

SCOUTING THE ZOO



2020 Event Guide

For Scouts BSA & Venturers

September 4-6, 2020



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NEW FOR 2020

2020 Animal – The Barred Owl: This year's animal is Sweet Pea, the Milwaukee County Zoo's barred owl. Her exhibit is located in the Family Farm at the Stackner Animal Encounter area. We are excited to showcase her on our 2020 event patch.



2020 Discount Opportunities: As a special deal for the 2020 event we are offering a 20% discount for the first 20 days that registration is open. Beginning February 13, 2020 (6:00 p.m.) through March 4, 2020 (11:59 p.m.) registering units can use the discount code **SWEETPEA20** to receive 20% off. Additionally, we are offering a 15% discount from March 5, 2020 (12:00 a.m.) through March 31, 2020 (11:59 p.m.) using code: **OWL15**. No discounts can be applied after April 1, 2020.

Commissioner's Challenge Activity: For units who are at the zoo on Friday night, we will be offering this new station-based activity. Scouts can participate as a whole unit or as a patrol or den. Groups will move around the zoo and solve puzzles, riddles or do some other activity to earn completion points and will encounter an ice cream station somewhere along the trail.



Legendary Fitness Returns: Returning for 2020, Legendary Fitness, a local obstacle course gym, will be adding several new age-appropriate competitions for youth participants. They will again be located in the green space near the aviary.

Taco Lunch Option: Due to numerous requests, the Scouting the Zoo committee has added a lunch option for participants. A \$4.00 ticket will get you two soft-shell tacos, Spanish rice, refried beans, orange slices and juice. Additional tacos may be available for purchase at the event.

New Dinner Menu: For this year we are going to be changing the Saturday night dinner option to pulled barbeque chicken. Meal tickets are purchased during event registration and additional sandwiches may be available for purchase at the event.

Sling-bag Sale: For 2020, we will be offering a sale of Scouting the Zoo branded sling-bags. Several color options will be available. Please look to Facebook and the council website for more details in late March.

2020 Critter Crawl (5k Run & 1 Mile Walk): Beginning this year we are adding a 5k run and 1 mile walk to our Saturday morning program. This is not designed as a fundraising event, however, any proceeds will be donated to animal or program needs of the Milwaukee County Zoo on behalf of our event. This activity is open to all but will not be publicized widely outside of our Scouting family and friends for the first year. More information will be released in Spring 2020.

Important Dates

February 2020	Event guide will be available online and at each council service center.
February 13, 2020	Campsite Lottery and Informational Meeting - Unit leaders will be allowed to select a campsite for the event and receive information on the event. Please see the camping section for details.
March/April 2020	Event staff will visit roundtables to promote the event and answer questions.
August 25, 2020	Zoo Event Rally - Join us in person or online as we share up-to-the-minute information about the event and will answer any last-minute questions that any attendees have. This rally is open to all leaders attending the event and the location and/or log-in details will be shared later this spring via website and social media.
August 26, 2020	Registration closes
September 4 – 6, 2020	Scouting the Zoo event

Event Description

Scouting the Zoo showcases the Scouting program of Three Harbors Council, Boy Scouts of America. This program is open to anyone registered in Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA, Venturing or Exploring, including adult leaders, family members and the general public. The program will provide hands-on experiences led by youth members that are exciting for all ages.

Location: Milwaukee County Zoo, 10001 West Bluemound Road, Milwaukee, WI 53226
For more information on the zoo itself, please visit: www.milwaukeezoo.org.

PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITIES

Cub Scouts

Lion, Tiger, Wolf and Bear Cub Scouts are invited to attend for the day on Saturday and can participate in all activities prior to, and after, regular zoo hours. Packs that are selected for the Cub camping program will be assigned a camping space and time.

Webelos and Arrow of Light Scouts are encouraged to camp with a local troop during the weekend. This will help foster the Arrow of Light-to-Scout transition program. Coordination with a troop is required. Please arrange proper adult leadership with the troop you will accompany.

Scouts BSA, Venturers and Explorers

These Scouts are invited to camp Friday through Sunday or attend for the day on Saturday with their unit under the rules and regulations of the Boy Scouts of America.

