trip Home

Rotation Schedule

8:30 – 9:30 AM Crime Scene Station (2 Scouts/patrol)
9:45 - 10 AM Station
10 - 10:15 AM Station
10:15 - 10:30 AM Station
10:30 - 10:45 AM Station
10:45 - 11 AM Station
11 - 11:15 AM Station
11:15 - 11:30 AM Station
11:30 - 11:45 AM Station
11:45 - 1 PM Lunch
1:15 - 1:30 PM Station
1:30 - 1:45 PM Station
1:45 - 2 PM Station
2:10 - 2:30 PM Patrols Meet to Solve the Crime

EEE Mosquito Concerns:

To address any concerns with Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE) reported in mosquito populations in our area we have added a Saturday, 4:45 PM Awards Ceremony, giving units (or individuals) the option of not having to camp. The threat of mosquito borne illness subsides, generally after the first killing frost -- generally, around mid-October in our area. We're hopeful by the time of the camporee this will be less of a worry.

CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT:

- Friday Night Check-in: Powahay District Staff will be available Friday at 5 PM to check in Troops on the front porch of the Ranger Station off the parking area lower Hoyt.
- **Campsites are pre-assigned. Troops must check-in BEFORE setting up your campsite.**
- Saturday Check-in: Troops should arrive early enough Saturday to set up their campsite and be ready for the Scoutmaster/SPL Meeting at 8:45 AM and opening ceremony at 9:15 AM.
- Saturday check-in will take place at Jackson Pavilion.
- Sunday Check-out: Please check out at HQ and we ask that you please make sure campsite is properly cleaned, campfire distinguished, and any picnic tables carried over to your site are returned to where you found them.

Closing Ceremony will take place at the Saturday Campfire. There are no programs planned for Sunday.

Administrative — Troop Leaders

ALERT — WE NEED YOUR HELP: District staffing for the camporee are volunteers and many with unit commitments as well. We have limited resources. Your unit responsibilities in maintaining appropriate supervision of your Scouts comes first, but we could use help with extra parents, adult leaders, or older High School age Scouts you may have. Our big need is parking and traffic control. Unit volunteers are asked to attend the Saturday, 8:45 AM, SPL/Leaders Meeting at the Jackson Pavilion for assignments. Thank you!

PARKING — We need your cooperation!

- Please carpool. We need to limit the number of vehicles.
- All vehicles must have a PARKING PASS to enter Hoyt. See last page.
- Please instruct your drivers to park close to nearby cars. Double park vehicles and trailers from your Troop as much as possible.
- Please instruct parents dropping Scouts and equipment off to unload and depart as quickly as possible.

Guidelines:

- Campsites are pre-assigned on a first registered/first paid basis.
- Pavilions must be left open for program use. Only the hosting Troop is allowed the use of a pavilion.

- Troops should prepare for bringing all gear out to the camping area. Vehicles are not permitted beyond the parking lot, including dropping of troop trailers.
- Running water is available at new water hydrants located near the driveway entrance to the back side of the Ranger Station and at the Eisenhower Pavilion.
- Quiet time begins at 10:00 PM.
- Not all campsite may have a fire ring BE PREPARED and bring your own.
- Carry out all trash. No dumpster.

YOUTH LED CAMPOREE & PROGRAM: Senior Patrol Leaders and ASPL's will form the Camporee Greenbar and run the program.

Campfire The Camporee Greenbar will organize the Saturday Campfire. Each troop will provide firewood and scouts to build the fire and extinguish after. Troops can share the MC position. This will be discussed at the Friday SPL meeting. Skits/songs must be submitted to T19 at Jackson Pavilion during Saturday lunch.

Campsites: Campsites are always to be kept clean. Some time Saturday your campsites will be inspected and evaluated on a score sheet from page 5. There will be an award given out to best campsite inspection.

Scout Uniforms: Scouts are requested to be in uniform for the opening ceremony. Uniforms are then optional for the rest of the weekend. Neckerchiefs are not required. Points will be added if your troop follows all uniform protocols to your score sheet.

Location: Fall Camporee camping will take place lower Hoyt, 3 Marchant Rd., entrance.

