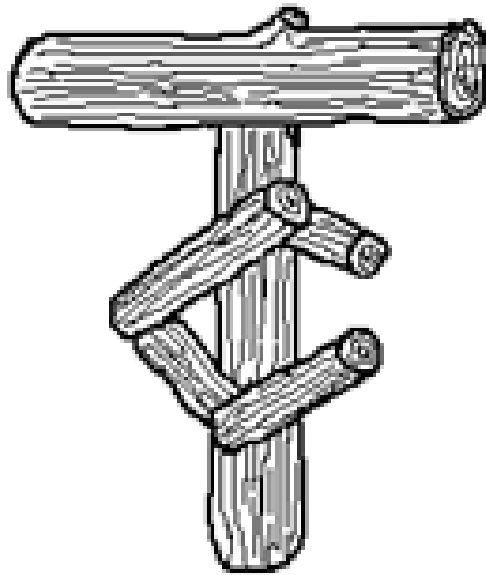


Camp Tri-Mount



Year-Round Camping

Cabin Rentals and Campsite Rentals

Rules & General Procedures

Rip Van Winkle Council, Boy Scouts of America

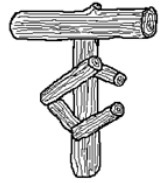
Tri-Mount Scout Reservation

Rip Van Winkle Council Boy Scouts of America

1300 Ulster Ave., Ste. 107, Kingston, NY 12401

Phone 845-339-0846

Fax 845-339-1168



August 2022

Dear Unit Leaders,

On behalf of the Rip Van Winkle Council, I would like to thank you for choosing Camp Tri-Mount for your short-term camping stay. We are confident that you will be happy with your experience at our excellent facility.

The Rip Van Winkle Council is charged with the vital mission of providing year-round camping facilities for its members and other Scouting units. The Council Camping Committee has developed this manual to describe the use of our camp, including rules and general procedures. The Committee regularly reviews these policies and procedures and will inform Scouters of any significant changes in the future.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding camp, please feel free to contact us at 845-339-0846. We are looking forward to having your unit spend time at our camp.

See you at camp!

Yours in Scouting,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mike Decker'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being more prominent.

Mike Decker
Council Camping Chairman

**Camp Tri-Mount
Year-Round Camping Rules and Procedures**

The Scout Oath & Law are the law of this camp.

Please make sure we know you are coming. Use of Camp Tri-Mount is by reservation only, with permit issued through the Council Service Center. An application to camp can be found at the back of this packet.

There is no unit camping during big game hunting season (mid-November to mid-December).

Arrival: Friday between 5:00 PM and 10:00 PM. If you are unable to make this time, please call ahead.

Parking: Park all vehicles in designated parking lots. This is a "walk-in" camp. Vehicles are not permitted in camping areas.

Check in: Camping units and visitors must check in with the Camp Master Corp prior to entering camping areas. All units must present their Camping Permit, Attendance Roster, and Weekend Itinerary at check in.

Out of Council units are also required to have their Proof of Medical/Accident Insurance to show the Camp Master Corp. **Effective September 1, 2013, a \$100.00 CASH ONLY deposit will be required upon arrival.** At the end of your stay at camp, the Camp Master Corp is required to inspect your site (all facilities you rented) to assure your unit has left the site clean and with no damage for the next unit coming. Schedule your departure time with the Camp Master Corp upon arrival. Upon a favorable completion of this inspection, the Camp Master Corp will return the \$100.00 cash deposit to the unit leader. If the inspection is not favorable, and the unit is unable to correct the problem to make it favorable, the deposit is forfeited to be used to cover the cost of repairs / cleaning of the facilities (additional fees may be required if damage warrants). Units leaving camp without having an inspection forfeit this deposit.

Leadership: A minimum of two, registered adults (21 years of age or over) must always supervise the Pack or Troop. Units must provide male / female leadership when girls and boys are in attendance. Use the buddy system to keep track of your Scouts.

Emergencies: Notify the Camp Master Corp immediately in the event of "possible" serious accident, injury, missing persons, or natural disaster. Do not leave your Scouts without telling the Camp Master Corp.

Fires: Wood and charcoal fires are permitted subject to state forest fire emergencies. Campfires are permitted in fire rings only. No open fires within 20 feet of buildings, and no unguarded fires. Firewood is available from trees lying on the ground. You may use the wood from the courtesy woodpiles but must replace it with new before leaving camp. The cutting down of any standing tree (dead or alive) is forbidden.

