



Leatherstocking Council  
2019 Spring Camporee  
May 17-19, 2019  
Utica-Rome Speedway

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**What:** Spring Camporee

**Where:** Utica Rome Speedway, Route 5 Vernon

**When:** May 17-19, 2019

**Who:** Scouts of all ages may attend. Troops can camp overnight on the racetrack grounds. Webelos and Arrow of Lights attached to a troop may also camp overnight. Lions and Tigers must be accompanied by their parent. Wolves and Bears must be accompanied by their leader or parent. This event is open to the public. It will be a great opportunity to invite non-scouts to a scouting event.

**Cost & Registration:** \$15 per Boy Scout, Boy Scout leader and Webelos/ Arrow of Lights staying overnight with a troop for registration paid by May 3, 2019. Late registration after May 3, \$20 per Scout, Scout Leader and Webelos/ Arrow of Lights staying overnight with a Troop. Cubs Scouts and parents/leaders \$10 each prior to May 3, 2019. Late registration after May 3, \$15 each. Units registering after the May 3<sup>rd</sup> deadline are not guarantee a Camporee patch the day of the event. The cost includes a unique camporee patch, camp site, porta johns, cracker barrel, activity materials and fees. Register on line at [Leatherstockingcouncil.org](http://Leatherstockingcouncil.org) or at the Oneonta and Utica Scout Office.

**Saturday Events:** Boy Scout Troops will be divided into 4 groups which will rotate between 4 areas. Planned events include interactive programs and demonstrations from NYS Police, O.C. DWI, Race cars, Big Truck display, Pit stop challenge, Solar car and more. Traffic Safety, Truck Transportation and Auto Mechanics will be featured MBs for Boy Scouts, Webelos and Arrow of Light. Lions, Tigers, Wolves and Bears can visit all areas and participate in the council-wide Pinewood Derby.

**Leatherstocking Council** is sponsoring a community leader/auto dealer pinewood derby race sat AM. In the PM, Cubs can bring their pinewood derby cars to race against other cubs. Boy Scouts and leaders may build a car from a pinewood kit and participate in an outlaw pinewood derby car race. Trophies will be awarded to the fastest cars in each group.

**Sanitation:** Port-a-Johns will be located near the campsite and venues. The track will allow us use of their toilet facilities. Units should bring a supply of drinking water with them. A limited supply of potable water will be available on site. Leaders are reminded to instruct their scout to conduct themselves appropriately while using the toilet facilities.

**Trading Post:** There will be a trading post set up with camp stuff, candy and snacks.

**Order of the Arrow Unit Election:** Contact the OA election team to set up your unit election. Elections may be held during meal time or free period.

