

Fire Safety

Scout Activities, Saturday, Sept 27th

The Scout Activities consist of 12 stations that patrols rotate through during the course of the day. The patrols move from station to station in an assigned sequence with a “shotgun” start. These stations include Scouting Skills, advancement activities, and some just plain fun events. The activities run from 8:30 am to 3:35 p.m. with a 30 minute lunch break. Lunch consists of the trail lunches that the patrols bring with them. Each activity is 25 minutes long with 5 minutes to travel between stations.

There will be multiple opportunities at each station to allow all 300+ scouts to attend. Troops have the opportunity to provide a mission to their experienced scouts to plan, prepare and teach a station event. We expect 6 troops to have stepped forward and accept this challenge.

Each patrol needs to carry supplies for the events. See the list of patrol requirements on page **Error! Bookmark not defined.** Patrols should be ready to give their patrol yell at any time to show Scout Spirit and win patrol beads.

A preliminary description of the Scout Stations, how they may be scored, and advancement opportunities for each is listed on the following pages. Patrols will be judged on completing the objective, patrol involvement, and cleanup for each activity

<p>Station 1 Fire Escape House – Scouts crawl thru escape house -</p> <p>Event run by Dayton Fire Department.</p> <p><u>Fire Safety merit badge requirements</u></p> <p>#3 name the most frequent causes of fire in the home and give examples of ways it can be prevented.</p> <p>#6, Conduct a home safety survey with the help of an adult (survey sheet attached). Do the following</p> <p>#6a, draw a home fire escape plan, create a home fire drill schedule and conduct a fire drill.</p> <p>#6b, Test a smoke alarm and demonstrate regular maintenance of a smoke alarm.</p> <p>#6c, Explain what to do when you smell gas and you smell smoke.</p> <p>#9b, Demonstrate the safety factors, such as proper ventilation for auxiliary heating devices and the proper way to fuel those devices.</p> <p><i>Patrol supplies needed:</i> Fire Safety merit requirement 6b must be done prior to camp and signed by the scout’s parent.</p>	<p>Station 2 Fire Explorers discuss fire related careers and scouts participate in a relay race using fire bunker gear.</p> <p>Event run by Explorer Post</p> <p>Fire Safety MB requirements –</p> <p>#1a – Demonstrate the technique of stop, drop, roll, and cool. Explain how burn injuries can be prevented.</p> <p>#1b – List the most frequent causes of burn injuries.</p> <p><i>Patrol supplies needed: none</i></p> <p>Ribbon event based on time.</p>
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Station 3 Earn the Fire n Chit Card & Making Fire Starters

Scouts will earn the fire n chit card and discuss proper fire guard station at camp, including weekend campouts. Scouts will be able to make starters that they can take with them and use.

Event run by – Fire Starters Troop 534 – Fire n Chit Troop 332.

Fire Safety MB requirements-

#4a – Explain the role of human behavior in arson problem in this country.

#4b – List the actions that cause seasonal fires and explain how these fires can be prevented.

#5 - List the common circumstances that cause holiday-related fires and explain how these fires can be prevented.

#10 Do the following –

d. Explain how to set up a campsite safe from fire.

#7 Do the following

#7a Demonstrate lighting a match

#7c Demonstrate the safe way to melt wax

Patrol supplies needed; none

Supplies needed to run station; fiber egg cartons, saw dust, and wax. Fire n' Chit cards – provided by camp.

(Don Peterson has some of these supplies already, please contact him).

Station 4 Building a Camp Fire – Leave no Trace. Proper fuels and wood to use.

Scouts will learn the leave no trace practice of fire building.

Event run by – The Order of the Arrow / Post 188.

Fire Safety MB requirements –

#2 - Explain the chemistry and physics of fire, name the parts of the fire tetrahedron. Explain why vapors are important to the burning process. Name the products of combustion. Give an example of how fire grows and what happens.

#8 - Explain the difference between combustible and noncombustible liquids and between combustible and noncombustible fabrics.

#10b – Demonstrate setting up and putting out a cooking fire.

Patrol supplies needed: none

<p>Station 5 Camp stove / lantern safety, liquid fuels, propane leaks.</p> <p>Scouts will demonstrate the proper lighting of camp stoves and lanterns. Demonstrate proper care for filling stoves, fuel leaks.</p> <p>Event run by - open</p> <p>Fire Safety MB requirements #9 Do the following: #9a Demonstrate the proper way to fuel a lawn mower. #10c Demonstrate using a camp stove and lantern.</p> <p><i>Patrol supplies needed: none</i></p> <p><i>Supplies needed to run station; lawn mower, (ranger Bob L. may have a mower we can use). Need camp stoves and lanterns that use a variety of fuels (i.e. propane, white gas, butane).</i></p>	<p>Station 6 Grease fire in camp or at home.</p> <p>Scouts will demonstrate how to extinguish a grease fire in camp or at home.</p> <p>Event run by – Brooklyn Park Fire Department.</p> <p>Fire Safety MB requirements – #6 Conduct a home safety survey with the help of an adult. Then do the following: #6g – explain how to extinguish a grease fire.</p> <p><i>Patrol supplies needed: none</i></p>
<p>Station 7 Scouts will learn how a sprinkler system works in a building.</p> <p>Event Run by Troop 84</p> <p>Fire Safety MB requirements – #6d - Explain how you would report a fire alarm. #6e - Explain what fire safety equipment can be found in public buildings. #6h – Explain what fire safety precautions you should take when you are in a public building.</p> <p><i>Patrol supplies needed - none.</i></p>	<p>Station 8 Build a safe fire & burn the string.</p> <p>Event run by - 403</p> <p>Scouts will demonstrate how fast they can build a safe fire and burn twine between to stakes.</p> <p>Fire Safety MB requirements – #7 – Do the following #7a – Demonstrate lighting a mach safely #7b – Demonstrate the safe way to light a charcoal fire.</p> <p><i>Patrol supplies needed: tinder, kindling, matches (fire building material) for a small fire.</i></p> <p>Ribbon Event – based on time and safety</p>

Station 9 **Fire Extinguisher Safety** – scouts will demonstrate the proper use in extinguishing a small fire.

Event run by the Osseo Fire Department.

#6f - Explain who should use a fire extinguisher and when these devices can be used.

Patrol supplies needed: none

Station 10 **Confined space/confidence trailer – scouts crawl thru confined space trailer for fun.**

Event run by the Elk River Fire Department.

Patrol supplies needed: none

Station 11 **DNR – Forest Service out to talk about wild land fires.**

Event run by the Forest Service

Fire Safety MB requirements –
#10a – Explain the cost of outdoor and wild land fires and how to prevent them.

Patrol supplies needed: none.

Station 12 **Spraying water at targets – fun event**
Ribbon event.

Event run by the Ramsey Fire Department.

Scouts will learn how fire departments pump water and spray water at targets.

Patrol supplies needed: none

Ribbon event.