

"TRAIL LUNCH" INSTRUCTIONS TO JUDGES

Patrols entering or ready to leave your area around noon (11:45 to 12:15) should prepare their Klondike Derby Trail Lunch under your supervision. Make certain that they select a suitable location for their fire (no overhanging branches). The Mayor should assign one of his judges to each Patrol for the purpose of scoring the event. Note that there are NO "safe arrival nuggets" and no Scout Spirit points for this event. Just 10 points (maximum) for preparing a lunch that is clearly described in the Event Brochure and on the Score Sheet.

Points are earned by satisfactorily completing the steps noted on the Score Sheet. **Note the footnotes in italics!! The requirement is a cup of hot liquid and a portion of "complex carbohydrates" (noodles and the like) for each Scout. These two requirements may come in the same container! Please read the footnotes carefully.**

Scores for lunch depend on the fire: **No fire, no points...** The Patrol should have fire-building materials with them (the Brochure told them how to Be Prepared for this event) but, if not, allow them to collect natural materials (but no birch bark). Make certain that the hot liquid is indeed hot and that the "pasta" is thoroughly cooked (it is probably pre-cooked if it comes in a can). **Let them prepare and eat their lunch regardless of how long it takes. This is not "just an event"; it is critical to their making it safely though the rest of the day!!**

When lunch is over and clean-up is completed, the judge should fill out the Score Sheet and accompany the Patrol Leader to the Mayor's Office where he will have his Route Card filled in. **Don't let them get away!** The Mayor will also record lunch scores on the Master Lunch Log Sheet.

And, again, this is a scored Derby event. It is inappropriate for adults or Scouts who are not in the Patrol to participate! And this includes chowing down with them!! Be firm...

TRAIL LUNCH SCORE SHEET

Troop # _____ Patrol Name: _____ Mayor's Initials: _____

District: Mohawk MASS Other _____

Build a cooking fire (2 points) _____

Prepare one cup of a hot beverage* for each Patrol member (2) _____

Prepare one portion of hot pasta** for each Patrol member (2) _____

Extinguish the fire and **clean up the area according to city-specific instructions provided by the Mayor or his assistants. (2)** _____

Show good leadership and teamwork (2) _____

TOTAL POINTS AWARDED (10 max): _____

**Hot beverage may include cocoa, tea, soup broth, cider, fruit juice, etc.*

*** Hot pasta may include spaghetti-O's, ravioli, spaghetti, soup noodles, etc.*

*Award 4 points for Cup-A-Soup (or the like) if it has **lots of noodles** (pasta) and a good measure of broth. The requirement is to consume a hot liquid and some complex carbohydrates.*