Lunch Canteen: Troops have the option of patrol/troop cooking lunch at their campsite for advancement requirements or your troop can purchase lunch at the Canteen. \$6 payable online at the registration link. Hot Dog, Fries, Drink, Cookies.

First Aid/Medical Forms: Each unit is required to carry at least Part A and B of the Annual Health and Medical Form and a permission form for each scout signed by a parent or legal guardian, giving consent for the Scout to participate in the activity and consent for medical treatment. **First Aid Station is at the Ranger Cabin.**

Program Notes

More information in the SPL/Patrol Leader Packet

The Great Mac and Cheese Lunch Cook-off: Each Troop/Crew can have 1 youth of (3 to 4) and 1 adult team. This is a timed event. Cooking teams will meet at **Jackson Pavilion at 11:30 AM** to pick up their contest kits which includes chef hats and the mystery item, to return to their campsite to cook and prepare their menu. Cooking item must be **return to Jackson Pavilion no later than 12:45 pm**. More information in the SPL/Patrol Leader Packet.

ULTIMATE TOURNAMENT: Each Troop can register one team. Smaller troops can combine with another troop. A regulation game has 7 players on each team. Each team can have up to 11 to allow for substitutes. This would be a youth-led activity. We are limiting to 8 TEAMS on a first signup basis. We are considering one team of adults (combined leaders from troops).

Extra Programs

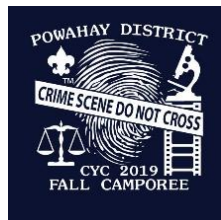
Adult Scouters vs Youth Scouts Challenge -- 3 to 4:30 PM

Scouts and Scouters can sign up for one of the following:

- Wrecking Ball Station -- Four Players climb atop their inflated pads. One of the players grabs the "Wrecking Ball" and hurls it at their opponent to knock the player off their inflated pad. The last player standing is the champion! -- 4 Youth and 4 Adults.
- Gaga Ball Challenge -- Basically, we throw a bunch of players and a ball in a pit. Turn up the music, everyone for him/herself; if the ball touches you below the knee, you're out. The last one in the pit wins. Then, everyone hops back in for the next round. It's fast, it's sweaty and it's addictive. – We'll throw in a combination of youth and adults and see who the last person is.
- Ultimate Team – We are still working on the details. We are looking for a team of 7 adults to either compete in Ultimate Tournament or just play the winner.
- Troops/Crews are welcome to host a Adult vs Youth Challenge Station.

Addendums

Prizes



1st and 2nd place Super Patrol will receive a souvenir t-shirt. Also 3 will be presented to the Super Troop. The shirt has a design front right chest and back of the shirt with "CSI" imprinted.

ARROW OF LIGHT WEBELOS CAMPOREE PROGRAM

Arrow of Light Webelos may camp with a host Troop. These arrangements are made by the Troops and Webelos Dens and NOT by District.

