



2026 Scout Expo Guide



Las Vegas Area Council | Unplugged Adventures
Floyd Lamb Park — 9200 Tule Springs Road, Las Vegas, NV 89131

Friday, October 16th

3 PM.....Friday Camping Check-In Opens
4 PM.....Campsite Setup
7:45 PM.....Entertainment
Immediately following.....Leaders Meeting
10 PM.....Lights Out

Saturday, October 17th

7:20 AM.....Interfaith Service
7:50 AM.....Flag Ceremony
8 AM.....Saturday Check-In
8 AM - 5 PM.....Merit Badges Midway
8 AM - 5 PM.....AOL/WEBLOS Walk
9 AM - 4 PM.....Vendors, Booths, Games & Shop
9 AM - 4 PM.....Food Trucks Open
11:30AM.....VIP/LVAC Board Luncheon
5:50 PM.....Dutch Oven Judging
6:30 PM.....Awards, Music & More
7 PMCampfire Program
10 PM.....Lights Out

Sunday, October 18th

8 AM - 11 PM.....Midway& Walk
8:30 AM.....SpoGomi Competition
1 PM.....Pack up & Departure



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Campsites

Camping is organized by district, with packs and troops split into separate areas within each district (check the map in this guide for layout details). Campsites are assigned by unit size, and you'll receive your unit's assignment prior to Expo.

To keep everything running smoothly, please keep these guidelines in mind:

- **Stay in Your Assigned Spot:** Please do not switch campsites.
- **Pack It In, Pack It Out:** No picnic tables, trash cans, water, or other amenities are provided in the campsites, so bring everything you need. Trash dumpsters are available in the parking lots.
- **Fire & Cooking Safety:** No open fires are allowed in campsites, and all stoves must be kept off the ground. Charcoal is only permitted in park-provided barbecues on a first-come, first-served basis.
- **Tent Setup Rules:** Tent space is tight, so plan assignments accordingly. Per park rules, **no tent stakes are allowed**—bring heavy objects to weight down your tents instead.

Friday Camping Check-In & Arrival

Check-in will begin at 3:00pm on Friday, October 16, 2026. **Please do not arrive early.** Check-in tent will remain open till 8:00pm on Friday. The park locks the gates at 10:00pm. Saturday check-in will start at 8:00am at the Gazebo.

At check-in you need the following items:

- Send only the 1 designated unit leader from your unit to check in at the tent. This is the person who will be onsite and responsible for medical forms for your unit. All others can go directly to the campsite.
- Total number of attendees for your unit. This includes everyone camping and day use for your unit.
- Verify what day and time your unit will be checking out.
- Turn in your "Medical Form Unit Verification Report". <https://bit.ly/mfuvr>
- All A & B Medical forms for your unit will be kept with a designated unit leader, who must be present the entire time your unit is at Scout Expo *including Sunday*.
- A-B Medical forms are required for ALL participants regardless of age. <https://bit.ly/abmedforms>

You will receive the following at check-in:

- Maps, schedules, verify campsite assignment, passports, wristbands and patches for camping and day use & any pre-ordered t-shirts for your unit.
- Should you need to get Day-Use Scouts their wristbands on Saturday, bring individual envelopes to put their wristbands in. Label each envelope with the Scout's full name and unit then leave with the information Gazebo for disbursement.
- Depending on your campsite location, you may be directed to another parking lot. Please keep driving in the park to a minimum.

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Saturday Check-In

Saturday check-in will take place at the information Gazebo located in the vendor area from 8:30am - 2:00pm.

- **If more than one family is registered for a unit and arriving on Saturday, one registered unit leader will receive all items for those attending for the day. It will be their responsibility to distribute to everyone in their unit.** (Should you need to get Scouts their wristbands on Saturday, bring individual envelopes to put their wristbands in. Label each envelope with the Scout's full name and unit then leave with the information Gazebo for disbursement.) You will receive the following at check-in: maps, schedule, passports, wristbands, patches & any pre-ordered T-shirts.

