



FISHERS FREEDOM FESTIVAL TROOP 109 INVOLVEMENT

The Fishers Freedom Festival is one of the Troop's biggest events and we rely on support from all Scouts and their families! Please familiarize yourself with all of the opportunities for involvement.

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FOOD BOOTH

One of the Troop's primary fundraisers is our food booth on Saturday and Sunday during the festival at Roy Holland Memorial Park, near downtown Fishers.

- We sell brats, hot dogs, chips & drinks to hungry & thirsty attendees.
- Scouts (and an adult) sign-up to work a shift (or two) and proceeds are split among the Scouts.
- Duties incl. taking orders, taking money, wrapping items, pulling drinks from the coolers, refilling ice & clean-up. Adults oversee the grills.
- Scout uniform/hat are required. Detailed shift instructions and food prep training are provided.
- Workers receive a complimentary brat/hot dog, chip & drink at the end of their shift.
- Shifts run from 7am-10pm on Saturday and from 8am-9:30pm on Sunday.
- Sign up on [TroopWebHost](#) is a two-step process. Find the event on the calendar, "sign up for event" (both Scout & adult), then be sure to click "sign up for shift". This next screen will allow you to select a shift; be sure to mark both the Scout & adult signing up, then enter a cell # for the adult. Scouts may be asked to switch shifts to ensure proper coverage.
- Experienced Adult Leaders are needed to serve as shift supervisors!
- Sign up is currently limited to two shifts per Scout to allow for equal earning opportunities.
- For those who are unable to participate, donations of napkins, ketchup, mustard & relish are appreciated.
- The Troop would also like to borrow giant coolers (from anyone's sports/band groups, etc.) for icing drinks.
- Questions? Contact [Mr. Povinelli](#) or [Mrs. Oles](#)



BOOTH SET-UP & TEAR-DOWN

Supply preparation and bus loading occurs at the Tuesday night meeting, and set-up of the tents, tables & chairs takes place around 5:00pm Friday evening. Workers who sign up for the final shift on Sunday should be available to assist with tear-down. Questions? Contact [Mr. Povinelli](#)

OPENING CEREMONIES

Opening ceremonies are Saturday morning at 10:00 by the flag pole in front of the park building. flag raising is done by the Fishers Police and Fire Departments and appointed Scouts. Contact the Scoutmaster if you'd like to be considered for this honor. Questions? Contact [Mr. Kane](#)



OVERNIGHT SECURITY

Troop 109 assists the festival committee with overnight monitoring of the entertainment stage, business tent and information tent areas.

- This is a great patrol activity and some service hours will be awarded.
- Sign up on [TroopWebHost](#). The shift is from 9:00pm-7:00am (Friday) and 10:00pm-7:00am (Saturday). At least two adults and six Scouts are needed for ample coverage.
- Scouts may bring a mat & sleeping bag. Pizza and fun will be provided!
- Questions? Contact [Mr. Baker](#) or [Mr. Kane](#)

BUSINESS TENT TEAR-DOWN

After the Business Vendors Tent closes on Saturday at 3:00pm and vendors move out around 3:30pm, available Scouts will be asked to help tear-down and stack tables to prepare for Sunday's free game tent.

- This is a great patrol activity and a good turn for the day!
- No need to sign up in advance – just report to the information tent to check-in!
- Questions? Contact [Mr. Baker](#)

MARCHING IN SUNDAY'S PARADE

Scouts of all ages throughout Fishers join us to march in the parade along! This is a great recruitment tool that keeps us visible in the community, so we need lots of participation.

- This is a great patrol activity, especially for new Scouts!
- Scouts take turns pushing carts (to collect food for the Come to Me Food Pantry at the FUMC), carrying our flags and showing Scout spirit.
- Parade line-up for Division 5 (at Visionary Way behind Super Target) takes place around 3:00pm and the parade begins at 4:00pm. The [route](#) ends at the park, so adults can meet up with Scouts at our food both location around 5:30pm.
- Be sure to check the festival website for road closings.
- Sign up on [TroopWebHost](#).
- Scout uniform required.
- Don't forget sunscreen, sunglasses and a hat. Bottled water will be available.
- Encourage your family, friends, neighbors and EVERYONE YOU MEET to come watch the parade, visit the festival and donate canned foods, new backpacks, school supplies, diapers, toiletries, new toys, books and puzzles.
- Questions? Contact [Mr. Kane](#) or [Mrs. Oles](#)



Look for a festival guide in your mailbox for more information about all of the activities for your family!
Parking is available at Holland Park (\$5) or continuous shuttles run from nearby lots.