

Webelos & Arrow of Light (AOL) at the Challenge Trophy Camporee

www.challengetrophycamporee.org

Why attend? **FUN and YOUTH RETENTION**

1) Youth retention into the Scouting Program.

Approx. 25% the Webelos & AOL currently registered do not move on to Troops. Attending the Challenge Trophy Camporee will give these youth an opportunity to see what the Scouting Program offers at the next level.

2) Great experience

Webelos & AOL that attendee the CTC in the past provided some great feedback. One adult Leader reported he had 2 youth that were not planning to move on to a Troop, but after attending the CTC, they became very excited to join a Troop the next year.

The energy and excitement at the CTC is something to experience. We had 1,800 people attend last year's CTC, including Troops from Canada who drive for hours to attend the CTC.

3) Fun!

We are offering over 700 Events. Most are age appropriate for Webelos & AOL so they will never be able to do all of the events we offer. This leaves the youth eager to return the next year.

4) Patches!

The CTC Patches are a great collector's item. See the patch webpage.

Attending options –

Weekend - Webelos & AOL may attend with a Troop and experience the CTC for an entire weekend of scouting Program. This has been very successful in the past. Webelos & AOL that stay for the weekend not only get to experience learning how a Troop runs a campsite, but they get to do the Day Events and the Saturday Evening Program as well.

Day Pass - A Saturday Day Pass is an option to consider if you are unable to attend for the weekend. Basically you arrive at the CTC, register, and then do event. Lunch is provided for Day Pass. After lunch do more events, then at 4:30'ish head home. For more information on Day Pass, download the Day Pass Schedule from the CTC Website.

Payment – All of the Payment forms are on the CTC Website. The fees are very reasonable!

Pre-register –

Weekend - Let us know if you wish to attend with a Troop. We publish a list for Troops that are pre-registered to attend the CTC and Troop from all 7 SWC Districts, 7 BSA Councils, and Troops from Canada attend the CTC. If you would like a copy of this list, email scouterdoug@hotmail.com

Day Pass – Fill out the pre-registration Form from the CTC Website and send it to the SWC Office, or email scouterdoug@hotmail.com We need to know how many people are coming to ensure we have sufficient food for all Day Pass attendees.... So please pre-registered.

Questions or comments.

Please email me at your convenience. Doug Reynolds - Volunteer scouterdoug@hotmail.com