



## Scouts Annual J4E Patrol Competitive Camp



- Date:** May 3-5, 2013 (**Confirm RSVP and bring money ASAP please!**)  
**Location:** Camp Wetaskiwin, St. Catharines (map available online)  
**Time:** Arrive together as patrols, 7pm sharp Friday,  
Pickup 1pm Sunday.  
**Cost:** \$30 for the weekend.

Carpooling within the patrol will help, please and thanks. Perhaps consider trade-off with another parent? (*ie: one takes on friday, one goes and gets on sunday*)

As previously mentioned, we've planned to an annual Patrol Competitive camp, run by several area teams from Southern Ontario, together with our own group.

We're camping at Wetaskiwin Scout Camp, 3027 Scout Camp Road, Thorold. It's a great camp site for Scouts, with resources very suitable for comfortable tent camping. This is the same place a number of the newer Tenderfoot Scouts stayed at, a few weeks ago.

The challenges will focus around patrol-based Scout activities, archery, games, basic and advanced Scoutcraft, and self-sustainability... plus, the very cool Iron Chef Challenge!

We're sharing the weekend with very experienced friends from Hamilton and Niagara Area Scouting groups. There is warm indoor shelter available 24/7, in case of challenges, and Scouter Andy will be available on cell all weekend. 416-428-4200

Kit list on our website, please USE the Spring list, and be prepared! (check weather) If you're unsure, ask your youth or the leaders... AND, you don't need utensils or plate/bowls, as the patrol boxes have that. (*compare the late fall list to the spring list, if you want to see what changes, and really be prepared*)

We have loaner backpacks, if you would like to use one, and will bring them next Wednesday night.

Please reply to the email with details.

Coming? Yes/No.

(*we will also run some paper copies off for Wednesday night*)

And, please include any other contact details that we should be aware of for that weekend, that are OUTSIDE the emergency contact information placed on the original registration form. (*ie: if Mom/Dad plan to be away, or have updates to Cell#, etc*)

If you can, please send money **in an envelope**, with your name on it.

Cash is preferable, but any cheques should be made payable to "Scouts Canada – 1<sup>st</sup> Binbrook Group". (*collecting and tracking handfuls of loose cash, from 25 different Scouts, is a challenge! ☺*)

Thanks! It's going to be a great weekend!

**Scouter Andy - (905) 692-0693**