Restricted items

The following are **NOT allowed** at Scout Expo:

- Alcohol
- Golf Carts (Only LVAC Allowed)
- Fireworks
- Pets other than service animals
- Firearms
- **Tent Stakes**
- Glass Containers
- Charcoal (except in Park provided barbeques)
- Smoking in activity and camping areas



	EARLY BIRD			REGISTRATION		DAY OF
	WITH Unit Activity Booth	WITHOUT Unit Activity Booth	Deadline	Fee	Deadline	Fee
Per Youth*	\$20	\$35	Sept 14	\$45	Oct 5	\$50
Per Adult*	\$10	\$15	Sept 14	\$20	Oct 5	\$30
Shirts	\$20	\$20	Sept 14	\$20	Sept 14	N/A

*Pricing applies based on youth or adult, whether attending for the day or staying overnight as campers.



Cancellation / Refund Policy

All Fees for this event are non-refundable but can be transferred to another person in your unit at this event.

Parking Fees-Waived

Tell the guard at the gate you are with Scout Expo to avoid parking charges.

Check-Out

When your unit is ready to check-out, please make sure all trash is taken to the dumpster in the parking lots. Remember to leave the area better than you found it.

Friday Evening Show

Following his featured National Jamboree performance, Eagle Scout and UN Young Leader AY Young brings his clean-energy Battery Tour to our stage! Experience how his Project 17 initiative combines music, global artist collaborations, and sustainability into an unforgettable, high-energy show.

Leaders Meeting-Friday Evening

Friday evening immediately following the dance party we will hold a brief leader meeting at the stage. Please have at least one leader from your unit attend this meeting for any last-minute information.

Activity Booths & Passports

On Saturday from 9:00am - 4:00pm Scouts can participate in free activities such as: games, archery, and Unit booth activities. Scouts who pick up and complete a passport at check-in should be directed to the Gazebo to claim their prize.

Food Vendors

- **Friday:** No food service will be available.
- **Saturday:** Food Trucks will be selling food from approximately 9am – 4pm.
- **Sunday:** No food service will be available.

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Interfaith Service

Join us for this year's Interfaith Service. Join us for this year's Interfaith Service as Scouts come together to honor diverse faith traditions while embracing our shared values and common purpose. This service brings our voices together in reflection, song, and commitment to the values that guide us. Interfaith Service will be held this year on Saturday morning from 7:20am-7:50am at the main stage.

Merit Badge Midway

Merit Badge classes are located around the lake. Scouts should go directly to their class; there is no need to check in at the Merit Badge booth. Attendance will be taken at the beginning of class. Most classes are full prior to the start of the weekend. Changes and class registration will be handled at the white tent near the restrooms. *Independent merit badge paperwork must be dropped off **before** 9:00am at the merit badge tent and will be ready for pickup on Monday, October 19, 2026 **after** 9:30am at the Council Office.* Register at: <https://scoutinglvac.org/scoutexpo/#mbm>

Webelos-AOL Walk

Webelos-AOL Walk will be taking place behind the Gazebo. Scouts should go directly to their class; there is no need to check in at the Webelos-AOL Walk table. Attendance will be taken at the beginning of class. Most classes are full prior to the start of the weekend. Changes to classes will be handled at the white tent behind the Gazebo.

Unit Scout Competitions

Ready for some friendly competition? Throughout the day on Saturday, Scouts can put their skills to the test in Scout History, Orienteering, Obstacle Course, Dutch Oven cooking, Knots, and First Aid with divisions open for both Cub Scouts and Scouts BSA.

Gather your crew, test your unit's grit, and jump into the fun. Refer to page 7 for details.

Dutch Oven Cook-off

Fun and friendly culinary competition designed to showcase adult leaders' creativity and skills in Dutch Oven cooking. Entries are for adults (18+) and Unit (Pack or Troop) and must fall into one of the three categories: Main Dishes, Breakfasts or Desserts.

