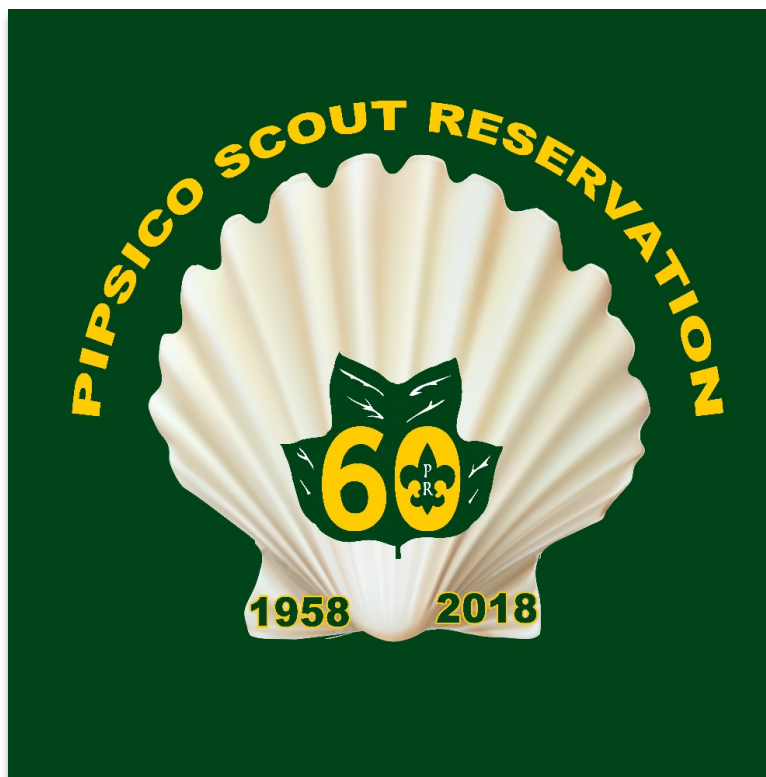


**TIDEWATER COUNCIL BSA
FALL 2018 CAMPORALL
LEADERS' GUIDE**



**NOVEMBER 2-4, 2018
PIPSICO SCOUT RESERVATION**

PIPSICO'S 60th YEAR CELEBRATION

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Tidewater Council welcomes you to the 2018 Fall Camporall!

This special weekend celebrates the 60th anniversary of Pipsico Scout Reservation. We thank you in advance for your assistance and support in making this a fun and memorable event.

LOCATION, DATE, TIME & FEES

Where: Pipsico Scout Reservation, 57 Pipsico Rd., Spring Grove, VA 23881

When: November 2-4, 2018 (Check-in begins Friday at 4:00 PM)

Early Bird Fees: Registered Youth Ages 5-20: \$16.00; Registered Adults: \$10.00;
Youth Ages 1-4: \$10.00; Day Visitors: \$10.00

After Sept. 22: \$22.00 per person regardless of age or unit registration status

Lunch Pre-orders: A pre-order for Saturday lunch of hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, drink, and a cookie will be available at the cost of \$5.00 per person. Lunch pre-orders must be made and purchased during online registration. Enter a total number of lunches under "Lunch Pre-Orders" in the Participant Type dropdown list.

THEME

The theme for this Camporall is "Scouting is Forever." Scouts can share or apply Scouting skills learned by youth over the past 60 years. To maximize their experience, Scouts are encouraged to use their teambuilding and planning skills in preparation for and during the Camporall.

Each unit is asked to choose a decade starting in the 1950's running through present day and create an activity as part of our program. Units will creatively teach a key Scouting skill implemented during the period it has chosen. Examples of teachable skills found on **page 9** of this leaders' guide.

REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN (SPACE IS LIMITED—REGISTER EARLY)

All registrations should be made via the council's online registration system at <http://tidewater.tentaroo.com>. Register your Troop, Pack, Crew, Post, or Ship **and visitors** by September 22, 2018 to avoid a late fee. **The fee for registrations received after September 22 will be \$22 per person.** No exceptions.