Event Fees

Due to the variety of admission options to the zoo, ticket and program fees are now being offered separately. Patches and meal tickets are separate as well. **Participation fees do not include parking and parking fees may be paid online or at the zoo gate.**

PARTICIPATION FEES

	Fee	Description
Total number of people in attendance	N/A	ALL people coming to Scouting the Zoo associated with your unit should be accounted for; this would include anyone who has a zoo pass or other means of zoo admittance.
Zoo Admission	\$9.50	Zoo ticket for admission *Required if you don't have a zoo pass
Parking Pass	\$12.00	Required for all vehicles not simply dropping off Scouts or leaders
Drop Off Only Admission & Vehicle Pass	N/A	While no fee will be assessed, all vehicles require a pass for drop off purposes or will be assessed a parking fee at the zoo gate
*Camping Participant	\$9.00	Camping Friday and Saturday nights and all programs. Patches sold separately.
*Day Only Participant	\$5.00	All programs Saturday. Patches sold separately.
Patches	\$1.00	Anyone can buy a patch

***Must choose one participation choice for Scouts and leaders**
Tickets will be e-mailed throughout August and September 2020

A roster will be required to receive participant wristbands at the event!

Keep Greater Milwaukee Beautiful Campaign (KGMB)

Adults and youth in your unit can get a free pass to admit them to the zoo by participating in the *Keep Greater Milwaukee Beautiful Campaign*. This is a great way to provide community service while saving the cost of admittance to the zoo, so get your reservation in early! For more details on how your unit can qualify, call (414) 272-5462 ext. 106 or visit the Keep Greater Milwaukee Beautiful website at www.kgmb.org. Zoo passes for Keep Greater Milwaukee Beautiful will be honored on the Scouting the Zoo weekend even though they state they are not valid until later.

MEAL FEES (Optional)

Pancake Breakfast: \$4.00

Held at the Briggs & Stratton Big Backyard at Zoo Terrace from 6:30 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. on Saturday. The meal includes pancakes with butter and syrup, sausages, juice, milk and coffee.

Taco Lunch: \$4.00

Held at the Briggs & Stratton Big Backyard at Zoo Terrace from 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Saturday. The meal includes two soft shell tacos, Spanish rice, refried beans, orange slices and drink.

Pulled BBQ Chicken Dinner: \$5.00

Held at the Briggs & Stratton Big Backyard at Zoo Terrace from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday. The meal includes a BBQ pulled chicken sandwich, chips, cookie and drink. Additional sandwiches may be available on site for \$1.00 each.

PARKING INFORMATION

Parking Pass: All units attending the campsite lottery and informational meeting in February will be issued one free parking pass. All other vehicles will be required to pay for parking online or at the zoo gate.

General Information

Physical Arrangements

Participating units must bring their own tables, chairs, cooking equipment, etc. These items will not be available at the zoo. In the event of severe weather, please follow the instructions of the event staff and/or zoo personnel. **Please note: electricity may be available for use at your campsite by request through the event committee and depending on location. Generators are not permitted on the zoo grounds.**

Prohibited Items

Frisbees, footballs, baseballs and games of catch (of any sort) are not allowed due to the possibility of a ball or frisbee landing in an animal enclosure. Skateboards, skates, heelys, drones and bicycles are also not allowed. Please discourage your Scouts from playing cards, dice or other games of chance. Consumption of alcohol is prohibited at all Scout events and smoking is not permitted on zoo property.

Uniforming

Scouts are expected to be in field uniform while walking around the zoo. Many units allow varying degrees of pants/shorts but athletic shorts are not appropriate for this event. Official pants/shorts, belt, socks, etc. are encouraged. Per national policies, uniforms are to be worn properly (tucked in). **While participating in zoo competitions, or after the zoo closes, Scouts may wear an activity uniform shirt.** Please remind your Scouts that they are representing the Scouting program when at the zoo. Their appearance and behavior will reflect upon their unit and the organization as a whole.

Re-Admittance Tickets

A very limited number will be available on Saturday to all display/exhibit participants and will be available upon request. Re-admittance tickets can be obtained from the Scouting information booth in the U.S. Bank Gathering Place.

Recognition

A commemorative patch can be purchased for an additional fee. Don't forget to give your Scouts credit for the numerous achievements, electives and merit badge requirements they will probably meet by participating in the event activities and service projects. Please take note of what your Scouts do; an advancement list will not be provided.