Fuels: An adult knowledgeable about chemical fuels and equipment should always supervise youth involved in the storage, handling, and use of chemical fuels and equipment.

Chemical Fuels: Liquid, gaseous, or gelled fuels

**Camp Tri-Mount
Year-Round Camping Rules and Procedures (Continued)**

Approved Chemical-Fueled Equipment: Commercially manufactured equipment, including stoves, grills, burners, heaters, and lanterns that are designed to be used with chemical fuels.

Prohibited Chemical-Fueled Equipment: All equipment which is handcrafted, homemade, modified, or installed beyond the manufacturer's stated design limitations or use. Examples include alcohol-burning "can" stoves, smudge pots, improperly installed heaters, and propane burners with their regulators removed.

Recommended Chemical Fuels: White gas (Coleman fuel); kerosene; liquefied petroleum gas fuels, including propane, butane, and isobutene; vegetable oil fuels; biodiesel fuel; and commercially prepared gelled-alcohol fuel in original containers.

Chemical Fuels not permitted: Unleaded gasoline; liquid alcohol fuels, including isopropyl alcohol, denatured ethyl alcohol, and ethanol; and other flammable chemicals that are not in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions for chemical-fueled equipment.

Water: Potable water is available all year long at the pump house located near the lake and at the new shower house located above the Dining Hall. Carry water to your camp. Dishes must be washed in your camp site. Do not wash at the pump house or shower house.

Danger Areas: The climbing tower and COPE course are "Off limits to all Scouts without Camp Staff supervision." Any campers found in these restricted areas without a staff member will be sent home immediately.

During winter months when the lake is frozen, no units will be permitted on the lake until permission is given by the Camp Master Corp.

Activities: All unit activities must be conducted in a Scout-like manner. Three or more persons must be together on all winter camping activities. A night hike plan must be filed with the Camp Master Corp at least two (2) hours before scheduled hike.

Garbage: It is the camper's responsibility to collect all garbage and police the camp area and surrounding area. Leave your camp area cleaner than you found it. Garbage IS TO BE taken away with you. There is a \$5.00 per bag fee for camp to dispose of garbage.

Cabins: Leave all cabins clean and neat. Hot plates, electric heaters, and electric appliances are strictly prohibited. Building electricity supplies are minimal. All cooking must be done on the stoves provided or outside. Metal bunks with mattresses are provided.

Site Latrines: Available for year-round use. The campers are responsible for cleaning the latrines before leaving camp. Do not drop objects into latrines. Doors to latrines are to be kept shut.

Prohibitions: The following are not permitted at Tri-Mount Scout Reservation:

Alcoholic Beverages
Personal Firearms

Sheath Knives
Personal Archery Equipment

Illegal Drugs
Fireworks

**Camp Tri-Mount
Year-Round Camping Rules and Procedures (Continued)**

- Animals:** Some of the animals you can expect to see in camp include bears, deer, raccoons, skunks, porcupines, and mice. You may also see some squirrels during the day. Please tell your unit that these animals are wild, can bite, and should not be fed, handled, or harassed. In recent years, the camp has been visited by a family of bears. If left alone, they are harmless. You should encourage your Scouts to stay away from the bears, only to observe them from a distance. Please do not throw anything at, or otherwise provoke, the bears or other animals.
- Check Out:** Camping units must check out with the Camp Master Corp after the camping area has been cleared. Schedule your unit's departure time upon arrival. Notify the Camp Master Corp 10-15 minutes prior to departure for building and/or site inspection. If you leave without checking with the Camp Master Corp, we must assume your unit did any damage we find, your \$100 cash deposit will be forfeit and any additional costs will be billed to your unit. At check out, you may reserve the same facilities for the equivalent dates the following year. A 100% deposit and completed application will be required to make that reservation. This deposit can be paid in cash, by check (made out to RVW-BSA), or by charging a major credit card. The Camp Master Corp will issue you a receipt for this payment; a permit will be forwarded to you from the Council Service Center in Kingston when the reservation is entered in the reservation book. If you chose not to take advantage of this pre-registration, the facilities will go back on a "first come, first served" bases for other units to rent.

Thank you for choosing Camp Tri-Mount for your unit outing!

