

Welcome to Winterfest 2019! Thousands of participants are gathered to experience what Venturing and Exploring are all about.

Winterfest brings the opportunity to meet new people, rekindle old or make new friendships, learn different skills, share ideas, compete against other units, but most importantly have fun!

For everyone's safety, please follow all the rules. If you have any questions or concerns please let one of our staff members know and we will be glad to assist you.

Christiane Fletcher, Venturing Chair
Meah Veraart, Exploring Chair

Late Night Partners - discounted tickets can be purchased at the registration booth on Friday

WonderWorks

Open until midnight on Friday. Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday open until 9 pm

Ripley's

Friday night 7 pm—midnight for Scouts. Thursday, Saturday and Sunday, normal operating hours.

Zip Gatlinburg

Friday night 8 pm - midnight (schedule your time at our registration desk). If weather permits, Zip Gatlinburg may be open for Scouts on Saturday. You will need to contact them to make arrangements for Saturday.



SCHEDULE

FRIDAY	
9:00 AM - 11:00 PM	Registration, check-in, and conference material pick-up - Convention Center Lobby
3:00 - 6:00 PM and Immediately after opening ceremony	Tournament, Team, and Individual Event Sign-up (Available Registered events only as space allows) - Convention Center Lobby
Noon - 10:00 PM	Event Leader Check-in - Ticket Booth opposite Convention Center Ballrooms C/D
7:00 - 10:00 PM	Safety Briefings - Shooting Sports - Convention Ctr. Ballroom C, last class starts at 9:00
7:00 - 10:00 PM	Southern Region Venturing Reception - Convention Ctr. Gatlinburg B
9:00 PM	Opening Ceremony in Convention Center Exhibit Hall 1 - Everyone encouraged to attend
Immediately after opening ceremony	Dance - Convention Center Ballroom B
9:30 PM	Advisor's Briefing - Convention Center Mills Auditorium, one representative from each unit should attend
Immediately after opening ceremony	Talent Show Auditions - Conv. Ctr. Exhibit Hall 1 (Audience Welcome)
Immediately after opening ceremony	Honor Guard Competition - Convention Center Ballroom A
10:00 PM	Law Enforcement Event Briefing - Mills Auditorium (only one Explorer and Advisor per Post)
10:00 PM	Fire and EMS Event Briefing - Convention Center Rooms 1-3 (only one Explorer and Advisor per Post)
1:00 AM	Curfew - Everyone in their own room
SATURDAY	
7:00 AM	Bus will start ONLY for 8 & 8:30 AM Shooting Sports participants; all other buses to begin at 7:30 AM
7:30 - 9:00 AM	Registration and Check-in - Convention Center Lobby
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Competitions and Events (As Scheduled)
8:00 AM	Safety Briefing - Shooting Sports - Convention Center Ballroom C
8:00 PM	Venturing Roundtable - Convention Center Ballroom D
8:00 PM	Explorer Roundtable - Convention Center Ballroom C
9:00 PM	Closing Ceremony, Talent Show Finals, and Competitive Events Award Presentation - Convention Center Halls - 1 and 2 (Doors open at 8:00 PM)
Immediately after closing ceremony (to Midnight)	Dance - Convention Center - Ballroom A
1:00 AM	Curfew - Everyone in their own room
SUNDAY	
There are a variety of worship options available for you and your youth. Be sure to use the Gatlinburg Chamber of Commerce to find the church/synagogue of your choice.	
Advisors and contingent leaders are responsible for checking conditions of each room before check-out. Individuals will be responsible for all damages and charges to their rooms. Thanks for your participation and have a safe trip home.	

**SEE YOU NEXT YEAR → Feb 7 - Feb 9, 2020
ALSO MAKE PLANS FOR → Feb 5 - Feb 7, 2021**

TRANSPORTATION

Shuttles: Run from 7:30 AM-5:30 PM Saturday and will travel the following circuits:

- [1] Convention Center > Community Center
- [2] Sportsman's Club > Convention Center

Travel time one way may take approximately **30 minutes** to complete. **TWO** shuttles are designated for the Sportsman's Club and **ONE** shuttle for the Community Center. **Please note that you will be transferred to a van to get to the Sportsman's Club. The total trip time will be more than 30 minutes. Plan accordingly.**

Gatlinburg Convention Center -
234 Historic Nature Trail, Gatlinburg, TN
GPS: 35.708947, -83.518152

Mynatt Park
634 Asbury Lane, Gatlinburg, TN
GPS: 35.701281, -83.514483
From Convention Center, walk up Historic Nature Trail/Airport Road 0.5 mile. Mynatt Park is on your right. (Parking available)

Pi Beta Phi Elementary School
125 Cherokee Orchard Rd, Gatlinburg, TN
GPS: 35.7113858, -83.5122602
From Convention Center, walk down Historic Nature Trail to US-441 (Parkway) and turn right. Travel about 0.4 mile and turn right at Traffic Light 6, Cherokee Orchard Road. The school will be on your left.