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## **Schedule:**

### **Friday May 18**

17:00-20:00 Registration & units set up camp

21:00 Leaders meeting for Unit Leaders, SPLs and Event Committee

22:00 Lights out- all scouts must be in their own campsite and quiet

### **Saturday May 19**

07:00 Reveille, breakfast and clean up

08:30 Opening Ceremonies

09:00-10:30 Venues open, Session One      9:30-11:00 Corporate Pinewood Derby

10:30-12:00 Session Two

12:00-13:00 Lunch and clean up      Unit OA Elections

13:00-14:30 Session Three      1:30-3:00 Council-wide Cub Pinewood Derby

14:30-16:00 Session Four

16:00- 17:00 Unit OA Elections and/or free time

17:00-19:00 Dinner, Clean up & Free time      Unit OA Elections

19:00 Scouts Own

20:00 OA Callout and Saturday Evening 'Campfire' / Show/  
Outlaw Pinewood Derby

22:00 Lights out

### **Sunday May 20**

07:00-9:00 Reveille, breakfast, clean up, break camp & depart

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## **Rules:**

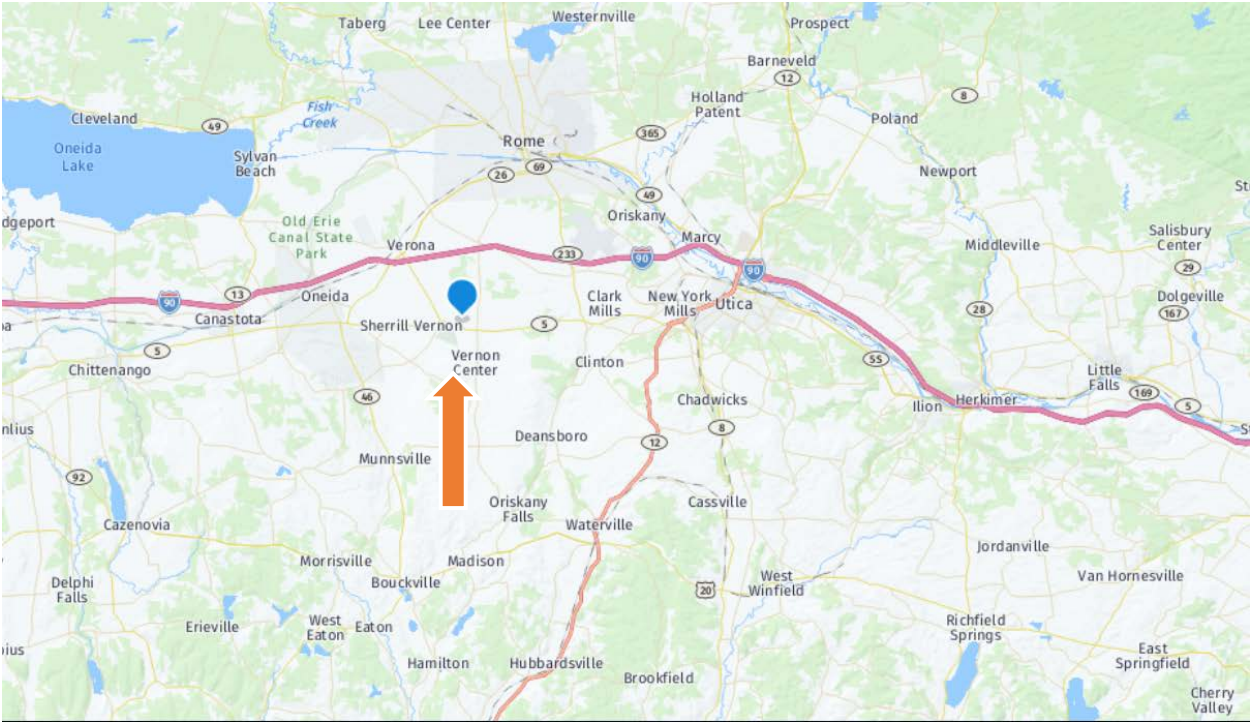
- All units must preregister for this event by May 3, 2019 to avoid a late charge. This is necessary so that the committee can schedule units to a group and coordinate staffing.
- No open fires. Propane or liquid gas stoves may be used for cooking.
- Leaders are responsible for their scouts at all times during this camporee. Units must stay together during the 4 event periods.
- Leaders must show proof of BSA Medical forms for each participant at sign in table. All medicines shall be the responsibility of the unit leader.
- BSA uniforms are to be worn at this event.
- Parking will be available in adjacent lots. All vehicles and trailers must be parked in the designated areas.
- Units are responsible for their own meals. If you bring it in, make sure you take it out. (This means garbage, as well.)

## **Merit Badge Opportunities:**

- Traffic Safety
- Truck Transportation
- Automotive Maintenance

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Map to Utica-Rome Speedway:



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## **Group A: Automotive Maintenance**

- 1. Under the Hood**
- 2. Tires**
- 3. Engines, fuel systems, lubricants and coolants**
- 4. Ignition, Electrical Systems, Drive Train and Brakes**
- 5. Vehicle Ownership Costs and Responsibilities**

## **Group B: Traffic Safety**

- 1. Young driver Errors and Roadside Safety**
- 2. Seat Belts and Safety Equipment- *NYSP Convincer/ Rollover***
- 3. DWI - *OCDWI / OC Sherriff***
- 4. Stopping Distance**
- 5. Signs and Visibility- *NYS DOT Signals***

## **Group C: Truck Safety**

- 1. Local trucking, Supply Chain and How Goods Move- *Wal-Mart***
- 2. Regulations, Dispatch, Logbook and Gov. Agys.- *NYSP Weights***
- 3. Definitions and Career opportunities**
- 4. Tow Truck- *AAA Northeast***
- 5. Plow Truck- *NYS DoT***

## **Group D: Demonstrations**

- 1. Stock Car- *Utica-Rome Speedway***
- 2. Pinewood Car Race- *Leatherstocking***
- 3. Pit Stop-**
- 4. Sun Racer- *SUNY-Poly***
- 5. Jaws of Life**

Scouts have 15 minutes at each station with 3 minutes to move between stations. 50 scouts per group+/-

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