

**Orange District Spring Camporee
Orange County Speedway, Rougemont, NC
Boy Scout Troop 9
25 - 27 April 2008**

Camporee is a two-night encampment of Boy Scout troops, Cub Scout Packs and Venture Crews from all over Orange County with organized activities during the day Saturday, a campfire Saturday night and an Assembly on Sunday morning.

This year's Camporee theme is Scout Olympiad, with competition in both physical and Scout skill events. The featured event is a chariot race. Each pack, patrol and crew will build a chariot and pull one member. Saturday activities include theme-oriented midway activities, chariot-racing contests, a crossover ceremony for Scouts who recently joined Troops, an Order of the Arrow Tap-out ceremony and more.

Schedule

Depart:	5:00 p.m.	Friday	Subway at Timberlyne Shopping Center
Setup Camp	6:00 pm		Orange County Speedway, Rougemont, NC
Fellowship Campfire	8:00 pm		Troop 9 is running the Fellowship Campfire
Activities	8:15 am – 7:00 pm	Saturday	Troop 9 is running two midway events, flag lowering with Pack 438 and chariot racing
Campfire	7:15 pm		Cross-over ceremony, Order of the Arrow Tap-out ceremony
Assembly:	8:45 – 10:00 a.m.	Sunday	Scouts Own Service, Awards, and Closing Ceremony
Return:	10:00 am – 11:00 am		Campsite Inspections and Departure
Home:	Noon – 1:00 pm		Subway at Timberlyne Shopping Center

Equipment

Bring normal car camping equipment. Since this is a public troop activity, we prefer that troop tents be used.

Uniforms

Class A uniforms (complete) are required for Saturday evening and Sunday morning flag ceremonies and assemblies, and the Saturday night campfire. Class B uniforms (Scout T-shirts or plain T-shirts - but not other logo-ware) may be worn during other activities.

Food and Water

Scouts and Adult Leaders must eat dinner BEFORE arriving at the Subway on Friday evening for departure. The patrols will organize four meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner on Saturday and breakfast Sunday.

Water is available - we must supply our own containers. Bring water so that we do not run out - AT LEAST 3 quarts of water per Scout.

Forbidden Items

Do not bring any of the following items:

- Fireworks, laser pointers, weapons, etc. – you know the drill
- Pets
- Bicycles

Camporee staff will be using 2-way radios. If you must have these (adults only) be sure to use a different channel than the Camporee staff.

Alcohol and Tobacco Use

In keeping with BSA policy:

- Alcohol is strictly prohibited at all times.
- Tobacco products should not be used in the presence of Scouts.

Arrivals on Saturday

Anyone arriving on Saturday will need to park in the parking lot and carry their gear to the campsite – NO VEHICLES WILL BE ALLOWED TO TRAVEL THROUGH THE CAMPING AREA ON SATURDAY.

Messages and Emergency Contact

Telephone contact may be tried; call 593-0037 (Mr. Gerdau). Cell phone coverage is spotty. Leave a message.

Driving Directions

Estimated Time: 34 minutes, Distance: 24.26 miles, from Timberlyne Shopping Center

- Turn LEFT on WEAVER DAIRY RD. .06 mi
- Turn RIGHT onto NC-86. 7.8 mi
- Turn LEFT onto US-70 BR/US-70A/NC-86. 0.8 mi
- Turn RIGHT onto S CHURTON ST/US-70 BR/NC-86. Continue to follow NC-86. 1.6 mi
- Turn RIGHT onto NC-57. 13.3 mi
- End at 9740 NC Highway 57, Rougemont, NC 27572