

# Pioneering To The Centennial

No trek has ever been so hard as the one to build a new home. Join the “Pioneers of Scouting” as they take you on a journey through the years October 16-18, 2009, at Camp Krietenstein. Experience the thrills of living the life as you “journey west” to settle new frontiers and stake your claim on an unknown future. Face the treacherous flatlands of the plains and the storms of the journey as your skills are put to the test. Build up the moral of your handcart company (troop/patrol) as they will need all the songs, games and fun necessary to make it through to their new home. We invite you to join us on this journey. A journey of self-discovery and to lay the foundations of the future.

Some of the skills needed to successfully make the trek across the plains is a willingness to face any injury that may be found and save the lives of those in your company if needed. Additionally, it’s hard to see a compass at night. Can you still find your way? But, you can’t make it there unless you eat. Do you have that magic touch at the chow wagon? “Company Elders” (Adult Leaders), feel like trying your hand at some of the tasks at hand?

Not only will stations be set up for patrols/troops to compete. But, individuals will have an opportunity to stake their claim as the best amongst all the companies. Stations will be scored not only by time, but by accuracy of the task. At some stations, speed may not even be the criteria for scoring. Do you really know your scout skills?

Think you have an artistic touch? Help us design the patch for this camporee. Submit your ideas to Jason Lopez at [rattler0812@gmail.com](mailto:rattler0812@gmail.com) by 10:00 p.m. on September 12, 2009. Any entry received after that time will not be accepted.



Does your Varsity Team or Venture Crew want to help with running this camporee? Contact Rich Tensmeyer at [tensmeyer@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tensmeyer@sbcglobal.net). With many stations for patrol and individual competition, we welcome all hands willing to help.

