

Summer Camp 2020 Video Webinar was led by the PPC Camping Chair, Camp Director, VP Outdoor Programs, WSR director and the PPC Scout Executive.

PPC council is offering different programs this year due to COVID-19.

Safety and Health Concerns as well as State Concerns. PPC has been working with the American Camping Association Guidelines to plan a safe and compliant camping Experience. This has resulted in the format which the PPC will use this year, the PPC Academy and the PPC resident camp at Winnebago Scout Reservation.

The programs will consist of hands on demonstrations with scouts working on projects, perfecting scout skills.

Activities planned; Archery, blacksmithing, boating, ecology, handicraft, rifle shooting, shotgun shooting, scouts craft, STEM, Engineering, swimming, local hikes and canoeing on Split Rock reservoir.

Due to social distancing, flag ceremonies, opening and closing campfires as well as camp wide games will not take place this year.

Campers will be organized into 10-12 youth Patrols (also referred to as PODS), with 2 adults as leaders. Each patrol will travel together during camp, the patrols will represent the only people that the campers will have close contact with. Summer resident camp will take place at Winnebago Scout Reservation (WSR). Due to concerns on class size, interaction with other youth and keeping safe, no Merit Badge classes will be offered. However scouts will participate in a program oriented camping experience.

Accommodations will be up to 2 per tent, in head to toe format. Lean-to's will accommodate 4 scouts. Personal tents can also be brought from home.

Meals will be eaten within the units at their campsite. No open mess in the dining hall. Meals will continue to be prepared in the dining hall but distributed to each unit for consumption.

Health restrictions; no one over 65 allowed in camp, no one who suffers from diabetes, heart disease or immune deficiencies. Health forms A, B and C would need to be presented to the camp staff prior to camp to determine if health risks are too high for camp.

Check in will be one troop at a time. Masks will be worn at check in, where temp and health screening will take place one unit at a time.

Medication distribution has not been completely planned yet.

Dan Beard is renamed Super Scout. But will not take place like in past years due to social distancing issues.

Look for Webinar Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) to be published on the PPC website (camping).

An updated leader's guide will be available 18 June.

Patriots Path Council has been working hard to make this summer's camping experience memorable.