



Webelos Klondike Trek 2015–Station Guide

January 31, 2015

10:00 AM through 1:30 PM

Watchung Reservation, Mountainside, NJ
The Loop Area (Playground)

Registration Information Coming Soon
Questions? Email wm.klondike.trek@gmail.com

Preparedness Station

1. The purpose of this station is to check that all required materials have been brought by individual Scouts, and by the patrols. The required materials list will be sent prior to the Klondike Trek.
2. Each patrol needs to perform a Patrol Yell
3. At this, and every other station, points are awarded for Scouts showing maximum Scout Spirit

Webelos Klondike Trek Distress Station

1. In unison, patrol repeatedly signals SOS using semaphore arm positions until OK'ed by host.
2. In unison, patrol repeatedly shouts out SOS in Morse code (dit dit dit, dah dah dah, dit dit dit)

Webelos Klondike Trek Fire Building Station

1. Build a fire lay using provided tender, kindling and fuel. Recommended fire lays are teepee or log cabin.
2. Light the fire lay. Patrols may use either matches or a lighter.
3. Allow the fire to burn a bit while each patrol member toasts a marshmallow.
4. Fully extinguish the fire with water, drain water off to the side, and dump the wet ashes/cinders into a metal ash can.

Webelos Klondike Trek First Aid Station

1. Each Scout uses their neckerchief to bind a handkerchief or other form of compress, to the forearm (over jacket) of another Scout.
2. Patrol will assemble a stretcher using their blanket and 2 provided poles. Patrol will transport a "victim" (patrol member) from point A to point B on the stretcher.
3. Scouts will tell the station host 3 signs of hypothermia and 3 things to do to treat it.

Webelos Klondike Trek Knot Tying Station

1. Patrol makes a "chain" of rope loops from short lengths they brought. Each loop is closed with a square knot. One loop per patrol member. Then, untie the rope loops.
2. Patrol makes a "long" rope from the above short ropes, using sheet bends to connect the pieces. One length per patrol member. Then, untie the long rope.
3. Coil and wrap each length, in preparation to be put away.

Webelos Klondike Trek Orienteering Station

1. Station host will give each patrol a bearing. Patrol sets the bearing on compass and follows the bearing for 100 steps.
2. Rotate bearing ring 180 degrees and follow bearing for 100 steps.
3. Provide the bearing of a distant landmark pointed out by the station host

Webelos Klondike Trek Outdoorsman Station

1. Patrol assembles a basic shelter from a 6' x 8' tarp or blanket.
2. A center line using 15' length of rope is fixed between 2 "trees" using 2 half hitches knot at each end. Pull rope taut. Drape tarp or blanket over rope, using 8' dimension, so 4' hangs on either side of rope.
3. Each corner is fixed to a "stake" using a 2 half hitches knot. For corner attachment, use either the grommet of the tarp, or a small rock tucked into the corner of the blanket. Use 2 half hitches knot at both ends of each corner rope.