East District 2020 Fall Camporee

When: September 18, 19, 20, 2020

Where: Newton Hills Scout Camp, Canton, SD

Cost: $15.00 per youth and $10.00 per adult. Registration Deadline is September 16th at 11:59 pm. Any Registrations after September 16th will have an additional fee of $5

Food: All meals are the troop’s responsibility in their camp area.

Gear list: We will have a limited number of compasses, so we encourage you to bring your own if possible. You will also need flashlights and closed toed shoes.

Schedule:

Friday
6 pm-8:30 pm: Check in and set up camp
11 pm: Lights Out

Saturday
8:00 am: Late arrival check in
8:20 am: Opening Flags and Announcements
8:45 am: Station 1
9:40 am: Station 2
10:25 am: Station 3
11:20 am: Station 4
12:15-1:00 pm: Lunch in Camp
1:00 pm: Station 5
1:55 pm: Station 6
2:40 pm: Station 7
5:30-7:30 pm: Dinner and free time in camp
8:00 pm: Start of Campfire
10:00 pm: Weather permitting, demonstrate nighttime directions
11:00 pm: Lights Out

Sunday
7:00 am: Breakfast in Camp
8:30 am: Flags and Scouts Service at the Chapel
9:30 am: Check out (troops are responsible for their own trash)
Activity Stations  
Mapping Skills/Orienteering

**Station 1** Show that you know first aid for the types of injuries that could occur while orienteering, including cuts, scratches, blisters, snack bite, insect stings, tick bites, heat and cold reactions and dehydration.

**Station 2** Learn the basics of orienteering and attempt a course. Explain what orienteering is. Show how to orient a map using a compass.

**Station 3** Demonstrate how an orienteering compass works and the features. Describe the features of an orienteering compass. Use a map to point out and tell the meaning of 10 map symbols. Take a compass bearing.

**Station 4** Explain how a topographic map shows terrain features. Point out and name five terrain features on a map and in the field. Point out and name 10 symbols on a topographic map. Tell why you must consider declination when using a map and compass together. Show a topographic map with magnetic north-south lines.

**Station 5** Determine your walking and running pace for 100 meters. Tell why it is important to pace count. Show how to measure distance on a map using an orienteering compass.

**Station 6** Identify 20 international control description symbols. Tell the meaning of each symbol. Show a control description sheet and explain the information provided.

**Station 7** Complete 1 orienteering cross-country course.

Campfire/OA Callout to be included.  
Scouts should be prepared to bring Skits or Songs to the Campfire! Commissioners/volunteers will be visiting camps to judge the “Best Model Campsite.”

Prizes will be awarded at the Campfire for:

1) Best Skit or Song at Campfire 2) Fastest Course Completion time 3) Best Model Campsite

To make this event the best it can be, we need your help! If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Kristen Gerlach.

If there are any questions, please contact Kristen Gerlach at (605) 359-2644 (call or text) or ktgerlach@gmail.com.