The online registration will require your unit number, number of youth, adults, and visitors attending, and a point of contact, including a phone number. NOTE: A separate fee for use of a credit card will not be charged for this event.

A completed roster form is required at check-in and is provided for your use at the end of this leader guide. When you complete registering online (that is, you "submit" your registration with payment), you will receive an invoice by email. Units that add the registration to their cart, but

do not pay, will not be considered registered and a campsite will not be assigned until final registration payment is submitted. Bring a copy of this invoice with you when you check in on Friday evening. If members of your unit plan to arrive at different times, please ensure that each vehicle has a copy of your roster form available at check-in.

Remember: the registration fee after September 22 will be \$22 for every person.

If you are unable to find a computer to register online or have another member of your unit to register online, please call Byron McPherson, Camporall Chair, at (757) 581-0691.

CAMPSITE ASSIGNMENTS

Campsite assignments will be made after registration closes. We will let you know your campsite assignment via email at the email address used when registering.

PARKING & UNLOADING

No vehicles are allowed at the campsite areas or event fields, except to unload your gear and return to the parking lot. Please make every effort to unload completely prior to setting up.

When your unit vehicle arrives, it will be given one (1) 30-minute pass to unload at its campsite area. If you have more than one vehicle to be unloaded, the next vehicle will get a pass when the first one returns.

Due to safety concerns and in accordance with camp policy, no vehicles will be allowed in the campsite overnight. Parking is only permitted in the designated parking areas. If the ground is too wet for vehicles, you may have to carry your unit's gear into camp. The camping and training areas are limited. Your safety is our first concern, so your cooperation is appreciated.

LEADERSHIP

All units will comply with current BSA Youth Protection policies. TWO-DEEP ADULT LEADERSHIP IS REQUIRED. All units should operate under the appropriate leadership method for their respective programs. That is, troops by Patrol Method, Packs by Den or Unit Leader method, and Venturing, Sea Scouting and Exploring by their respective youth leaders.

There must always be at least one (1) registered adult Scouter in each unit's campsite when youth are present. When youth are not present in the campsite, one adult must be present in the campsite. This is to facilitate contacting a unit member in case of an emergency and to provide the unit information concerning ongoing events.

VISITORS

All day visitors (not camping) must register at the same time as the unit registers online at a cost of \$10 per person. Visitors must leave camp by 9:30 PM each night.

GROUP GATHERINGS (Alumni and friends, etc.)

Affiliate groups such as a Gathering of Eagles, Wood Badge alumni, James E. West Fellows, Camp Staff alumni, etc., are invited to organize separate gatherings during the Camporall. Please contact Byron McPherson ASAP if you are arranging a gathering of alumni, so space can be set aside for your group. NOTE: Attendees must register with their unit or individually online and pay the appropriate fee to attend.

FIRST AID

Each unit is expected to follow appropriate first aid practices for their program. Each unit should have a first aid kit available for minor injuries. Emergency medical care will be available for more serious injuries at the Health Lodge at Camp Lions entrance. All units must bring a current copy of Parts A and B of the Annual Health and Medical Record including a copy of the insurance card, for each camper. All injuries must be reported to the Health Lodge immediately.

COOKING

All units are expected to cook all their own meals. Optionally, a pre-order for Saturday lunch of hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, drink, and a cookie will be available at the cost of \$5.00 per person. Lunch pre-orders must be made and purchased during online registration. Pre-purchased food tickets will be given to each unit at check-in.

LATRINES

Portable toilets will be available in the Kiwanis camping area. It is recommended that each unit bring toilet paper, *just in case*. Please be considerate of others and keep restrooms and portable toilets clean. Restrooms and portable toilets will be clearly designated as “Men” or “Women.” Handicapped facilities will also be available and clearly labelled.