Gatlinburg Community Center
156 Proffitt Road, Gatlinburg, TN
GPS: 35.734843, -83.446687
From Convention Center, take US-321 North (Parkway to East Parkway). Travel 4.2 miles. Turn left toward Proffitt Rd. Pittman High School is approximately 0.2 miles away, the Community Center is to the right of the high school behind the baseball field. (Parking available)

Mills Park
339 Proffitt Road, Gatlinburg, TN
GPS: 35.737943, -83.450196
From Convention Center, take US-321 North (Parkway to East Parkway). Travel 5 miles, turn Left onto Mills Park Road. The park will be about 0.4 miles ahead. (Parking available)



First Aid Information

A First Aid Station will be located in the Convention Center, downstairs between Halls 1 and 2.

Reminder: No outside food may be brought into the convention center.



WINTERFEST 2019 CELEBRATION AND AWARDS
is sponsored by Trail's End Popcorn
Be sure to participate in your unit's annual Popcorn Sale and earn your way to Winterfest.
Contact your local Council Service Center for more details.

Winterfest is hosted by Northeast Georgia Council, BSA
bsawinterfest.org
www.nega-bsa.org

Make sure to visit our vendor booths!



POCKET GUIDE

Feb 8 - 10, 2019

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Our Facebook page will be the primary means of communication during Winterfest. This includes any schedule changes and updates; however, those will be sent via Remind as well.

2019 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Time	Friday Events	Location	
After Opening	Honor Guard Competition	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom A	*
1 PM - 5 PM	Domestic Violence	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 4	*
1 PM - 5 PM	Domestic Violence Trial	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 5	*
1 PM - 5 PM	Employment Interview Practical	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 1	*
After Opening	EMS Combat Challenge - Practical	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	*
1 PM - 5 PM	Officer Survival	Conv. Ctr. - Elkmont	*
1 PM - 5 PM	Officer Down	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 9	*
1 PM - 5 PM	Uniform Inspection	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 10	*
1 PM - 5 PM	Warrant Service	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 11	*
6 PM - 8 PM	Fire Event walk through	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*
7 PM - 9 PM	Safety Briefing - Shooting Sports (last class begins at 9)	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom C	R
Begins at 1 PM	Scavenger Hunt (Photo Challenge)	Next to Fireplace Ballroom B	WU
7 PM - 10 PM	Southern Reg Venturing Reception	Conv. Ctr. - Gatlinburg B	WU
After Opening	Talent Show Audition	Conv. Ctr. - Exhibit Hall 1	WU
Time	Saturday Events	Location	
8 AM - 4 PM	3 Gun	Conv. Ctr. - Loading Dock	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Accident Investigation	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Action Figure Bungee Jumping	Conv. Ctr. Ballroom C	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Active Shooter	Mills Auditorium Service Area	*
8 AM - 4 PM	Air Rifle	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 1	WU
Begins at 4 PM	Air Rifle Shoot-off	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 1	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Amateur Radio Station	Conv. Ctr. - Fireplace Outside Ballroom A	WU
1:30 - 2:30 PM	Anchor Dive	Community Center	WU
8 AM - 3:30 PM	Archery Free/Match Shoot	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 1	WU
Begins at 4 PM	Archery Shoot-off	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 1	*
1 PM - 4 PM	Basketball (4 on 4) (Bracketed)	Community Center	R
8 AM - 5 PM	Batteries	Conv. Ctr. Ballroom C	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Bleeding Wounds and Shock (Practical)	Conv. Ctr. Outside Rm. 12	*
9:30 AM - 10 AM	Bleeding Wounds and Shock (Exam)	Glenstone Lodge	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Bomb Threat Response	Conv. Ctr. - Rms. 2 & 3	*
8 AM - 5 PM*	Bouldering	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	WU
10 AM - 5 PM	Bowling (Team)	Community Center	R
8 AM - 5 PM	Burglary in Progress	Conv. Ctr. - Gatlinburg A	*
10 AM - 11 AM	Canoe Relay	Community Center	WU
9 AM - 12:15 PM	Cardboard Boat Regatta (9-11 construct boat / 11-12:15 race)	Community Center	R
1 PM - 3 PM	Cardiac Arrest Management (Practical)	Glenstone Lodge	*
9 AM - 9:30 AM	Cardiac Arrest Management (Exam)	Glenstone Lodge	*
10 AM-12 PM	Cast Iron Chef	Mynatt Park	R
8 AM - 5 PM	Catapults	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom C	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Caving Challenge - Squeeze Box	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	City Navigation	Information Desk	WU
8 AM - 5 PM*	Climbing Wall	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	WU
8 AM - 11 AM	Cornhole Tournament (Bracketed)	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 1	R
8 AM - 5 PM*	Crate Stacking	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Crime Scene Competition	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 6	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Denver Drill	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*
10 AM - 4 PM	Disc Golf	Mills Park Golf Course	WU
1 PM - 4 PM	Dodgeball (Bracketed)	Pi Beta Phi Elementary School Gym	R
8 AM - 5 PM	Domestic Violence	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 4	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Domestic Violence Trial	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 5	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Driving Simulator	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Drug Identification	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom B	*
8 AM - 5 PM	DUI Traffic Stop	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Egg Drop	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom C	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Employment Interview Practical	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 1	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Felony Traffic Stop	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*
8 AM - 4 PM	Fox Hunt Challenge	Conv. Ctr. - Fireplace Outside Ballroom A	WU
10 AM - 5 PM	Gaming	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 12	WU
2:30 - 3:30 PM	Heaving Line	Community Center	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Horsepower	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom C	WU
8 AM - 12:30 PM	Hungry, Hungry Hippos	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom A	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Interview and Interrogation	Event Registration Booth	*
2:30 - 3:30 PM	Knot Tying Relay	Community Center	WU
9 AM - 10 AM	Law Enforcement Written Exam	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom D	*
1:30 - 2:30 PM	Lifeguard Relay	Community Center	WU

