

2009 RENDEZVOUS

July 16 - 18, 2009

EXPLORERS TERRITORY

FRONTIERSMEN CAMPING FELLOWSHIP



Camp Wilderness, Waupaca, Wisconsin

RENDEZVOUS SCHEDULE

REGISTER AS YOU ARRIVE; CHECK IN EVEN IF YOU HAVE PREREGISTERED.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 2009 - SETUP DAY AND WILDERNESS VIGIL BEGINS AT

1:00PM FOR INVITED CANDIDATES

THURSDAY, JULY 16, 2009

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| 8:30 A.M. | - OPENING DEVOTION |
| A.M. | - PRACTICE, MEET FRIENDS |
| 1:00-5:00 P.M. | - COMPETITIVE EVENTS |
| 1:00-4:00 P.M. | - VISITING HOURS |
| 8:30 P.M. | - MUSIC |
| 9:00 P.M. | - SERVICE, GUEST SPEAKER, SONNY GREEN |
| 10:00 P.M. | - FOO FARAW |

FRIDAY, JULY 17, 2009

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| 7:00 A.M. | - SUNRISE DEVOTION (TIME WILL BE ADJUSTED TO SUNRISE) |
| 9:30-11:30 A.M. | - COMPETITIVE EVENTS |
| 1:00-5:00 P.M. | - COMPETITIVE EVENTS |
| 1:00-4:00 P.M. | - VISITING HOURS |
| 5:30 P.M. | - POT LUCK – COOKING CONTEST |
| 6:30 P.M. | - MISSION AUCTION & FELLOWSHIP |
| 8:30 P.M. | - MUSIC |
| 9:00 P.M. | - SERVICE, GUEST SPEAKER, SONNY GREEN |
| 10:00 P.M. | - FOO FARAW |

SATURDAY, JULY 18, 2009

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| 7:00 A.M. | - SUNRISE DEVOTION |
| 8:30 A.M.. | - SCOUT ELECTIONS |
| 9:00 A.M.. | - SENECA RUN, YOUNG BUCK EVENT |
| A.M. - P.M. | - FELLOWSHIP AND TRADING |
| 1:00-3:00 | - VISITING HOURS |
| 4:00 P.M. | - AWARDS AND ELECTION RESULTS |
| 8:30 P.M.. | - MUSIC |
| 9:00 P.M.. | - FAREWELL SERVICE |
| 10:00 P.M. | - FOO FARAW |

SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2009

HAPPY TRAILS!!

NOTE: THIS IS THE SCHEDULE. WE WILL TRY TO STICK TO IT AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.
EVENTS AND TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE – CHANGES WILL BE POSTED
THERE WILL BE OPPORTUNITY FOR SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS TO FRIENDS EACH EVENING

Explorer Territory 2009 Rendezvous

Read this page carefully for important stuff

Camp setup is allowed on Wednesday only except by special permission of the FCF Territorial Rep. Wednesday setup will allow Thursday to be a full day of Rendezvous. We want to emphasize primitive frontier camping. No visible plastics/modern stuff. Hide your coolers and things or cover them with hides or blankets.

IMPORTANT NOTE ON THIS SITE FOR THIS RENDEZVOUS

There is a Wilderness Vigil being conducted Wednesday afternoon and overnight. Please be thoughtful of those undergoing this experience and honor their needs by avoiding the area designated for the vigil.

Selling and Trading - Those interested in setting up a tent or selling from a blanket in a central location are welcome to do so. Or you can sell/trade from your campsite. This will all be done informally. Everyone will be asked to donate an item for the missions auction as they are led. Remember, there are likely many new members with an interest in basic FCF paraphernalia. Young bucks just getting started come expecting. Old timers like quality things, too.

SCOUT SELECTIONS - National and Territorial scouts will be selected. Each Chapter is responsible to submit the applications for their Chapter's Scout and Assistant Scout by July 1. Use the Scout Nominating Form in the current Officer's Notebook. Include a picture. Selection will use the new vote and skills process.

PRIZES – THERE WILL BE DRAWINGS FOR TWO BIG PRIZES. One for a Young Buck and one for an Old Timer. They will be very respectable prizes. The young buck prize is a rifle -Young bucks who wish to enter must bring an authorization signed by a parent or guardian and a commander from his outpost or chapter FCF officer authorizing him to accept the prize.

COMPETITIVE EVENTS AND CHAPTER RESPONSIBILITIES:

<u>EVENTS</u>	<u>CHAPTER</u>
Hawk	Iowa
Knife	S. Dakota & N. Dakota
Black Powder	Wisc./N.MI (host range)
Flint/Steel	Minnesota
Seneca run	Wisc/N.MI & Minnesota & Sage III
Young Buck special event	N. Missouri
Horseshoes	Nebraska
Costume	Committee (Chapter presidents)
Archery	Wisc/N.MI

Chapters should arrange to have judges at event sites on **Thursday afternoon and Friday morning and afternoon.** The **Seneca run and Young Buck Event** will be on Saturday (Suppose Sage will be there again?). Chapters should plan their event and make it exciting and authentic. Prizes will be medallions. Horseshoes will be young buck/old timer teams. Some events may have some new variations but will involve the basic frontier skills.