TRASH DISPOSAL

Remember, “Carry In - Carry Out.” Each unit is required to provide their own trash bags and remove all refuse from their campsite by placing it in one of the dumpsters in Camp Lions or carried out of camp. Additionally, there will be a dumpster available as you depart the camping area. If the dumpster is full, you are required to pack your trash out. **DO NOT LEAVE TRASH OUTSIDE THE DUMPSTER.**

GATEWAY COMPETITION

As part of the competition events, units are encouraged to build a Gateway near the entrance of their assigned campsite. Be innovative, and resourceful. For troops, gateways should be built by Scouts. Packs should incorporate ideas from the Cub Scouts in the unit, but should be supervised and assisted by adult leaders. Venturing, Sea Scouting and Exploring units should have their gateways built by its youth leaders.

Each unit shall provide all materials for their gateways and all gateway materials should be removed and carried out of camp upon departure. Each program (Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, Venturing, Sea Scouting and Exploring) will have one gateway selected as “Best of the Camporall” for that program. Scoring will be based on three criteria: (1) theme-related, (2) ingenuity, and (3) use of natural materials. Judging will occur during Saturday afternoon’s competition. All decisions by the judges are final.

CAMPSITE INSPECTION

Inspections of unit campsites will be conducted during the morning activities. Inspections will follow the criteria established by the checklist. Inspection teams will complete a sheet for every unit. The Camporall Committee will average all sheets for a composite score.

For Boy Scout troops, the SPL must be present during the campsite during the inspection. For Cub Scout Packs, the Cubmaster or designated adult leader should be present. For Venturing, Sea Scouting and Exploring, a designated youth leader of the unit should be present. All decisions are final.

COOKING COMPETITION

Units are encouraged to take part in the Saturday evening Dessert Cook-Off in which each will enter a dessert to be judged by their peers within their respective programs. The Cook-Off will occur in the Camp Lions OA Shelter at 7:15 PM.

For Boy Scout troops, Venturing crews, Sea Scout ships, and Exploring posts, entries must be prepared at camp with limited leader assistance (as required to ensure safety). For Cub Scout Packs, the entries should involve youth as much as possible, but supervised by pack leaders. The dish should be presented with a list of ingredients and able to be tasted by a total of nine (9) people. All decisions are final. Want a chance to be a Foodie Judge for the Cook-Off? Submit a short essay on why you should be selected and have your leader hand it in at check-in. One youth from each Scout program will be selected from the entries received.

CAMPFIRE PROGRAM

Every unit is expected to attend the exciting program on Saturday night. Units wishing to participate in the campfire program should let their desire be known, as well as the type of campfire feature they’d like to present (skit, song, etc.) at check-in. Due to time constraints for the campfire program, only a few selected units will be able to participate. The Camporee Committee will notify the selected units Saturday morning. Attendees are required to wear their Class “A” field uniform during the campfire.

OTHER PROGRAM FEATURES AVAILABLE ON SATURDAY

In addition to the Gateway, Cooking, and Inspection competitions, archery, shooting sports and the climbing tower will be available to all Scouts on a first-come-first-served basis. Scouts who

wish to participate in shooting sports should bring \$5.00 for 10 shotgun clay shots, \$2.00 for 20, 22 shots and \$2.00 for 50 paint ball rounds. There will also be displays and giveaways by several local vendors including LL Bean, Great Outdoor Provision Co., Tidewater Appalachian Trail Club, The Adventure Park at Virginia Aquarium, and Kelty.

WORSHIP SERVICES

A Scouts' Own Service will be provided for all campers on Sunday morning. Class "A" field uniform is required for attendees. No unit may check out until worship services have ended and a final campsite inspection has been completed.

