

Date - 1st - 3rd July 2011 - Tawd Vale County Campsite

Cost per team - £40 (this includes camping fees for the patrol)

Registration - 19.00 -19:30 on the Friday. Presentation - 14:30 on the Sunday.

Each competing Patrol is to consist of 6 Scouts. All members must be of current Scout age at the date of the competition (10 to 14 and a half). Scout Patrols must have a PL, APL and four Scouts preferably from the same Troop.

Registration will be from 19:00 on the Friday Night, but the challenge will not begin until 07:00 on the Saturday Morning. Leaders will help advise Patrols on setting up their camping area on the Friday night.

Equipment should be as for a normal patrol camp of two nights. The equipment should include separate sleeping and store/cooking tents. There should be fire/cooker safety equipment. Each team is to have a first aid kit. All equipment is to be stored away at night. Prepared gadgets will not be allowed.

As there will be a Leader Team present at all times, Event Passports will not be required. The menu, programme, equipment list and "In Touch"(home contact) details are to be produced by the Patrol at registration. One copy of each is to be given to the judges on registration. The Patrol must also have their own copy.

All meals will be considered part of the competition. Cooking need not be done on wood, but it would be preferred. Something hot is expected at Breakfast and Evening meals. All meals must be prepared and cooked on site. The Saturday Evening Meal will be judged as a 3 course meal with extra consideration to presentation. 2 out of the 3 courses should be cooked and hot, and can be cooked on gas or wood.

There will be an opportunity for the Patrols to take part in Skills training during Saturday day and the Leader Team will advise each Patrol of their time slots at Registration. Activities shall be included in the Patrol's programme for the Saturday and Sunday morning. These activities are to include constructive/service/active/fun activities . There will a joint wide game and Campfire run by the judges on the Saturday evening. Patrols are to provide a Song/sketch for the Campfire. There will be a Scouts own on the Sunday Morning and Patrols will be asked to recite a home made prayer.

Marks will be given for Leadership, Teamwork, Team spirit throughout the competition.

Leaders/Helpers are invited to camp and participate/Judge for the weekend.

There is no limit to the amount of Patrols a District can enter

ENTRY FORM TO BE COMPLETED BY ADC

I wish to enterPatrols into the Competition

DISTRICT.....

All APPLICATIONS FORMS to be returned via email by: 24th June 2011

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