Safety and Security: Security for the event will be provided. The zoo and parking area will be patrolled from 6:00 p.m. until 6:00 a.m. on both Friday and Saturday nights. The parking lot gates will be closed during the night but there is an entry option in case of emergency. The event emergency contact number is **(414) 209-4008** and will be monitored by event staff. Each unit should make note of this number in order to call for assistance. We will also ask for the unit emergency contact leader and their cell phone number in case we need to contact your unit during the event. Please distribute the Scouting the Zoo emergency number to parents and participants.

Minor first aid issues may be handled by the individual unit. Larger first aid issues must be documented by Scouting the Zoo leadership team members. For larger medical issues, find and/or call for Scouting the Zoo staff. During normal zoo hours, also contact zoo personnel to alert the on-paramedic.

The show goes on, rain or shine, so units are encouraged to plan accordingly. Weather will be monitored by the event staff and zoo personnel. In the event of severe weather, please follow the instructions of the event staff and/or zoo personnel.

Event Activities and Highlights – Scouts BSA and Venturers

Competition rosters are due by Friday, September 4, 2020 at the event leadership meeting

Scavenger Hunt: This is an event to get Scouts meeting other Scouts and leaders while learning about the animals at the zoo. You will receive copies at the Friday night leadership meeting. When the scavenger hunt is completed, the form can be turned in at the Scouting information booth at the zoo entrance for drawings of special prizes. All Scouts are encouraged to participate.

Event Parade: The event parade will begin near the Flamingo Café at 11:00 a.m. and will tour the zoo with the culmination at the event assembly. Please plan on attending with your unit and flags. All Scouts are expected to be in field uniform for this and the previous year's Zoo Cup winner will lead the parade. Cub Scout participants will join the parade part way through.

LumberScout Competition: This is a team-based Scouts BSA and Venturing event that will challenge Scouts to a series of tasks involving woods tools and Scout skills. Scouts are encouraged to sign up in teams of four and awards will be presented at the event awards ceremony. Additional information will be shared regarding specific events throughout the spring.

Service Projects: Service project opportunities will be available at this year's event. Please take the opportunity to participate in service to the Milwaukee County Zoo in thanks for their continued support of this unique event. Stay tuned for more details this spring.

Zoo Rides: As a special treat to Scout participants, free rides for the zoo train and Zoomobile may be offered after the zoo closes on Saturday evening. Scouts are expected to behave in a Scout-like manner for this privilege. **Wristband required and weather permitting.**

Team Challenge Course Competition: This is an evening, team-based obstacle course beginning after the event closing ceremony and provides a fun addition for older Scouts and Venturers. This program will provide another opportunity for units to shine through teamwork. Participants must be 13 years of age or older.

Secret Scouter Program: Throughout the event, Secret Scouter agents will be walking around looking for Scouts who are not only wearing their uniforms properly but are also helping keep the zoo clean and being friendly to zoo patrons. Agent observations will result in points towards The Zoo Cup, as well as individual items being handed out on the spot. Agents could be Scouters or public visitors.

The Zoo Cup: The Zoo Cup will be awarded as a culmination of all events at the zoo. Consideration for this award will be given for display quality, Scout behavior, activity participation and overall unit conduct. The winning unit will be awarded the Zoo Cup to be displayed at one of the council offices and will have first claim to a campsite at next year's campsite lottery meeting in February. The award-winning unit will be expected to lead the parade at next year's Scouting the Zoo event!

Event Closing Ceremony: This evening program will be held in the U.S. Bank Gathering Place beginning with an awards ceremony, the awarding of the Zoo Cup, Zero's Heroes and the beginning of the Saturday evening movie.

2020 Tentative Event Schedule

Scouts BSA/Venturing Program

Please check for updates. Full schedule will be provided at event

Friday, September 4, 2020

- 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Display and campsite setup by participating units. Units **must** check in and check out with event staff at south end of the education building in the lion parking lot
- 8:30 p.m. Removal of all vehicles and trailers from the camping and exhibit areas.
- 9:00 p.m. Unit Leadership Meeting (Adults & Youth Leaders)
Commissioner's Challenge Activity Program
- 10:30 p.m. Lights Out

Saturday, September 5, 2020

Special Note: No vehicle access to campsite area will be permitted on Saturday for any reason. This is for the safety of the morning activities and evening programs. Please plan accordingly