AWARDS

Top 3 awards and participation ribbons will be presented at the closing ceremony, one award for each program (Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, Venturing, Sea Scouting, and Exploring):

- a. Gateway Competition
- b. Site Inspections
- c. Cooking Competition

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Bring this leaders' guide to the Camporall.
2. Scouts, leaders, and visitors are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that will bring credit to their unit and the BSA.
3. All Scouts will operate under the leadership methods for their programs, as previously noted.
4. Unit leaders are always responsible for the behavior and well-being of their units.
5. All vehicles are to be parked in the designated parking area. Staff vehicles are to be parked in the staff parking area unless being used to conduct staff duties.
6. The following items are prohibited:
 - Televisions, Video Games, Fireworks, Firearms, Illegal Drugs, Alcoholic Beverages, and Radios. With prior approval by the staff, two-way radios may be used by unit leaders.
7. No Scout will enter the camping area of another unit without permission.
8. Scouts, leaders, and visitors are not to roam through the campsites during the day.
9. Scouts, leaders, and visitors must remain in their unit area between taps and reveille unless on authorized errands.
10. Scouts, leaders, and visitors are responsible for keeping Pipsico Scout Reservation clean.
11. Cutting of live trees by any Scout, adult, or visitor is not permitted.
12. Defacing, destroying or "trashing" the property of others, the BSA, or the facilities shall be grounds for immediate dismissal.
13. Rough housing and horseplay are forbidden. Anyone wrestling, fighting, playing "manhunt," etc., will immediately be dismissed from the camp.
14. No pets (other than registered service animals) are allowed at Pipsico Scout Reservation.

FALL 2018 CAMPORALL SCHEDULE

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2018

04:00 PM	11:00 PM	Check-in and campsite setup. (Class "A" Field Uniform Required) Campsite assignments will be provided at Check-in
09:30 PM	10:00 PM	Unit Leader and Senior Patrol Leader Cracker Barrel - Dining Hall
10:00 PM	10:30 PM	A Night of Local Legends (Ghost Stories) – Amphitheater at Dining Hall
10:30 PM	11:00 PM	Tattoo - Prepare for Lights Out
11:00 PM		Taps - Lights Out

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2018

07:00 AM		Reveille
07:00 AM	08:30 AM	Breakfast, campsite clean up
08:30 AM	08:45 AM	Assemble at Lions flag (Class "A" Field Uniform Required)
08:45 AM	09:00 AM	Colors and Opening Ceremony (announcements) Proceed to Morning Activities
09:00 AM	09:30 AM	Change to Class "B" Activity Uniform; finish cleaning campsite
09:30 AM	12:15 PM	Morning Activities
12:15 PM	01:15 PM	Lunch in Troop Campsite (quick lunch - plan ahead) Pre paid lunch in Front of dining hall
01:15 PM	04:15 PM	Afternoon Activities
07:15 PM	07:15 PM	Cooking Competition Judging – Lions OA Shelter
07:45 PM	08:00 PM	Assemble for Evening Campfire Program.
08:00 PM	10:00 PM	Evening Campfire Program (Class "A" Field Uniform Required)
10:30 PM	11:00 PM	Tattoo - Prepare for Lights Out
11:00 PM		Taps - Lights Out.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2018

07:00 AM		Reveille
07:00 AM	08:30 AM	Breakfast, campsite clean up
08:30 AM	08:45 AM	Assemble at flag (Class "A" Field Uniform Required)
08:45 AM	09:00 AM	Colors and Announcements
09:05 AM	09:35 AM	Scouts' Own Service and Awards Closing ceremony (Class "A" Field Uniform Required)
10:15 AM	12:00 PM	Break camp and site inspection
12:00 PM		Depart for home. Drive Safely

Activity Areas - Unit Sign-up Form

Please forward to Tim Roisen, budah1@cox.net (757) 373-1082

Activities should be interactive and deliver a fun program, and not necessarily advancement or achievement. This is a great opportunity to expose Scouts, families, and visitors to exciting ways of having fun or learning an interesting skill.