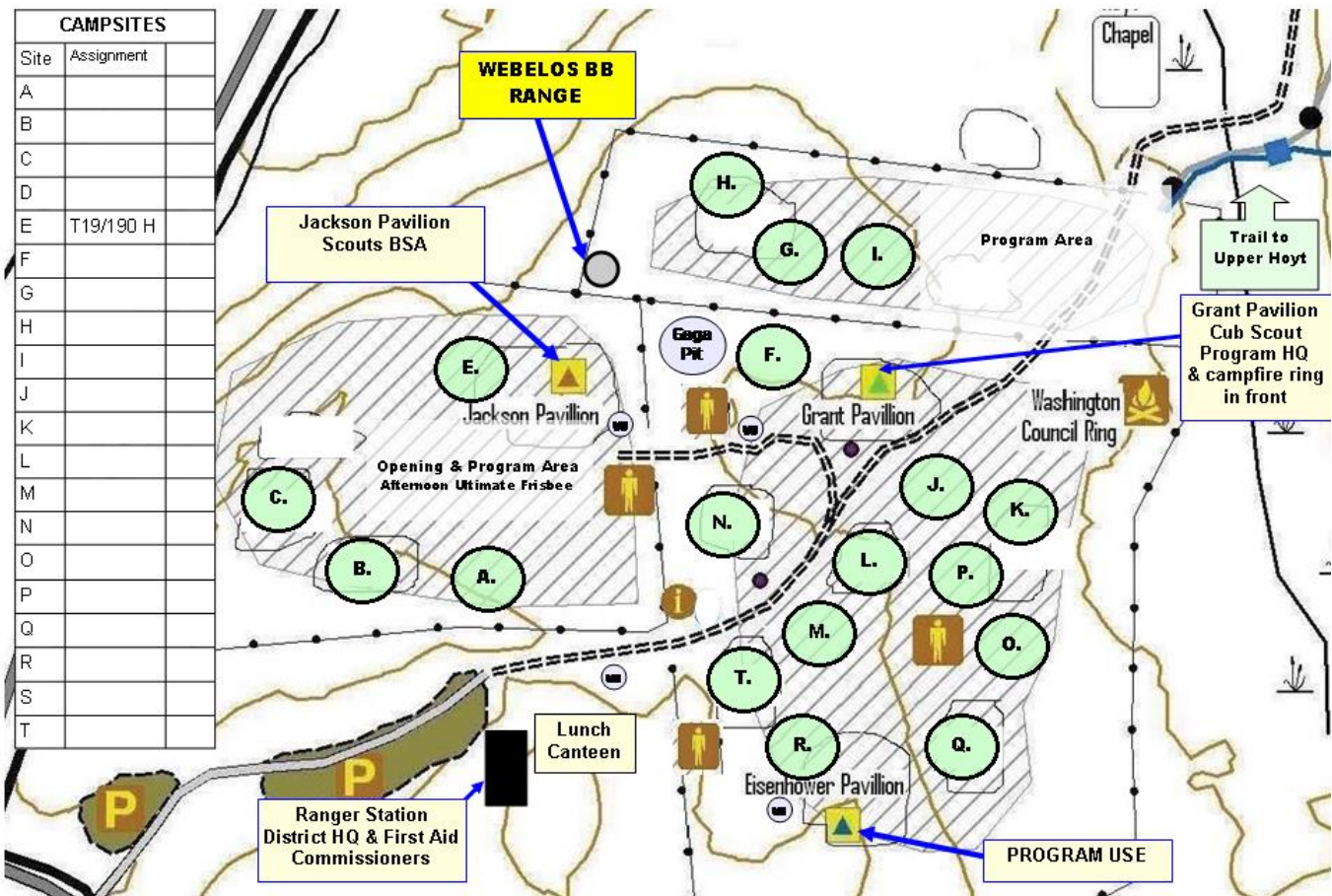
- Arrow of Light Webelos Register and pay through their Cub Pack and NOT the host Troop. Same Fees.
- Only Arrow of Light Webelos can camp with a host troop. All other members of the Cub Pack must camp in the Cub Scout Family Camping area.
- We have both Boy and Girl Troops attending — boy AOL Webelos should camp with a host boy Troop and girl AOL Webelos should camp with a host girl troop

AOL Webelos have the choice of participating in the Cub Scout Field Day program or the Scouts BSA Camporee.

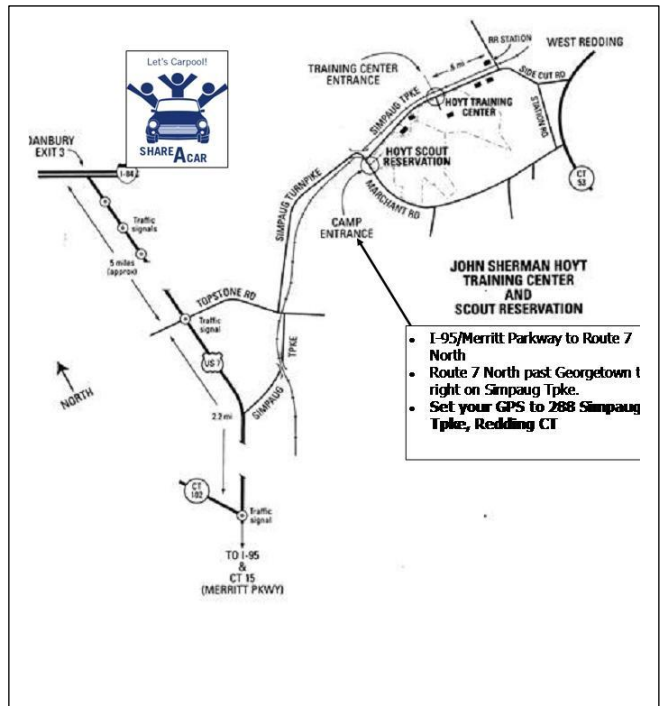
- We would organize AOL Webelos into patrols to participate in the Fall Camporee.
- Host Troops are welcome to help organize the Webelos Patrol.
- Each AOL Webelos Den must have at least one adult to coordinate their participation
- AOL Webelos must arrive lower Hoyt by 9 AM on Saturday for the Scouts BSA Opening Ceremony.
- Questions Contact John Hanks at johnwhanks@hotmail.com