Camp Tri-Mount
Year-Round Camp Attendance Roster

Unit _____ Council _____

Cabin/Campsite _____ Date _____

Primary Adult Leader #1: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Position: _____

Primary Adult Leader #2: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Position: _____

Patrol _____

(1) _____

(2) _____

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Signed _____

(Adult in Charge)

Total Adults _____

Total Scouts _____

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**Camp Tri-Mount
Weekend Itinerary
Pack/Troop/Crew/Ship/Post _____**

Please include activity and those involved
i.e., Hike to Little Niagara the Raven Patrol with John Doe and Jim Smith.

FRIDAY

500PM _____
600PM _____
700PM _____
800PM _____
900PM _____
1000PM _____
1100PM _____

SATURDAY

700AM _____
800AM _____
900AM _____
100AM _____
1100AM _____
12:00PM _____
100PM _____
200PM _____
300PM _____
400PM _____
500PM _____
600PM _____
700PM _____

**Camp Tri-Mount
Weekend Itinerary
Pack/Troop/Crew/Ship/Post _____**

SATURDAY - continued

800PM _____

900PM _____

100PM _____

SUNDAY

700AM _____

800AM _____

900AM _____

100AM _____

1100AM _____

1200PM _____

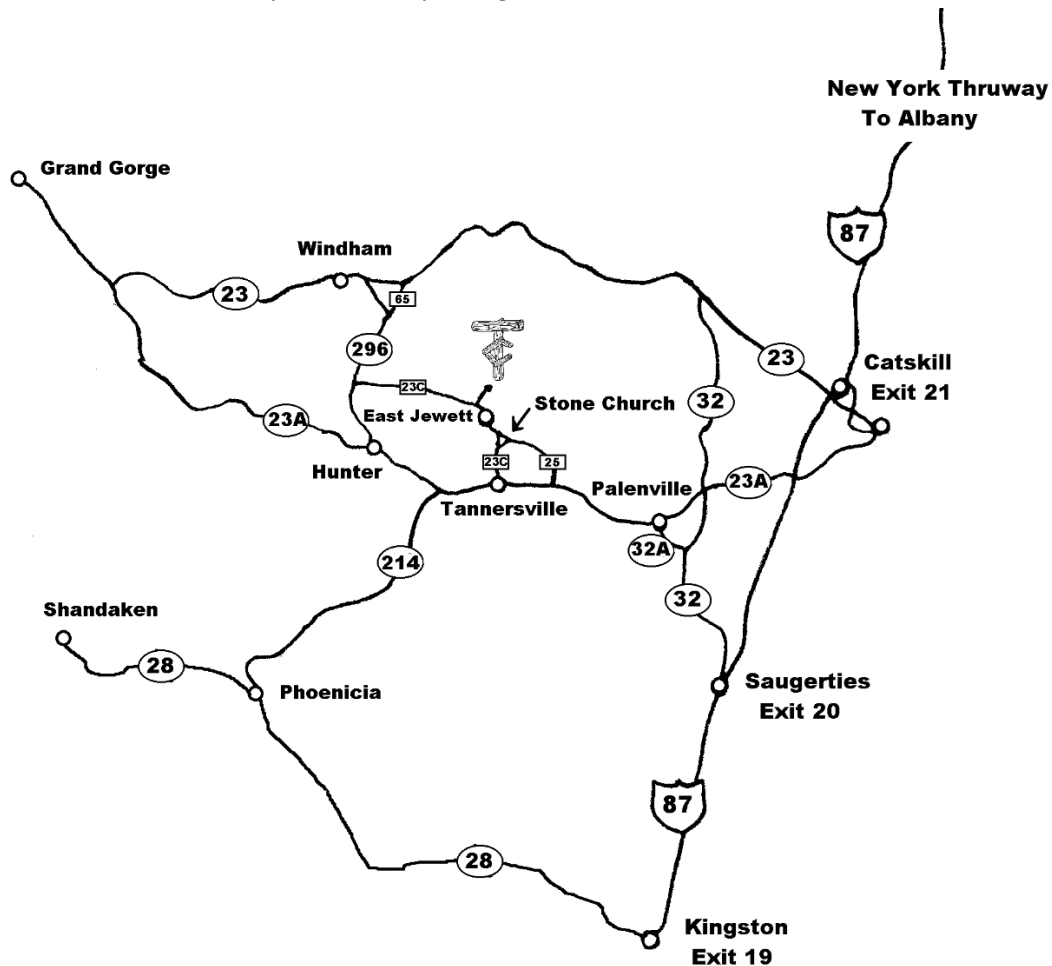
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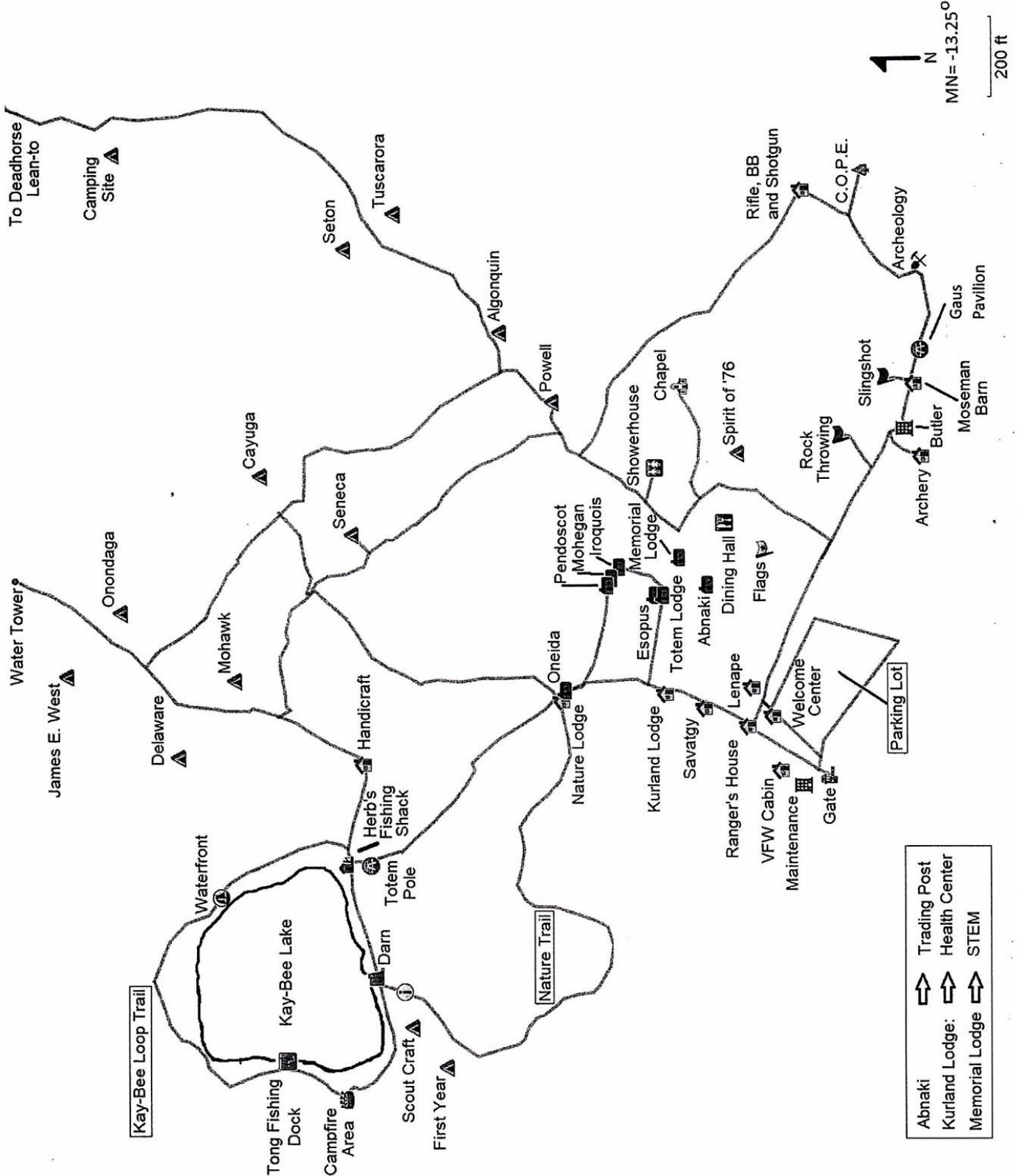
Camp Tri-Mount
 261 Boy Scout Road
 East Jewett, NY 12424



Rip Van Winkle Council
 Boy Scouts of America
 1300 Ulster Ave., Ste. 107
 Kingston, NY 12401
 845-339-0846







Directions to Camp Tri-Mount

- Take the New York State Thruway to Exit 20 at Saugerties
 - South bound turn right onto Route 32 north
 - North bound turn left onto Route 212 and then immediate right onto Route 32 north
- Follow Route 32 north until intersection with Route 32A
- Bear left onto Route 32A and follow until the Palenville traffic light
- Bear left onto Route 23A and follow until the Tannersville traffic light
- Turn right at the Tannersville light onto Route 23C, follow for four miles
- Continue to the right beyond the old stone church at Onteora Park and go down the hill into East Jewett
- Boy Scout Road is the second right after the bridge in East Jewett
- Follow Boy Scout Road to the Camp Tri-Mount parking lot





