

**ODAWA AREA TROOP "SUB-ZERO" WINTER CAMP
APPLE HILL SCOUT RESERVE
21-22 January 2017**

Introduction

This camp focuses on Odawa Troops practicing basic winter camping skills and participating in the Odawa "Sub Zero Club", if we are lucky enough to get conditions that allow us to meet the requirements.

For those Troops and Members that have never attended this camp, or need a refresher, here is a bit of a description of the area. The camp is located in a wooded area with several large clearings which should give an adequate amount of snow for building quinzhees. Troops are also required to carry or sled in all of their gear from the parking lot to their camping area.

First Aid

Every group is responsible for their own first aid. However if it is a serious first aid issue, please report it to HQ (Wade Lodge). 1st Greenwood Scouters will be keeping the cabin warm over the weekend. A Scouts Canada Physical Fitness Form or equivalent must be completed for all participants, including adults, and brought to HQ upon arrival (preferably, all forms in one sealed envelope). These will be handed back at check-out.

Camp Opening / Closing / Friendship Campfire / Scouts Own

These events will be common to all. You are welcome to come prepared with a song, a skit or a cheer for the Campfire, which will be informal.

Other Matters

- Each Troop attending must come completely self-sufficient, including water and your own food. Groups are welcome to store their water in the cabin to keep it from freezing.

- Remember to be prepared for changing weather conditions as all activities will be held outdoors.

Drop off & parking

- The 2nd gate will be down so no cars can pass towards the cabin. The youth will have to walk in and out their gear. Scouters will be allowed access to drive in their troop gear and then will be asked to park back on the other side of the gate. Parking near the entrance to the big field will depend on how that parking lot is plowed. If plowed such that we can park vehicles there, then Scouters will be allowed to park – if not, we will park behind the gate towards the road.
- All vehicles will remain in designated parking areas, and will not leave plowed paths or clearings.
- Cellular phone service for emergencies only, will be available.
- It is the responsibility of each Troop attending to have completed the necessary Group paperwork that is required to attend the Camp.
- All Scouters are responsible for all Youth present and all Youth are responsible to all Scouters.
Please ensure that your Scouters and Youth are aware of this.
- There are several **KYBOs** located all around Apple Hill's camping sites.
- ****Firewood.... TBC

Support Staff

Camp Coordinators: Scouter Katie Kerrivan - kekerrivan@gmail.com
Scouter Charlene Martens - scoutercharlene@gmail.com

Registration

The registration form included in this package, once completed, should be e-mailed to Scouter Katie at kekerrivan@gmail.com before January 18, 2017. This will give us an idea of the number of participants to expect. Please use the subject line "Sub Zero Registration - [Group Name]" so that nothing gets lost in my inbox.

The Contact Scouter from each Troop is to report to Scouter Katie at the cabin upon arrival with a copy of the Troop's final registration numbers. Any unpaid Camp fees will be collected by Scouter Katie at the camp on Saturday. Payment can be made by cash or cheque. Cheques are to be made payable to **SCOUTS CANADA, ODAWA AREA**.

*****Camp crests will be handed out at a subsequent Scouters Club or Odawa Area meeting.*****

Registration fees

Cost is \$15 per person (Scout, Scouter, venturer)

CAMP ACTIVITY SCHEDULE – TIMES ARE A GUIDELINE AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE Saturday 21 January, 2017

09:00-11:30	Arrival of Troops, Set-up & Registration
11:30-11:45	Camp Opening Ceremony at flag pole
12:00-19:00	Set up, lunch and supper
19:00-20:00	Camp fire and mug up
20:00-22:00	Free time
22:00	Lights out

Sunday 22 January, 2017

07:00-09:00	Breakfast & cleanup
09:00-09:30	Scouts Own and closing
09:30-10:00	Break Camp and bug out

Apple Hill Emergency Plan

<http://www.odawa-scouting.ca/forms/AHSRRULES.pdf>

Apple Hill
Emergency Plan

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23-24 January 2016**

REGISTRATION FORM

TROOP: _____

CONTACT: _____

EMAIL: _____

COST: \$15.00\person includes Apple Hill fees, badge and supplies for camp

Number of participants: _____

TOTAL PAYMENT \$ _____

Please make cheque payable to Odawa Area – Scouts Canada

SUB ZERO CLUB

Purpose:

To offer Scout aged Youth the learning experience of building and sleeping in a winter shelter, with the view to enhancing their survival skills.

Entry Requirements:

1. The Scout or Scouter must sleep one night, preferably with a buddy, in a temporary shelter that makes use of snow.
2. The shelter is to be made using snow such as a quinzhee, snow trench, snow bank dugout, tree base dugout, lean-to, A-frame, tee-pee or similar structure. This does not include commercially made tents
3. The shelter is to be constructed primarily by the Scout(s) or with members of their patrol or troop.
4. Weather conditions must be below 0 °C (-32 °F).
5. This must be part of a properly authorized and documented Scouting activity for Scouts or Scouters from the Odawa Area.
6. The successful candidate will receive an Odawa Sub Zero Club woggle as recognition of their experience.

Only new candidates will receive a woggle. Those who have received their woggles already can continue participating for fun and new experiences.