Lower Hoyt Campsite Camporee Map

Campsites are assigned Jamboree style and are keyed below. We do not assign by traditional Hoyt campsite names. Pavilions are NOT to be used by Units and must be kept open for programs.



- ➔ Campsites are assigned Jamboree style and are keyed above.
- ➔ **We do not assign campsites by traditional Hoyt campsite names. Please use the letter keys.**
- ➔ Campsites are pre-assigned on a first registered/first paid basis for units paid for by October 4 early bird deadlines. After October 4 campsites will be selected by District.
- ➔ Campsite Map Assignments will be emailed out to the week prior to the camporee.
- ➔ Troops/Crews MUST check in with HQ before setting up your campsite.
- ➔ We will flag campsite assignments with unit number at the campsite campfire ring.
- ➔ Pavilions are NOT to be used by Units and must be kept open for programs.
- ➔ Campsite assignments will be email a week before the camporee.



Adult Leader Training Available at the Fall Camporee



"Every Scout needs and deserves trained leaders" . To help us achieve our District training objectives, Our instructors and I will conduct a "Show and Do" Training session, on Saturday afternoon during the October 19 Powahay District Camporee @ Hoyt Scout Reservation, starting at 1PM to 4PM, while your scouts are participating in Camporee events.

Attendees can report to the Troop 9 tent site (Site C) to learn new skills or brush up on old techniques. You can attend one or more sessions to get hands on training and experience in various scouting skills. Our objective is to help you become good enough with "hands-on" practice to teach and set an example for Scouts, along with how to deliver the training with enthusiasm and fun.

Topics to be covered: Skills sessions & creative activities to reinforce skills via games

- 1PM Campsite Selection, & Outdoor Ethics
Fire Site Preparation and Building
- 2PM: Ropes—Whipping, Knot Tying, and Lashing
Woods Tools—Knife, Camp Saw, and Ax safety
- 3PM Finding Your Way—Map and Compass Reading
Plant & Animal Identification

Different topics will be taught hourly to allow your troop leaders and adult support teams to use the time available to learn by "Hands-on" participation, which is the best learning tool. These training skills are also covered in formal BSA - IOLS classes.

Questions: Scouts BSA Training Chairman Evan Atkins atkins.evan23@gmail.com

Youth Protection Training at the Fall Event

Youth Protection facilitator led training will be available Saturday, October 19 at the District Fall Event — Cub Scout Field Day and Fall Camporee at the Ranger Cabin (lower Hoyt main parking area). There is no charge and it is open to all Leaders and parents. Tentatively at 1:30 PM.

More details in training will be provided at check in

POWAHAY DISTRICT

TROOPS/CREWS CAMPOREE PARKING

Please place on dash so it can be seen from windshield.

Set GPS to

Hoyt Scout Reservation, 288 Simpaug Rd., Redding CT 06896

Name: _____

Pack: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Please encourage car pooling for your families. All vehicles parking at Hoyt must display a Parking Pass with contact information and to be seen from the windshield. Please make as many copies as needed to give to your families. **PLEASE DISPLAY in your windshield as you approach Hoyt.** This will allow those coordinating TRAFFIC and PARKING to direct you to the appropriate parking area.