- 6:30 a.m. Reveille & zoo gates open
Critter Crawl Check-in opens
- 6:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Display and campsite setup by participating units. (No vehicles)
- 6:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. Pancake Breakfast (Ticket Required)
- 7:30 a.m. Critter Crawl 5k race begins (1 mile walk 7:35 a.m.)
- 9:00 a.m. Zoo opens to the public
LumberScout Competition Area Open (Closes at 11:00 a.m.)
Legendary Fitness Competition Area Open (Closes at 11:00 a.m.)
- 11:00 a.m. Event Parade
- 11:45 a.m. Event Assembly
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Taco Lunch (Ticket Required)
- 1:00 p.m. LumberScout Competition Area Open (Closes at 5:00 p.m.)
Legendary Fitness Competition Area Open (Closes at 5:00 p.m.)
- 5:00 p.m. Zoo Closes to the Public
- 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Pulled BBQ Chicken Dinner (Ticket Required)
- 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Zoo Rides (Wristband Required)
- 6:45 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Event Carnival
- 8:15 p.m. Event Closing Ceremony (Award Announcement & Closing Comments)
- 8:30 p.m. Indoor Movie – TBD (Facebook Voting in April 2020)
Team Challenge Course Competition
- 10:30 p.m. Campers return to sites
- 10:45 p.m. Lights Out

Sunday, September 6, 2020

- 6:30 a.m. Reveille & Zoo Gates Open
- 6:45 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Dismantling of displays and campsites. Vehicle Access begins at 6:45 a.m.
- 8:45 a.m. Removal of all vehicles from camping and exhibit areas.
- 9:00 a.m. Zoo opens to the public
Have a safe trip home or stay and enjoy the zoo

Scouting Displays

Troops, crews and some select packs are expected to set up a Scouting display to showcase Scouting to the public. Each unit will select a Scouting skill or activity to show in their display. Some past displays have included Dutch oven cooking, first aid skills, knot games, box ovens, animal tracks, wilderness survival, fire starters, bird feeders, etc. **Reminder: No driving will be allowed in the zoo on Saturday for any reason.**

Units will be asked to identify what they will be showcasing in their display as part of registration. Units are strongly encouraged to set up their display areas and campsites on Friday evening and add their final touches on Saturday, no later than 8:45 a.m.

Past experience has shown that booths that are more interactive with the public are much better received than static displays; plus, the Scouts and adults staffing them have a better time as well! Be sure to identify your display with your unit number and the name of your chartered organization.

For demonstration purposes, charcoal may be used provided that it is contained in a grill well off the ground and that all coals and ashes are removed from the zoo by the unit. There is no facility on zoo grounds for disposal of spent coals and ashes. Units are also asked to place a wooden board under their elevated grill to avoid scorching the grassy areas.

Dismantling of displays and exhibits shall not take place earlier than 5:00 p.m. on Saturday. Please plan to actively display until the close of the zoo to the general public at 5:00 p.m.

No Selling/Solicitation Policy:

All units are reminded that the selling of products or soliciting of funds is not permitted at the zoo. Individuals who express interest in what your unit is producing at the zoo (e.g. birdhouses, plaster castings, etc.) may be given a name to contact for details of possible future purchase. Units may give out free samples.

Display/Exhibit Judging:

Your unit's display will be judged during the day on Saturday and awarded points based upon the following considerations. A special "Best in Show" award will be presented to the best unit display. Judges will consider the following:

- **Attendance:** Displays, demonstrations and exhibit areas are attended at all times by at least two youth. Proper adult supervision is required.
- **Personal Appearance:** All participants must wear a **clean, neat** and proper uniform or theme-appropriate costume.
- **Scout Spirit:** Participants convey a friendly attitude and are courteous to the public in all contacts, gracious to those attending and cooperative with those helping in the areas.
- **Enthusiasm:** Participants actively draw in passers-by, are enthusiastic about the subject matter and about being there.
- **Subject Knowledge:** Participants are fully knowledgeable about the topic of presentation.
- **Appearance:** The display, exhibit or demonstration shows general appeal and attractiveness. The area is free of safety hazards.
- **Live Action:** The display offers active participation to get the general public involved.
- **Identification:** The display, exhibit or demonstration is identified with a title or brief description, unit and American flags and the name of the unit and its chartering organization.
- **Traffic:** Is the exhibit bustling with traffic or no?
- **Bonus:** Bonus points can be awarded for unique and special features or for those displays that go well above and beyond expectations.