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 MN = -13.25°
 200 ft

-  Abnaki
-  Kurland Lodge
-  Memorial Lodge
-  Trading Post
-  Health Center
-  STEM

**Camp Tri-Mount Application for Units 2022
Cabin Rentals**

All camp reservations must be made AT LEAST TWO WEEKS IN ADVANCE of the unit's arrival at camp. A 100% DEPOSIT MUST accompany this application, with balance due no later than arrival at camp.

ARRIVAL TIME: _____ DATE: _____ DEPARTURE TIME: _____ DATE: _____

NUMBER OF: YOUTH: _____ LEADERS: _____ TOTAL: _____

_____	KURLAND LODGE	\$450
	ELECTRIC RANGE, REFRIGERATOR, WATER, HEATED, BUNK BEDS (3 ROOMS) & BATHROOM/SHOWER.	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 20 PEOPLE	
_____	TOTEM LODGE (UNDER RENOVATION)	\$350
	PROPANE RANGE, REFRIGERATOR, HEATED, BUNK BEDS ~ WATER/ BATHROOM/SHOWER NEAR BY	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 16 PEOPLE	
_____	VFW LODGE	\$300
	GAS STOVE, REFRIGERATOR, WATER, HEATED, BUNK BEDS (1 ROOM), BATHROOM/SHOWER.	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 4 PEOPLE	
_____	ONEIDA LODGE	\$250
	PROPANE RANGE, REFRIGERATOR, HEATED, BUNK BEDS ~ WATER/ BATHROOM/SHOWER NEAR BY	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 10 PEOPLE	
_____	ESOPUS LODGE	\$200
	PROPANE RANGE, HEAT, BUNK BEDS ~ WATER/ BATHROOM/SHOWER NEAR BY	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 6 PEOPLE	
_____	IROQUOIS LODGE	\$125
	HEAT, BUNK BEDS ~ WATER/BATHROOM/SHOWER NEAR BY	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 4 PEOPLE	
_____	MOHICAN LODGE	\$125
	HEAT, BUNK BEDS ~ WATER/BATHROOM/SHOWER NEAR BY	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 4 PEOPLE	
_____	PENOBSCOT LODGE	\$125
	HEAT, BUNK BEDS ~ WATER/BATHROOM/SHOWER NEAR BY	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 4 PEOPLE	
_____	4 PERSON ADIRONDACK STYLE LEAN-TO'S (10)	\$100
	OUTSIDE TOILET and WATER NEAR BY	
	<i>LIMITED AVAILABILITY</i>	
	MAXIMUM CAPACITY: CAPACITY: 40 PEOPLE	

All prices listed above are for a 2-night stay.

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Camp Tri-Mount Application for Units 2022 (Continued)

_____ **GROUND SITE** **\$50**
OUTSIDE TOILET and WATER NEAR BY
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 10 PEOPLE IN YOUR UNIT'S TENTS AN ADDITIONAL \$5.00 /PERSON / NIGHT IF YOUR GROUP IS LARGER THAN 10.

Price listed above is per night.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

UNIT CONTACT: _____ EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

*****A \$100.00 CASH deposit MUST be presented to the Camp Master Corp / Camp Master at check in.*****

This deposit will be returned upon a satisfactory (clean area, no damage) check out at the end of the camping period.

FULL FEES AND A DETAILED WEEKEND PROGRAM MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS FORM

**MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO & MAIL TO:
RIP VAN WINKLE COUNCIL, BSA
1300 Ulster Avenue
Suite 107
KINGSTON, NY 12401**

ENCLOSED: \$ _____ SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Fees effective 9/1/2022

Must Fill Out Both Sides of Application

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RIP VAN WINKLE COUNCIL RULES

- We will use trucks only for transporting equipment - no passengers except in the cab. All passenger cars, station wagons, SUV, recreational vehicles, and cabs of trucks will have a seat belt for each passenger.
- We agree to enforce reasonable travel speed (in accordance with national, state, and local laws) and use only vehicles that are in safe mechanical condition.
- We will be certain that fires are always attended.
- We will always be a credit to the Boy Scouts of America and will not tolerate rowdy behavior or un-Scout-like conduct, keeping a constant check on all members of our group.
- We will maintain high standards of personal cleanliness and orderliness and will operate a clean and sanitary camp, leaving it in a better condition than we found it.
- We will not litter or bury trash, garbage, or tin cans. All rubbish will be placed in a tote-litter bag and taken home. (Carry in/Carry out).
- We will not deface trees, restrooms, or other objects with initials or writing.
- We will respect the property of others and will not trespass.
- We will not cut standing trees or shrubs.
- We will collect only souvenirs that are gifts to us or that we purchase.
- We will notify, in case of serious trouble, the Campmaster and/or the Caretaker.

