

Troop 292
Program Plan
2020-2021 Season

Month	Trip	Theme	Good Turn
September	Bike Trip (Airline Trail)	Outdoor Activities	Firefighter Memorial Planting <i>(plus Manchester Yard Rebuild)</i>
October	Whitewater Rafting	Wilderness Survival/ Shelter Building	PTA Spooktacular
November	Turkey Roast (Lions Den)	TBD	Scouting for Food
December	Backpacking <i>(multi-level)</i>	TBD	Salvation Army Bell Ringing
January	Chill Trip (Director's Lodge)	TBD	Kiwanis Winter Carnival
February	Klondike <i>(Lions Den?)</i>	TBD	Pet Drive
March	Crossover Trip (Carter Lodge)	TBD	Kid's Kloset
April	Pioneering Trip <i>(Fort Friendship)</i> <i>(plus Chuckwagon)</i>	TBD	Roadside Cleanup
May	Spring Camporee <i>(Shooting)</i>	TBD	Stamp Out Hunger/Legion Flags/Parade
June	Clark's Trading Post	TBD	Touch-A-Truck
July	Camp Bell & Hidden Valley	Summer Camp	Service Project @ Camp
August	Beach Campout	TBD	Beach cleanup

Troop Goals for the 2020-21 Season:

From the Scouts:

- More participation (on trips & service projects).
- Fewer service projects.
- Trips & activities related to advancement (merit badges & rank).
- Recruiting more scouts.
- Encourage advancement.
- Skills instruction tied to advancement (ranks or merit badges).
- Switch to shorter-term planning for troop meetings (more nimble – not planned for the entire year).
- Newer trip ideas.

From the Scoutmaster:

- Better skills instruction / More consistently prepared instructors.
- Maximize attendance at summer camp.

Potential “Extra” Trips / Day Trips / “Bring A Buddy” Trips 2020-21

(Talk to your Patrol Leader, pitch it to the PLC!!)

EXTRA/BACKUP FULL-WEEKEND TRIPS:

- Battleship Cove / Intrepid / Other historic ship Trip
- Geocaching Trip
- Historic Fort Trip
- NASA/Space Weekend
- Mountain Biking Weekend
- Weekend Camping Trip to Bear Brook / Queechee Gorge / New England Base Camp
- Orienteering Weekend
- Niagara Falls Trip
- Rock Climbing Weekend
- Adirondacks Backpacking Weekend

POTENTIAL DAY TRIPS:

- Troop Picnic
- Helicopter Trip
- Mountain Biking
- Patriots / Red Sox / Celtics / Bruins Game
- Rock Climbing