

# Geocaching for Treasure

## Rowan District Spring Camporee

### March 26 - 28, 2010

### Camp John J. Barnhardt

**Advance Registration** The advance registration form below must be received in the council office no later than Friday, March 19, 2010 with the appropriate fees included. Troops that do not submit advance registration may not participate by registering at the Camporee. The cost of the Camporee is \$10.00 per participant which includes the Camporee Patch and awards.

**Check In and Parking** The troop leader shall check-in upon arrival. All vehicles and vehicle towed trailers shall be parked in designated parking areas. Camping equipment must be carried to your campsite area. Please try to load all troop equipment in one vehicle or trailer to make unloading easier.

**Campsite** Troop leaders are to select a troop campsite for their patrols. Campsites will be inspected between 3:30 & 5:30 pm on Saturday afternoon and the following items will be graded:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Points</u>
<b>Early Registration</b>	10
<b>Campsite Area:</b> Selection and utilization of natural area for campsite	10
<b>Gateway or Entrance:</b> Each patrol will receive points for a SIMPLE troop gateway consisting of Troop Flag and American flags	10
<b>Tents and Shelters:</b> Arrangement and set-up will be considered	10
<b>Patrol Cooking Area:</b> All cooking will be done with camp stoves or at designated fire ring	10
<b>Camp Equipment Storage:</b> Safe areas for patrol/troop equipment	10
<b>First Aid:</b> One first aid kit per patrol will be checked for contents	10
<b>Bulletin Board:</b> A place to display patrol name, duty roster and schedule	10
<b>Fire Buckets:</b> Each patrol must have three fire buckets full of water	10
 Troops will be graded on Scout Spirit, working as a patrol, Class A uniforms and patrol flags	 20

**Recognition and Awards** Participation by patrols is encouraged and evaluation of participation and activities shall be made on a patrol basis. The evaluation will be made using a point system, described below, with awards being presented as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Blue Ribbon	<u>Ribbons will be awarded proportionately</u>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Red Ribbon	
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Yellow Ribbon	

**Troop Points:** Points will be awarded for the Rowan District Scout Cup.

**Water:** Potable water will be available. Be sure you have containers to carry water to your campsite.

**Uniform Inspection:** Class B uniform will be allowed for Saturday Field Activities. Day pack inspections will be completed following flag raising. See leader's page

**Campfire Program:** Entries for the Saturday evening campfire program will be presented in writing with a brief description of the skit, song or stunt during the Friday night SPL Meeting/ Cracker Barrel. Ten points will be awarded to the patrol for each entry.

**Check out:** Leave No Trace camping will be observed. When your unit is ready to leave your campsite area, notify Camporee personnel for a close out inspection. Remember the tradition that Scouts leave an area better than they found it.

*Additional information will be provided during the Friday Night SPL meeting outlining all activities.*

