February 2014

Hey Frostburners!

Frostburn 2014 is officially less than 2 weeks away and early arrival for set-up starts this weekend. We know you're ready. We know you have your gear and have taken it for a test run. We know you have set it on fire and watched the world burn. We want to run you through a couple of things before releasing you on to the Tundra though.

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Stick with us until the end. It's worth it, you don't want to get caught out in the cold unawares.

Tickets and Checking in

Just a reminder- all online ticket sales and transfers have ended. If you do not have a ticket as of right now you will need to buy one at The Gate for \$100.00

Tickets are Will-call

Remember, Frostburn is a will-call event. We do not send out physical tickets. You must bring a valid id that has your name and address listed. We will match your ID with our ticket holder information, hug you, sign you in, wait for you to sign the waivers, probably give you another hug, help you find a parking spot and send you on your way!

Ticket transfers

Did you miss the original online ticket transfer cutoff? If so you can still transfer your ticket. The purchaser will need to have the ticket ID and your full legal name (the one you registered with) for verification. As always, payments and transfers are the responsibility of the owner and purchaser.

If there are any issues validating your claim to a ticket, an on-site ticket must be purchased for entry. The situation will be reviewed after the event.

Want to see it with pictures, arrows and more explanation? http://frostburn.org/tickets-at-gate/

Parking

Have you filled out the parking survey? Parking is causing our lovely event planners stress and may be leading them into an early grave. Add some years back to their lives and take a minute, fill out the parking survey. I promise, the more we know in advance the easier it will be for you to park your car when you arrive *and* to get it back out when you want to leave.

The parking and event survey.

RVs, Buses, and Trailers

We are setting up a separate RV/Bus/Trailer camping area. Have you filled out the parking survey? The information is vital to the success of the extra camping area we have established.

Be patient when checking in, be thoughtful when you park, be kind to the awesome burners helping you find your parking spot.

Where to park?

Just to clarify....

4WD/AWD (with good tires): Should park at your campsite.

2WD: Park in the car park or the car camping area, depending on your situation.

RVs/Buses/ Trailers: Park in the designated RV/Bus/Trailer parking area.

Frostburn is still looking for parking volunteers. Help fill in the car park, point people in the right direction for their camping spots and make new friends!

Towing

We have contacted towing companies that are local to Brookville and have 24/7 emergency towing. There are other towing companies in the area, these are the two that we have made verbal contact with to ensure they would be available over Frostburn weekend. These companies are equipped to come out to extract vehicles, all fees associated with the towing companies fall onto the participants who belong to the vehicle being towed.

Bricen Towing McPherson Towing (814) 849-1961 (814) 849-3718

Volunteering (surprise!)

Gate & Parking volunteers will have a cozy tent with wood burning stove this year. Share the warmth and make someone's first memory of Frostburn a good one.

We still need some volunteers....Here is a list of open shifts.

Assign yourself, or email winegoddess@gmail.com

Fire Conclave

Fire conclave will be lead by Woody this year. We're having a mandatory fire conclave meeting on Saturday (2/15/2014) starting at 4:00PM at the effigy. If you don't come to the meeting you don't spin at the big burn. As a reminder-

- No fuels other than straight coleman white gas unless you get specific approval
- No hoop tosses roll risk
- No sparkle poi aka steel wool
- No smoking

Effigy and Temple Burns

The effigy- **The Snow Totem-** by artist Eric Stephenson (projections by Isaac Seidman) is set to burn on Saturday. Fire conclave will begin at 8:00pm.

The Temple- **Vale**, **Lazaretta-** (Artist: Triple-F) will burn on Sunday at 7:00pm. The temple will close on Sunday at 4:00pm to start preparations for the burn.

MOOP

Frostburn, like all Burns, is a Leave No Trace event. What does leave no trace mean? If you brought it, take it with you. If you find it on the ground be cool and pick it up. Burn it or trash it depending on what it is. Who knows? It might be treasure.

Last year the MOOP (matter out of place- read trash) was terrible and the volunteers that stayed after the event

struggled to clean the place up, it took days and dumpsters. As a community we are better than that. Lets make 2014 a MOOP free year, if we work together we can do it!

What can you do?

Be responsible.

If you brought it with you take it back out with you. Be extra responsible. If you see if on the ground, in a tree, flying through the air (it gets windy!) snag it and pack it out. Remember, if it never hits the ground you don't have to pick it up.

Be respectful.

Clean out your burn area. The nails, staples, glass bits, glitter, food, book, whatever it is! Dig it out and take it with you. Ashes are okay to stay. Nothing else.

Be helpful.

If you see someone struggling, maybe to get their tent stakes out of the ground (for the love of all that glitters- fight the good fight and take those with you) or maybe trying to bag up trash or really just anything. Help them out. More hands make the work go faster. A clean site means we get to come back again.

Sound Policy

At the request of the property owners Frostburn requires that sound systems are turned off until Friday Morning 7am. After that? Let it roll.

Firewood

Cordwood sales for frostburn 2014 have ended. You can still purchase firewood by the wheelbarrow before the event online or at Gate during the event.

The What? Where? When?

We're saving trees! Frostburn will not have a printed What?Where?When? to give to every participant this year. You can find a stationary copy at gate, in the barn and at some of our theme camps (just ask!) or you can print your own copy and bring it with you!

View and Print The What? Where? When?!

Maps!

Find out where your favorite theme camps are this year, search out new and interesting hang out spots and explore yourself and the art around you.

View and Print the Site Map

Getting to Camp Kevin

Frostburn will be held at Camp Kevin, which is located at: 1274 Hunts Run Rd.
Brookville PA 15825

Directions:

(you will pass through the town of Brookville)

From Route 28 N traveling from Pittsburgh, the expressway ends and Rt. 28 will be 2 lanes Turn Right onto W.Main St/US-322/PA-36/PA-28 Sheetz is on corner. 0.8 miles Turn Right onto White St/PA-36 S You will pass a Giant Eagle. 4.2 miles continues below *

From I-80 East Exit 78 toward Sigel/Brookville

Turn Right onto PA-36/Allegheny Blvd.

Turn Left onto W.Main St/US-322/PA-36/PA-28

Sheetz is on corner.

Turn Right onto White St/PA-36 S

You will pass a Giant Eagle.

4.2 miles

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From I-80 West Exit 81 toward Hazen

Turn Left onto Route 28 S 2.0 miles Turn Left onto Main St/US-322/PA-28 0.4 miles Turn Left onto White St/PA-36 S 4.2 miles continues below *

* leaving Brookville on White St/PA-36 S
Turn Left onto Slimak Rd (Slimak is 0.3 miles past Thrush Rd) 0.2 miles **Note:** the turn for Slimak is over the crest of a hill, please slow down after passing Thrush.

Stay straight to go onto Hunts Run Rd 0.2 miles

Arrive at Frostburn, gate/parking on right

More Useful Information

Take a couple minutes to look over the information on the Must Read section of the Frostburn website. Winter camping tips, information about site, the survival guide, our 10 principles and much much more can be found there. http://frostburn.org/read-this/

Share the Warmth! The Frostburn Crew http://frostburn.org/

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