2012 Westview District Fall Camporee

Where: **Grantsville Reservoir**
When: **September 14-15, 2012 (Check-in begins at 5 pm)**
Cost: **$6 youth & adults ($1 late fee after Sept. 5)**

We are camping just west of the reservoir in the campground overflow. There is a restroom, but no water provided. We will have a community beef stew dinner, evening activities and a service project on Saturday morning. We will finish up around 10:30 am.

Schedule of Events: **Friday, September 14:**

5:00 – 7:30 pm	**Registration / Check-in / Camp Set-up**
6:00 – 7:30 pm	**Community Stew** – Each troop may participate in a "Community Stew" evening meal, see details below.
7:30 – 7:45 pm	**Senior Patrol Leader's Meeting** – don't miss out on important instructions and information.
8:00 – 10:30 pm	**Camp Activities, Astronomy Star Party**
10:30 – 11:00 pm	**Lights Out - Quiet Time**

Saturday, September 15:

7:00 – 8:30 am	**Breakfast** – Troops may want to break camp prior to service project. However, please don't be late!
8:45 am	**Flag ceremony**
9:00 – 10:00 am	**Service Project** – Clearing weeds, fire pits and garbage, bring gloves and some garden tools (rakes, hoes, shovels, gas-powered weed-eaters).
10:30 am	**Check-out** – Troops are dismissed

ONCE AGAIN, REGISTRATION WILL BE DONE ONLINE. PLEASE DO SO EARLY!

TELESCOPES WANTED:

We hope to have several amateur volunteers bring their telescopes to help with celestial observations and identifications. We will have a special patch for those

that come out to help. We plan to accomplish some requirements for the Astronomy Merit Badge and 1st Class Rank Adv. #1.

Directions to Grantsville Reservoir:

Take Hwy 201 to westbound I-80. Turn off at exit 99 to Tooele/Stansbury Park. Turn right to Grantsville just before you reach Stansbury Park. Drive through Grantsville to the last road on the left (at the end of town). Turn south on the Grantsville-Rush Valley Road. A few miles from town, take the first paved road to the right (North Willow Creek Road). Stay on the pavement and it will take you right up to the reservoir. Camping is inside the fenced area west of the reservoir.

Community Stew Information:

Each troop may participate in a "Community Stew" evening meal. District staff will set up several large, heated Dutch ovens. Each Troop that would like to participate brings one can of beef stew per scout to the dinner. Each scout pours in one can of stew and then takes out a can's worth from the combined Dutch oven mixture. The stew mix is constantly changing, depending on the ingredients that are put in! The District will provide breadsticks for those that sign up. **Each troop must bring your own bowls and utensils, and supply their own water or beverage**.

Important Notes:

- **THERE IS NO WATER AVAILABLE. PLEASE BRING SUFFICIENT WATER TO MEET YOUR NEEDS DURING THE CAMPOREE.**

- **First aid –** each troop is expected to have a first aid kit for minor injuries. Injuries that cannot be handled by the troop should be reported immediately to District staff.

- **Latrines** – restroom facilities will be available at the campsite.

- **Trash & Garbage** – each unit will provide their own trash bags and remove all refuse from their campsite. Please follow the rules of NO TRACE CAMPING**!**

- **No Fires** – because of the dry conditions there are no fires allowed except in the limited improved campsites. Cooking should be done on propane stoves.

- **Bring Work Gloves, Tools for Service Project** – we will be emptying fire rings, picking up trash and cutting down weeds. Please come prepared to help leave the camp better than we find it!