

# Onondaga Cave State Park Scout Patch Program Application

Directions: Print application from website, read application thoroughly, fill in blanks, sign as acknowledged, and return application to the park. This must be done before a confirmation will be considered. If you cannot print the application, please call the park and an application will be mailed to you.

Name of scout group (i.e. – Troop #, Westside Elementary Scouts, etc.)

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Name of leader \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number and email address of leader

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Number of participants (Please note that the number of children should be much higher than the number of adults.)

Children \_\_\_\_\_ Adults \_\_\_\_\_

Age of participants

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Will you be camping in the park? \_\_\_\_\_

Does your group or any participants in your group have special needs that will require different accommodations in order to complete the program? \_\_\_\_\_

Please specify \_\_\_\_\_

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Which cave do you prefer to tour? (circle one)

**Note: Cathedral Cave is only open between May 15 and September 15**

Onondaga Cave (electrically lit) or Cathedral Cave (flashlight tour – bring own light)  
(Cave tour preference is filled on a first-come, first-served basis)

# Notes for the Onondaga Scout Patch Program

1. In order to earn the patch, this program must be completed in its entirety during the two-day weekend. No parts can be completed at a later date.
2. Substitution of requirements is not allowed. Special needs will be accommodated, but must be addressed in advance.
3. Reservation of the special use camp is filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Please be aware that there will be mixed ages and genders in the special use camp. "Regular" campsites may be reserved as well using the state park reservation system.
4. There is a limit of 50 total participants. Participants will be chosen on a first-come, first-served basis.
5. This program must be completed by the scout - not the leader or parent. An Onondaga staff member must verify that requirements have been completed and initial requirement sheet.
6. Onondaga Scout Patch Program Requirements: tour one of the show caves and complete the "Cave Quiz" (Note: previous cave tours do not count), hike either the Deer Run Trail, Vilander Bluff, or Oak Ridge Trail, attend the Saturday evening program, and complete a pre-determined 3-hour service project

## **Costs of the program**

- \* **Patch** \$2.00
- \* **Onondaga Cave Tour** \$10.00/Adult, \$8.00/Teen, \$6.00/Child
- \* **Cathedral Cave Tour** \$6.00/Adult, \$5.00/Teen, \$4.00/Child  
(Note that only one cave is toured during the program.)
- \* **Special Use Camping** (First-Come, First-Served Basis) \$2.00/person/night
- \* **"Regular" Camping** (MUST make reservation through State Park Reservation System – park staff CANNOT make reservations for you. There is a limit to 6 people per "regular" campsite and a limit of two sleeping units. To avoid confusion, go to [www.mostateparks.com](http://www.mostateparks.com) for details.)
  - \* **Basic Campsite** - \$13.00/night
  - \* **Electric/Water Campsite** - \$25.00/night
  - \* **Reservation Fee** - \$8.50/site (non-refundable)

Leader's Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ **Return to:** 7556 Hwy H Leasburg, MO 65535