IMPORTANT! In addition to the Individual Medical Form, Young Bucks (under 18) must have a signed Knife and Black Powder Permission Form in order to participate in these events

Other Events - There will be other contests, planned and spontaneous. Chapters can sponsor **special events or make challenges**. Just clear it through the Territorial Rep. on site. There'll be plenty of chances to show off shooting skills. Bring plenty of lead and powder.

Blackpowder – Shooter's cards are required for all shooting. Only flintlocks or percussion muzzle loading single shot long guns with open sights allowed. No handguns or modern guns should be brought to camp. There will be a pole shoot for chapter teams (cut 'er down man).

Archery – Use long bows, self bows, recurves, anything but compounds. Use wooden arrows with field points. Finger release only; no sights. Primitive bows will be graded higher. You may be able to borrow one.

Marbles - Everyone will be issued marbles to compete in authentic pioneer marble games (instructions provided or make up your own).

Best Primitive lodge/campsite – Show your stuff, win the prize. We're looking for authenticity. This will be a lodge by lodge evaluation. Period correct is what it takes.

Cookin' contest – We'll all eat together Friday evening but there will be a table for the real competitive cooks where the taster judges will partake before everyone else. Cook up what yer proud of!

MISSION AUCTION - Everyone is encouraged to **bring items** for the FCF mission fundraiser auction. We'll have a special project identified for this benefit.

Music - Chapters with musicians (singers or instrumental) please **Bring your musical instruments**. Musicians will lead the worship each evening.

Blacksmithing – Plans are to have a supervised forge area to give young bucks and old timers a chance to see and do some iron work. Any smithys who want to bring a portable forge and blacksmith coal, you are welcome to demonstrate your trade and teach a young buck.

Firewood/Water - Available courtesy of the Wisconsin Royal Rangers at designated sites. **Some cutting may be necessary. Camp stoves may be a useful contingency. If it is dry, open fire bans are possible. Good water on site. We hope to have ice available for purchase to avoid trips to town.**

Commemorative coffee mugs and T-shirts will be available. Order yours on the registration form.

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SPECIAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE RENDEZVOUS SITE

We want everyone to be safe and come prepared. The Rendezvous site is Camp Wilderness, the Royal Ranger Campgrounds of Wisconsin/Northern Michigan District. This is a developed camp. We will be camping primitive style, but showers and restrooms will be available.

The site is in central Wisconsin, not more than a day's drive for anyone in our territory.

**The address of the site is: N1385 County Hwy E., Waupaca, WI 54981
Use the attached map if you are unfamiliar with the area. It is accessible by car, horse or canoe (takes a little longer), so plan your route.**

**Get directions from your city to the camp by going to this website:
www.wnmdrangers.org/296029.ihtml**

Family and friends can make their own arrangements to camp off site. Only FCF members are allowed to camp on site. Visitation to the rendezvous area will be only during visiting hours. FCF members should plan on staying in the FCF rendezvous area except for special circumstances. Assemblies, except for awards are only for members.

Camp Wilderness is adjacent to Spencer Lake Christian Center, Wisconsin/N. MI District campgrounds. They do have RV campsites which may be available. Contact the camp directly at: www.spencer-lake.org/

EMERGENCY INFORMATION:

Cell phone access is fairly good. Medical services/hospital is available in Waupaca, approximately six miles north of the camp. A camp phone number for emergencies will be monitored by the host chapter. Messages may be left at this number. Make sure you leave this number with someone at home: (715) 258-8420

Individual Medical Form

HEALTH HISTORY AND MEDICAL PERMISSION FORM
One Form Per Person (Must have a copy of this on every boy when you register at event/camp)

PLEASE PRINT

NOTIFY IN AN EMERGENCY:

Name _____ Name _____

Address _____ Address _____

City _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____ Emergency Phone () _____

Date of Birth _____ Relationship _____

Ranger Outpost # _____

Church Name _____ City _____

PLEASE Provide additional information
about any items (checked Yes) to Right

Have You Ever Been Treated For Any Of
Following? (If Yes Check)

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures | <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High Blood
pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Bronchitis |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes |

Please Identify Any Physical
Impairments or Limitations:

Date of Last Tetanus Booster ___/___/___ _____

Do You Wear: (If Yes, Check)

- Contacts Glasses
 Dental appliance

Please List Any Medications Being taken

IN THE EVENT HOSPITALIZATION IS NEEDED, PLEASE FILL IN

Name of Insured: _____

(Policy holder)

MEDICAL/HOSPITAL INSURANCE

COMPANY: _____

POLICY OR CERTIFICATE

NUMBER: _____

EMPLOYER: _____ EMPLOYER'S GROUP _____

NUMBER: _____

In Case of an Emergency, I Hereby Give Permission to the Physician to Render Treatment. Should The Physician Deem it Necessary, I Authorize Hospitalization, Anesthesia, Surgery or Injection of Medication.

Signature (Parent, if Minor)

Date

Name of Person to Contact (Commander or Adult) on Premises for Information:

ROYAL RANGERS
MAP TO CAMP WILDERNESS
N1385 County Hwy E Waupaca, WI

(715) 258-8420 Phone