Time	Saturday Events	Location	
1 PM - 4 PM	Live Mario Karts	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom A	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Man with a Gun	Conv. Ctr. - Gatlinburg B	*
2:30 - 3:30 PM	Mariner's Quiz	Community Center	WU
9 AM - 1 PM	Medical Emergency Management (Practical)	Glenstone Lodge	*
8:30 AM - 9 AM	Medical Emergency Management (Exam)	Glenstone Lodge	*
8 AM - 1 PM	Moot Court	Glenstone Lodge	R
8 AM - 5 PM	Officer Down	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 9	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Officer Survival	Conv. Ctr. - Elkmont	*
8 AM - 4:30 PM*	Outdoor Range Event Pistol, Rifle, or Shotgun	Sportsman's Club	R
8 AM - 4 PM*	Outdoor Range Event Tomahawk / Knife Throw	Sportsman's Club	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Paper Rockets	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom C	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Pittsburgh Drill	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Quidditch	Pi Beta Phi Elementary Soccer Field	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Rapid Dress - Team / Individual	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Rapid Rescue and Resuscitate	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*
8 AM - 5 PM*	Rappelling	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	WU
1:30 - 2:30 PM	Ring Buoy Toss	Community Center	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Robbery in Progress	Hall behind Concession 1	*
10 AM - 3:30 PM	Rock, Paper, Scissors Tournament	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom A	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Roller Coaster Building	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom C	WU
8 AM - 5 PM*	Rope Climb	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	WU
8 PM - 9 PM	Roundtable - Exploring	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom C	WU
8 PM - 9 PM	Roundtable - Venturing	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom D	WU
10 AM - 11 AM	Rubber Ducky Regatta	Community Center	WU
8:00 AM	Safety Briefing - Shooting Sports	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom C	R
Ends at 4 PM	Scavenger Hunt (Photo Challenge)	Next to Fireplace Outside Ballroom B	WU
8 AM - 4 PM	Selfie Scavenger Hunt	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom A	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Suspicious Death Investigation	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom B	*
Set up 7:30 AM	Tabletop Displays	Mills Auditorium Foyer	WU
8 AM - Noon	Tactical Fitness Challenge - Ind.	Mills Auditorium	*WU
9 AM - 1 PM	Trauma Emergency Management (Practical)	Glenstone Lodge	*
8 AM - 8:30 AM	Trauma Emergency Management (Exam)	Glenstone Lodge	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Triple Lay	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 1 Service Area	*
8 AM - 11 AM	Ultimate (Bracketed)	Pi Beta Phi Elementary School Gym	R
8 AM - 5 PM	Uniform Inspection	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 10	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Unknown Trouble	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 8	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Use of Force - Red Man	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 7	*
8 AM - 5 PM*	V-Squeeze and V-Swing	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	WU
8 AM - 5 PM	Vent, Enter, Search	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 2	*
10 AM - 11 AM	Veterinarian Written Exam	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom D	R
1 PM - 4 PM	Veterinarian Practical Exam	Conv. Ctr. - Ballroom D	*
10 AM - Noon	Volleyball (Bracketed)	Community Center	R
8 AM - 5 PM	Warrant Service	Conv. Ctr. - Rm. 11	*
8 AM - 5 PM	Z-Drage	Conv. Ctr. - Hall 3	*

*** Events with times shown in red will be closed between noon and 1:00 pm for lunch.**

* - restricted **WU** - Walk-up event **R** - Registered Event