For more information on rules, guidelines and registration, go to <https://www.scoutinglvac.org/scoutexpo/#Dutch>

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Saturday Evening Show

This event will be your Pack, Troop, and Crew's opportunity to shine in the spotlight! If your unit wishes to participate, please submit your unit's skit or song on or before the Leaders Meeting on October 17, 2026 or by emailing: deannagreene25@yahoo.com. Your skit must be memorized.

SpoGomi Service Project Competition

SpoGomi is a high-energy team sport where collecting trash becomes a competitive game. Teams work together within a set time limit to pick up, sort, and weigh litter within a designated area. Scoring points based on the type and amount of waste collected. It's all about strategy, fast teamwork, and keeping our parks clean while going for the win.

Trading Post-LVAC

The LVAC Trading Post will be open on Saturday from 9:00am – 4:00pm near the Gazebo. Come pick up all your Las Vegas Area Council items and don't forget about our \$5 grab bags.

Scout Shop-National

The Scout Shop will be open on Saturday from 9:00am – 4:00pm.

Special orders can be placed prior to Expo for pickup on Saturday at the event. Orders can be placed using our online order form <https://scouting.jotform.com/201336348054046> or emailed to lasvegasscoutshop@scouting.org no later than **Friday, October 16, 2026 at noon**.

Scout Expo T-Shirt

We will distribute all t-shirts for your unit to the designated Unit Leader at check-in. Those whose units pre-ordered t-shirts can pick them up at check-in Friday evening or on Saturday starting at 9:00am at the gazebo. A limited number of shirts will be available for purchase at the LVAC Trading Post Expo booth at the event.



Scout Competitions Guide

Unit competitions are open to both Packs and Troops, and an adult leader must accompany each unit throughout the events. Youth may participate in as many activities as they wish, though we encourage every Scout to try at least one. Please note that score sheets remain at each station and will be collected at the end of the event.

Scoring & Spirit

- **Event Points:** Points are awarded to the top 10 finishers in each event (10th place = 1 pt., 1st place = 10 pts.).
- **Bonus Spirit Points:** Units can earn up to 10 extra points for showing outstanding Scout Spirit by energetic cheers, and proudly displayed unit and patrol flags.

Event Details

First Aid

- **Troop and Packs (4-5 Scouts or Cub Scouts):** A medical scenario will be provided to the scouts and cub scouts that they will have to provide first aid for. Judging will be done to score the scouts on how well they responded to the scenario.

Orienteering

- **Troops and Packs (3-5 Scouts or Cub Scouts):** Follow bearings and distances across 5 checkpoints to find the correct custom hole punch for their course card. Scouts will be provided bearings and distances while Cub Scouts will be provided a map with visual landmarks.

Knots

- **Troops (6 Scouts):** Relay race to tie a bowline, two half-hitches, taut-line hitch, timber hitch, clove hitch, and sheet bend sequentially. Timed until all knots pass inspection.
- **Packs (4 Cub Scouts):** Square knot relay! Each Scout ties a square knot to form a loop, linking onto the previous loop to build a rope chain. Timed upon completion.

Scout Quiz

- **Troops & Packs (Open to all youth):** An open-handbook trivia challenge (25 questions for Troops, 10 for Packs). Scored on accuracy first, then speed.

Obstacle Course

- **Troops (4 Scouts) & Packs (3 Cub Scouts):** Teams race through the course individually. Placements are based on total time for all scouts to complete the course.

Dutch Oven Cookoff

- **Troops Only:** Showcase your campfire culinary skills to earn extra competition points for your unit



Medical Form Unit Verification Report



Event Location: _____ Date: _____

Unit Type: ☐ Pack ☐ Boy Troop ☐ Girl Troop ☐ Crew ☐ Ship Unit Number: _____

District: ☐ Metro North ☐ Metro South ☐ Metro West ☐ River Mountain ☐ Outreach ☐ Other: _____

Unit Leader Name: _____ Cell Number: _____

(Person Holding Medical Forms during event)

☐ I have received medical forms for all persons in my unit that are attending this event and are listed below, and understand it is my responsibility to keep these forms in my possession while attending this event.

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COUNCIL VERIFICATION

Verified by Council Rep Name: _____

Council Rep Signature: _____ Date: _____

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