The Camporall committee has final approval of proposed activities and will limit duplication. Please make your selection early. Please secure committee approval **before** creating your unit activity.

Unit Type & #: _____ Can Host Activity Independently? Y or N

Contact Name: _____ Can Host a Shared Activity? Y or N

Contact Email: _____ Contact Phone: _____

Event Selection for Listed Activity (page 9)

Event Selection for Activity Not Listed

Choice 1: _____

Choice 1: _____

Choice 2: _____

Choice 2: _____

Choice 3: _____

Choice 3: _____

Approximate Space Req'd: _____ Ft. x _____ Ft.

See next page for some suggestions for activities and themes. Units in each program are not restricted to the list under their respective program and may choose any activity/skill/theme they would like to present.

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Activity Areas – Theme Suggestions

CUB SCOUTS

Archery
 Artificial Caving
 BB Shooting
 Art
 Badminton
 Chess
 Kickball
 Marbles
 Table Tennis
 Ultimate
 Volleyball
 Bicycle Safety
 Blanket Volleyball
 Catapults
 Crafts, Paper
 Cup Stacking, Timed
 Face Painting
 Flash Cards
 Hula Hoop Games
 Insect Identification
 Knots
 Ladder Golf
 Map Reading
 Native American Games
 Neckerchief/Slides, Crafts
 Obstacle Course
 Olympic Games
 Paper Airplanes/Origami
 Parachute Games
 Pinewood Derby (pre-made)
 Plant Identification
 Plaster Casts
 Plumbing
 Rain Gutter Regatta
 Rope Games

Slingshots
 Water Sponge Activities
 Wheelbarrow Races
 Woodworking

BOY SCOUTS

Animal ID
 Animal Science
 Aquatic Themed Land Games
 Archaeology
 Athletics
 Automotive Maintenance
 Aviation
 Backpacking Demos
 Blindfold Camp Set-up
 Compass-less Navigation
 Confidence Games
 Cooking
 Crime Prevention
 Disability Awareness
 Drug/Alcohol/Tobacco Education
 Electricity
 Emergency Preparedness
 Farm Mechanics/Machinery
 Fingerprinting
 Fire Safety
 First Aid
 Fly-Fishing
 Home Repairs
 Improvisation Skills
 Insect Identification
 Knots
 Leatherwork
 Map & Compass
 Memory Games
 Native American Lore

Physical Fitness
 Pioneering Camp Gadgets
 Pottery
 Reptiles & Amphibians
 Rockets
 Rope Bridges
 Signaling
 Space Exploration
 String Burning Relays
 Ultimate Frisbee
 Wilderness Survival
 Woodworking

VENTURING

Communications
 Cooking
 Cycling/Mountain Biking Relays
 Driving Derbies
 Emergency Preparedness
 Equestrian
 First Aid
 High Adventure
 Hunter Safety
 Land Navigation
 Leave No Trace
 Mountaineering
 Putt-Putt Golf
 What is Venturing?
 Wilderness Survival

SEA SCOUTS

Search & Rescue
 Water Survival
 Man Over Board Retrieval
 Heaving Line Throwing

UNIT ATTENDANCE ROSTER

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Unit Number: _____ Unit Type: Troop [] Pack [] Crew [] Ship [] Post []

Leader in Charge: _____ Leader in Charge Phone: _____

ADULTS ATTENDING

YOUTH ATTENDING

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All units must bring a current copy of Parts A and B of the Annual Health and Medical Record, including a copy of the insurance card, for each camper.

VISITORS ATTENDING

Name: _____	Name: _____
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SEE NEXT PAGE TO LIST ADDITIONAL YOUTH

OVERFLOW UNIT ATTENDANCE ROSTER

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Unit Number: _____ Unit Type: Troop [] Pack [] Crew [] Ship [] Post []
 Leader in Charge: _____ Leader in Charge Phone: _____

ADDITIONAL YOUTH ATTENDING

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