Camping Information

Campsite selection will occur on **February 13, 2020 (6:30 p.m.) at Greendale High School, 6801 Southway, Greendale, WI 53129**. Please estimate the number of campers you will have prior to coming to the campsite lottery and informational meeting. Units will select their preferred camping location at that time. Event staff may adjust locations based on collected information. In preparation for that meeting, you can see the typical camping area listing below. Please visit www.milwaukeezoo.org for the current zoo map.

1. Family Farm
2. Lake Evinrude
 - a. Elephants
 - b. Harbor Seals
 - c. Black Bear
3. North America
 - a. Grizzly Bear
 - b. Caribou
4. Aquatic & Reptile Center (ARC)
5. Aviary
6. Parking Lot
7. Other Areas
 - a. Giraffes
 - b. Big Backyard



If a unit is unable to attend the campsite lottery, assignments will be made based on a first-come, first-served basis. Please e-mail ScoutingTheZoo@gmail.com with questions or to submit your campsite request. All campsite questions/requests will be handled by the event committee and not through the council offices.

The event committee will assign campsites to maximize the number of Scouts that can camp in the space available at the zoo. Substitutions may occur based on zoo policies and work zones.

REMINDER: We will **no longer allow trailers** to remain near campsites for any group. Trailers will be allowed to transport gear in and out of the zoo on both Friday night and Sunday morning but no trailers are allowed in the zoo between 9:00 p.m. Friday and 6:30 a.m. Sunday.



Event Registration Form

Scouts BSA Troops and Venturing Crews

This form is due no later than August 26, 2020



ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE at www.ThreeHarborsScouting.org/ScoutingTheZoo

Unit type and number: _____ District: _____ Council: _____

Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

A roster on the back page must accompany all registrations.

For details on what each of the categories covers please see page 5 of the event guide

Admission	#	Cost	Total
Total number of people attending		N/A	
How many do not require an admission ticket?		N/A	
How many need zoo admission?		\$9.50	
How many drivers need parking passes?		\$12.00	
How many drivers are just dropping off?		N/A	

You must purchase a zoo ticket if you don't have a zoo pass and drop off drivers will also need a pass or will be charged for parking at the zoo gate.

Program	#	Cost	Total
How many Scouts and adults will be camping?		\$9.00	
How many Scouts will be coming just for the day?		\$5.00	
How many patches would you like?		\$1.00	
How many for Saturday morning pancake breakfast?		\$4.00	
How many for Saturday taco lunch?		\$4.00	
How many for Saturday night Pulled BBQ Chicken dinner?		\$5.00	

Total: _____
Account #: 1-6801-768-20

Ticket Delivery

Tickets will be e-mailed to the person placing the order around the middle of August 2020. No physical tickets will be issued unless arranged by e-mailing ScoutingTheZoo@gmail.com.

Webelos Camping:

We will have _____ Webelos Scouts join us from Pack _____ and their fees are included.

We will have _____ Arrow of Light Scouts join us from Pack _____ and their fees are included.

We will have _____ Webelos Scouts join us from Pack _____ and their fees will be paid separately.

We will have _____ Arrow of Light Scouts join us from Pack _____ and their fees will be paid separately.

Please return this form and roster to:

Three Harbors Council, BSA

Attn: Katie Schneider

330 South 84th Street OR

Milwaukee, WI 53214-1468

Three Harbors Council, BSA

Attn: Katie Schneider

7500 Green Bay Rd, Suite LL101

Kenosha, WI 53142

For Office Use Only:	Initials: _____	Date: _____
For Day Of Use Only:	Total Scouts: _____	Total Adults: _____ Total Other: _____



Scouts BSA and Venturing Crew Roster

All units must turn in a roster of all people attending the event.

Please indicate if they will be camping or day only.

Wristband required for participation.



Unit Type and number: _____ District: _____

Name	Adult, Scout, sibling, or other	Camping	Day only

Please return this form and roster no later than September 3, 2020 via e-mail to ScoutingTheZoo@gmail.com or through the mail to:

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Attn: Katie Schneider
330 South 84th Street
Milwaukee, WI 53214-1468

OR

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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Why would I need to include numbers of participants if I'm not needing to purchase tickets and they are not going to participate in program?