RIP VAN WINKLE COUNCIL CAMP REGULATIONS

- All units in camp **must** be accompanied by at least two registered leaders.
- **A \$100 cash deposit is required at check-in and will be returned to unit upon proper check-out.**
- ALL Out-of-Council units **must** provide proof of unit/council medical/accident insurance.
- All units **must** check in and out with the Camp Master Corp / Caretaker.
- Units are to arrive in camp with a written roster and program itinerary. Please provide a copy for the Camp Master Corp / Caretaker.
- Anyone/any group leaving camp **must sign out** with the Camp Master Corp / Caretaker. The \$100 deposit is forfeit if check-out not completed.
- Each unit is asked to provide time to complete a one-hour Conservation project.
- Chain saws are **not** permitted in camp.
- No firearms or fireworks are permitted in camp.
- No personal bows, arrows, sling shots, BB guns, etc. are permitted in camp.
- No drugs are allowed in camp, prescription medication should be used under the supervision of the unit's camp leader.
- Alcoholic beverages of any kind are prohibited in camp.
- Snowmobiles, mini-bikes, ATVs, or motorcycles are **NOT PERMITTED IN CAMP** without prior Council approval.
- No pets are permitted in camp without prior Council approval.
- All camp reservations must be made **AT LEAST TWO WEEKS IN ADVANCE** of the unit's arrival at camp. A 100% deposit must accompany this application.
- **NO REFUNDS or CHANGE OF DATES WILL BE MADE IF A UNIT FAILS TO SHOW UP ON THE RESERVED DATE.** A change of date or refund will only be granted if the unit puts the request in writing to the Council Service Center at least 30 days before planned arrival date.

Signature of the unit leader

Date

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Camp Tri-Mount Application for Units 2022
Campsite Reservation form

Camp Tri-Mount Campsite Fees

Valuable information for visitors at Camp Tri-Mount:

- There are eleven campsites available at Camp Tri-Mount with latrines and shower facilities open.
Kay-Bee Lake can ONLY be used for fishing (bring your own bait and tackle). No other water activities are allowed since there is no BSA certified lifeguard on hand.
Colgate Lake can be used for Kayaking. The lake is located on CR-78 in nearby East Jewett.
The climbing course and STEM lab are not open.
During severe weather, the dining hall can be used for shelter. Please remember to clean up after use.
All units MUST have at least two registered leaders above the age of twenty-one.
Camp reservations must be made at least 2 weeks in advance before arriving at camp. A 100% deposit must accompany this application.
No refunds / change of dates will be made if a unit does not show up on the reserved date. NO EXCEPTIONS*.

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Daily Price / Unit

\$50.00 / night for up to ten people. This also allows for the use of two bathrooms and two showers.
An additional \$5.00 / person / night if your group is larger than 10. Five people adds the use of two more bathrooms and two more showers.

At the end of your stay at Camp Tri-Mount, we ask that the unit cleans the bathrooms and showers.

A fee of \$50.00 will be imposed for restrooms / showers that are not cleaned. The larger the unit, the higher the fee since they will have use of more restrooms. The chart on the back of this page shows the allotment of restrooms/showers to the size of a group.

We ask that units pay by cash or check. If you have any questions, please call the Council Service Center at 845-339-0846. The Council Service Center is open Monday through Friday, from 1000AM to 600PM.

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PACK OR TROOP: _____

UNIT CONTACT: _____ EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

A \$100.00 CASH deposit MUST be presented to the Camp Master Corp / Camp Master at check in.

REQUESTED DATES: _____ TO _____ TOTAL NIGHTS: _____

CAMPSITE REQUESTED:
1ST CHOICE: _____
2ND CHOICE: _____
3RD CHOICE: _____

Leaders _____ + Scouts _____ = Total in unit _____
First ten people x \$50.00 per night.
Subtotal
Amt > 10 people
X \$5.00 per night
Subtotal
TOTAL

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