

SURVIVOR

WILL YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES?



Scout Survivor 2019

What is Survivor 2019?

Survivor is one of the toughest and most challenging activity on the Scout Calendar. Teams of 4 Scouts will be put through their paces to see if they can survive 'The Crash'. Scouts will need to deal with the survival scenario, locate missing objects and overcome any challenges they are faced with, all this with only limited resources.

Each team will receive a 'Skills Pack' at the end of the weekend containing all the skills cards and technical information used over the weekend. These packs can be used to complement programme and transfer knowledge back to the rest of the Troop.

What do we need to do?

Your team will need to decide which one of the skill levels you would like to sign up for. All of the levels offer your team great opportunities to explore and learn new survival skills.

When you sign up you will receive an information on certain skills you may wish to practice.

Please ensure that you prepare appropriately for the level you are taking part in.

Alpha Survivor:

At this level the participants will only be allowed to bring the required list of equipment. This level is not for the faint hearted, Alpha survivors will have to build shelters, prepare and cook food with no utensils and live in the wilderness. As with all the levels there will be opportunities for the participants to learn new skills. Stage 5 of the backwoods adventure skill is a guide for this level. Participants will be instructed on sections from this level and above.

All teams signed up for Alpha will need to complete a skills challenge on Friday night before they continue with the challenge.

Beta Survivor:

At this level participants will be allowed bring a limited number of extra equipment and food. Participants will learn the skills needed to progress to Alpha survivor. Stage 4 of the backwoods adventure skill is a guide for this level. Participants will be instructed on sections from this level and above.

What is the cost?

The cost of the activity will be a €120 per team of 4 Scouts plus one Scouter. This fee will include camping fees, programme and food for the weekend.

Do we need a Scouter?

One Scouter is required per group; these Scouters will help the organising staff run the programme over the weekend.

The Scouter Subcamp will be in Castleconnell Campsite.

Scouters will be catered for, but will be required to provide their own Tentage.

Cost per Scouter is included in the team cost.

Where and when will it be held?

The activity will be held in Castleconnell Campsite in Limerick from the 18th to 20th October.



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How do we book in?

Bookings for a team event have to be made by the group on the MMS.
Manage group /Events

How do we prepare for the event?

You and your team should practice elements of the backwoods adventure skills and be able to build shelters and cook food using methods in the Scouting Trail.
Additional relevant information and suggestions will be sent out after booking.

What equipment do we need to bring?

Please note that at all levels the participants will be moving location over the weekend and will need to be able to fit this in their bag and carry it.

Required Personal Equipment: (all Levels)

Raingear
Hat
Gloves
Boots
Warm fleece
2 x Changes of clothes (one set packed in a separate plastic bag and left with the accompanying Scouter)
Sleeping bag
Ground mat
Survival bag
Torch
Plate or bowl
Cup and cutlery
Rucksack
Penknife
Water bottle 2lt (filled)
Small toiletries bag
Personal first aid kit

Axe and Saw (folding saw is best)
Trowel
Toilet Paper (1 roll)
4 x 3 meter lengths of rope
Hand sanitizer gel/wipes
Fire Blanket

Beta (Scout) Level Team Equipment, as Alpha plus;

2 x chocolate bars
Tarp
Sisal
Spare survival bag

Alpha (Scout) Level Team Equipment:

Note book and Pencil
Washing up liquid
Tea Towel
Flint and steel
2 x plastic bags (strong)



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