A: We'd like to get an accurate count of all attendees that are connected with the event for tracking and insurance reasons. So, even a family member, with a zoo pass, who doesn't want a patch or food, should still be counted as they wouldn't likely have been at the zoo without their connection to the Scouting program.

I'm a Cub Scout leader, can my pack camp overnight?

A: Unfortunately, not as a pack, no. Only those packs that attended the Cub camping kick-off meeting in January, completed an application and were subsequently selected for the program are allowed to camp as a pack. Webelos and Arrow of Light Scouts are permitted to camp with a participating troop if the troop invites them, but no other Cub Scouts or siblings are allowed to camp overnight with a troop.

Can I add people past the registration deadline?

A: There are some circumstances where this will be ok. E-mail ScoutingTheZoo@gmail.com to request the additions before paying for them so that we can record accurate additions if allowed.

I'm from a Scouts BSA or Venturing unit and I missed the campsite lottery, can my unit still camp?

A: Yes, as long as there is camping space, troops and crews are not required to be at the lottery meeting. Simply e-mail your interest in camping, along with an educated guess on number of campers to ScoutingTheZoo@gmail.com to begin the process of campsite selection. Open campsite areas can be found online by going to www.ThreeHarborsScouting.org/ScoutingTheZoo and selecting the appropriate link on the right side panel.

Where can I find which camping spots are still open?

A: Open campsite areas can be found online by going to www.ThreeHarborsScouting.org/ScoutingTheZoo and selecting the appropriate link on the right side panel.

I'm trying to register online but the discount codes aren't working.

A: This is likely because you are attempting to register outside the discount code windows. Discounts are only permitted during the timeframes specified in the event guide. If it's not working and you are within the proper window, please check the spelling of the code and then e-mail ScoutingTheZoo@gmail.com.

We've registered for the event, when will I get my tickets and wristbands?

A: We utilize digital tickets (QR codes) for this event. They should arrive beginning in May and will be sent to the person who placed the order. Each order will be provided one QR code for admission and one QR code for parking and it will scan the appropriate number of times as per the registration. If you haven't received your tickets by September 2, 2020, please e-mail ScoutingTheZoo@gmail.com for inquiries. Wristbands will be handed out at the Friday night leader's meeting (troops and crews) or during check-in on Saturday (packs and day units).

I have my QR codes from my order, what do I do with them now?

A: That is up to how your unit decided how to handle ticket distribution. You can e-mail the QR codes to all your families or some units still want paper copies and you are welcome to print them and distribute. Please note that the number of times each QR code will scan is the exact number of times matching the amount of admission tickets or parking and drop-off passes that were paid for.

Are we allowed campfires at our sites?

A: Yes, but they must be in an elevated fire pit. Additionally, a wooden board must be placed under the fire pit to avoid scorching of the grass. All fires must be attended at all times and water buckets must be available.

Some of my Scouts want to do a "behind the scenes" activity, what options are there for that?

A: Follow us on Facebook before and during the event for opportunities to be a part of the behind the scenes activities. Group sizes and times are limited.

I wake my unit up early for clean-up on Sunday, why can't I bring my trailer in before 6:30 a.m.?

A: Due to national standards we are required to schedule and honor eight hours of uninterrupted "quiet" time for our event. While your unit may be early risers, we ask that you respect the quiet time of your neighbors and follow the requests that no vehicles enter the zoo before 6:30 a.m.

Why can't I leave my trailer near my site?

A: To protect the grass at the zoo we aren't allowing trailers to be parked in campsites and many of the paths/roads around the zoo are too narrow for activities and are needed for public walkways and zoo vehicles. Since every campsite can't have a trailer, it is only right that none of our units have trailers as part of their areas. This is front country camping and units should plan on only using trailers for unloading and loading during appropriate times.

I have questions that aren't answered here, who do I talk to?

A: Please e-mail ScoutingTheZoo@gmail.com with your questions. Several members of the leadership team monitor that e-mail and will respond to you and your question. Please allow for 24-36 hours for responses as we are volunteers as well. Of course we will do our best to respond within a few hours, or sooner, as much as possible.

Where can I find more info?

A: There are many resources available if more information is needed. You can follow us on Facebook (facebook.com/ScoutingTheZoo), visit our webpage (www.ThreeHarborsScouting.org/ScoutingTheZoo),

