

Camping planning your next outing or planning your next year





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To have a complete program, you have to put the "outing" in "Scouting"!

In the next few minutes, we'll discuss:

- Ideas on where you can go camping.
- What equipment you'll need.
- Activities you can do, in conjunction with camping.
- Your ideas





On The Loose

Heart of America Council Camping and High Adventure Guidebook

https://www.hoac-bsa.org/Data/Sites/1/media/order-of -the-arrow/oa-documents/on-the-loose/On-the-Loose-f ull.pdf

This guidebook contains sections on: 1.Camps 2.Rivers 3.Caves 4.Trails 5.High Adventure







Additional ideas for camping

On The Loose is a great resource, but it is not all-encompassing.

You may also want to consider:

- Kelsey Short
- Earnest Shepherd
- Crow's Creek
- Lake Doniphan
- •Wilderness Camp & Retreat Center
- Private property Scouters and familyYour ideas?









Additional ideas for rivers

While On The Loose has a lot of great ideas for rivers to canoe, kayak or float, an additional resource is the website for Missouri Canoe and Floaters Association. <u>https://missouricanoe.org/river-maps/</u>

Where else have you and/or your unit been?

Not mentioned in the Caves section is: Mark Twain Cave in Hannibal, MO – if you don't mind the drive. You can camp at Mark Twain State Park, not

far from there.







Troop Supplied Equipment

Tents and stakes Cooking and dish washing equipment

- Dutch ovens
- •Wash and rinse basins
- Patrol boxes
- Patrol stoves
- •Knives, peelers, spatulas, serving spoons, etc.
- •Frying pans and sauce pans
- Dining fly / poles
- Lanterns
- Water containers
- Axes and saws Troop 1st aid kit U.S. flag & Troop flag Rope, twine and cordage Troop sign







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Personal Equipment

- Clothing, outerwear and footwear (seasonal)
- Extra socks and base layer
- Extra boots / shoes
- Sleeping bag, sleeping pad and pillow
- Mess kit, cup and water bottle
- Flashlight
- Knife or multi-purpose tool
- Insect repellant and sunblock (in season)
- Scout manual
- Backpack







What else?





