

Genesis Registration Package

Please share the information contained in this package to your youth and advisors / leaders. Enclosed is information that you need to assist you and your Troop / Company in having the most enjoyable time. Please take time to read this package, as you will be expected to know the guide lines of the venture and live by them. Also enclosed is a map to get to GENESIS and some helpful hints for registration and arrivals.

WHEN YOU GET HERE!

If possible try to arrive after 5pm on Friday. **Please** try to have all registration and medical forms filled out Prior to arrival.

UNLOADING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Campers will unload all equipment at “unloading area”.
2. Vehicles then will be parked in the designated “Parking area”.
3. Advisor and Youth President will first register before loading equipment on to the wagon.
4. Participants will be shuttled down to the flats by wagon “NO” vehicles will be allowed down to camping area.
5. At registration groups will receive a number which coincides with a campsite.

This number will also be the number in which you are loaded on to the wagon.

6. Participants may have to walk slightly to get to there sites...therefore the more equipment you have the more you may have to carry.

DEPARTURES

IMPORTANTWhen you pack up on Sunday, your site must be inspected by your subcamp chief. They will then give you permission to get your vehicle. We do this because we do not want garbage left around the field. Please be courteous. Instructions on departure will happen during the advisors meeting on Saturday and closing on Sunday.

FIRST AID

A health lodge will be maintained for the duration of the camporee starting Friday. Registration will inform you of the location. It is important to report all accidents to the health lodge. If necessary, the first aid chief will arrange transport to the hospital by area ambulance. Troops or leaders will be responsible for any fee arising out of such transport. Please make copies of the medical provided for each member and give these copies to. After they have noted the information on the sheet they will turn it over to the first aid Chief. Do not hand in any irreplaceable originals of information on the youth! Make photocopies of these originals and hand in the copies!

CAMP EMERGENCY NUMBERS

(519)268-7703 This number is to be used for emergencies ONLY. We do not have the time to run all around the camp looking for someone for non-emergency reasons

SAFETY

Please drive slowly through the camp - the speed limit is 5mph or 10km/h. Just to help us ensure that each of you have a safe and enjoyable time. All camp guidelines are implemented for very practical and good reasons!

Please leave the following at home:

WEAPONS

2 - WAY RADIOS

DRUGS

ALCOHOL

FIREWORKS

TV'S

PETS

SMALL CHILDREN ETC.

**** ANY ONE FOUND WITH WEAPONS OR ALCOHOL WILL BE TURNED OVER TO POLICE - no warnings or exceptions.**

Please be advised that in Canada, sale of tobacco to minors is illegal. The Scouts Canada "Duty of Care" policy informs all leaders to avoid smoking in front of the youth. All those of age of majority please be discreet about your smoking habits - let's not give youth any negative influences. Besides, the youth are here to have fun, not learn bad habits!

SPECIAL NEEDS

Please let us know before the camp if any special requirements that are needed. We can usually accommodate these request given we have enough time

GROUND FIRES

1. Must bring your own fire ring
2. All fires must be up off the ground

3. All fires must be continually supervised
4. Must have a fire extinguishers or large buckets of water located near your fires.
5. “No” horse play around fires, keep fires small and manageable.
6. At anytime staff may extinguish your fire or ask you to extinguish it.
7. Having camp fires is a luxury at larger camps so please practice safety near and around fires so we can allow you to continue to have them in the future.

LIQUID FUEL POLICY

Each sub-camp will have at least one area away from the tenting area in which ALL liquid fuel will be stored. Cans must be marked as to whom the owner is.

All camp equipment that uses liquid fuel is to be re-fueled only in this area. Only adults will be allowed to re-fuel the equipment at this site. We are simply trying to keep everyone's safety in mind. Please adhere to this request.

WATER SUPPLY

There must not be ANY washing done at the water stations. We have town water at this camp but please practice water conservation. Gray water must be dumped into leaching pits at back of sites as per subcamp chief instructions.

SANITATION, GARBAGE

There will be Port-a-johns on site. Please use them for the purpose that they were designed, not as a garbage disposal. Please leave the physically challenged Port- a- Johns available for those who need

them. We will also have leader and female only toilets available as posted. Anyone caught misusing the facilities will have the joyful pleasure of cleaning them. Please put the garbage in the bins provided after each meal. The raccoons are on a diet and do not have much willpower so lets help them out end not tempt them - they will be watching...

To all U.S. Participants

Genesis has always tried to keep all advisors and youth informed of any concerns that come up for the venturee. You may or may not, be aware that the Ontario government has been revamping the heath care system in Ontario over the last few years. In the past, when we sent youth or leaders to the local hospitals to be treated, they did not worry about charges or insurance forms until later - if at all. Our government has changed policies. Due to this change we are letting all our American units know they must have out of country medical insurance for everyone in the unit. Please check with your local council office for the steps or procedures you must follow to ensure that proper insurance coverage is in place. Over the last few years I've heard that your local council may carry an insurance policy with Mutual of Omaha for this type of coverage. You should hand this in at registration. Please let us know if you have any questions.

LOST AND FOUND

There will be a lost and found box located at the registration building. If you've either lost or found something, please check in with registration and we will assist you the best we can.

PICNIC TABLES

Picnic tables for campers will not be provided. Make sure you bring your own collapsible table thanks