Scouting For Food Guidelines 2020

1. Cub Scouts
   a. Cub scout packs must have permission from their chartered organization in writing before any member is allowed to participate in door hanger distribution or food collection.
   b. Cub scouts will only be allowed to distribute door hangers and collect food within their own neighborhoods.
   c. Cub scouts will only be allowed to participate in door hanger distribution and food collection with members of their immediate family / household.
   d. Cub scout packs should encourage their members to participate in the Scouting For Food campaign, but may not organize door hanger distribution or food collection as a unit.
   e. Multiple scouts may not work together unless they are siblings from the same household.
   f. Participants must follow all physical distancing and sanitizing guidelines set-forth by the PA Department of Health and the CDC, including wearing face coverings and maintaining a six foot physical separation from those outside of their immediate household members.
   g. Participants are highly encouraged to wear latex or nitrile gloves during the door hanger distribution and food collection.
   h. Adults who are accompanying a scout during the door hanger distribution or food collection must carry CDC approved hand sanitizer and encourage their scout(s) to use it regularly.
   i. Packs are encouraged to establish a drive-in contactless collection site on the day of food collection where members of the community can bring food items for donation (see collection site guidelines for more information.)
2. Scouts BSA, Venturing Crews
   a. Scouts BSA troops, crews, and ships must have permission from their chartered organization in writing before any member is allowed to participate in door hanger distribution or food collection.
   b. Scouts are encouraged to participate in door hanger distribution and food collection with members of their immediate family / household.
   c. Each participant must complete a health screening questionnaire before they participate in door hanger distribution or food collection. Those who answer YES to any question, will not be allowed to participate.
   d. Immediately prior to the event, all participants must be screened for symptoms of Covid-19, including having their temperature taken. Those showing any symptoms, or who have a fever above 100.0 °F will not be allowed to attend or participate.
   e. Participants must follow all physical distancing and sanitizing guidelines set-forth by the PA Department of Health and the CDC, including wearing face coverings and maintaining a six foot physical separation.
   f. Participants are highly encouraged to wear latex or nitrile gloves during the door hanger distribution and food collection. Troops, crews, and ships are encouraged to provide gloves to their members prior to participation.
   g. Transportation – We recommend transportation by members of the same household, limiting carpooling where possible. If carpooling with members outside of the same family, masks must be worn, and every vehicle must have CDC approved hand sanitizer available. Refer to CDC guidelines for updated practices.
   h. Troops, crews, and ships are encouraged to establish a drive-in contactless collection site on the day of food collection where members of the community can bring food items for donation (see collection site guidelines for more information.)
3. Collection Sites
   a. Each participant must complete a health screening questionnaire before they participate in door hanger distribution or food collection. Those who answer YES to any question, will not be allowed to participate.
   b. Immediately prior to the event, all participants must be screened for symptoms of Covid-19, including having their temperature taken. Those showing any symptoms, or who have a fever above 100.0 °F will not be allowed to attend or participate.
   c. Participants must follow all physical distancing and sanitizing guidelines set-forth by the PA Department of Health and the CDC, including wearing face coverings and maintaining a six foot physical separation. The number of participants at each location must be limited to ensure that physical distancing is possible.
   d. Participants must wear latex or nitrile gloves during the food collection. Extra gloves must be available at the site.
   e. CDC approved hand sanitizer must be available at each collection location. Participants should be encouraged to use it regularly.
   f. Donors must stay in their cars. If they are not wearing masks, they must keep windows up when in the proximity of any scout or adult participant.
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COVID-19 Screening Questionnaire

BEFORE ENTERING A MEETING OR EVENT, ANY ATTENDEE, INCLUDING SCOUTS, LEADERS, OR OTHER VISITORS MUST HAVE A COMPLETED SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE AND UNDERGO A TEMPERATURE CHECK.

Any person with a temperature of or above 100.0 F or with a YES answer to a question below will not be admitted to the meeting/activity.

Name: _______________________________________________ (Circle one): Youth Adult

Unit Type (circle one): Pack  Troop  Crew  Ship  Unit #: _______ other _____________

Unit Leader: ___________________________________________ Date: ____________

The following questions MUST be answered by the Adult participant or by parent/legal guardian of youth under age 18. “You” refers to the person requesting entrance to the meeting/event/property.

YES  NO Are you or anyone in your household experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 including fever or chills, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, or diarrhea? (List as per CDC website 8/3)

YES  NO Did you take any medications to lower a fever in the past 24 hours?

YES  NO Have you been in close contact (within 6 feet for 10 minutes or more) with anyone who tested positive for COVID-19 in the past 14 days? **Healthcare professionals who work in a facility with a defined PPE and COVID-19 testing/monitoring policy in place can answer no to this question.**

YES  NO Have you traveled to any of the following states in the past 14 days? Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Nevada, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and Utah. (List as of 8/3)

I acknowledge that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Any person answering yes to any of the above questions will not be admitted to the meeting/activity/property. I understand that these questions are intended to reduce the potential of, but cannot eliminate, exposure to COVID-19. I agree to contact COL if this participant tests positive for COVID-19 within 14 days of attendance at a meeting, activity, or council property.

Signature of Person completing form: ____________________________________________

If Parent/Guardian - Name of Person completing form & Relationship: ________________________________

Contact phone number: ___________________________ Contact email: ________________________________

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Temperature at check- in: ___________________________ Initialed: ______ Date: ____________