

2020 NSDCA International Camporee Cancellation Details

As many of you have probably heard or been advised, the 2020 Camporee planned for Lebanon, Tennessee has been cancelled. Because most of our members are in the high-risk category and open for possible serious secondary health issues if they were to contract the COVID-19 virus, your Board felt that the only responsible action available was to cancel this year's event. Here are the Camporee related issues that the Board agreed on and everyone should be aware of:

1. All 2020 Camporee plans have been moved forward to the 2021 Camporee to be held in Rayne, Louisiana from June 6th through June 8th, 2021.
2. The Camporee theme, ribbons, fees for registration and extra day campsite will remain the same at \$140 and \$25 per day respectively. 2020 registration forms may be used, but new forms will be available in the Times and online.
3. The 4th of July is the Sunday before the Camporee and we are planning to have some special event and dances, so you might want to consider coming early, Saturday July 3rd or Sunday July 4th, and staying until Friday July 9th or later.
4. If you had planned to stay after the 2020 Camporee to attend the Grand Ole Opry or do some other sightseeing, you may want to change the extra camping days you requested for Lebanon and update your registration for Rayne.
5. For any fees you have paid, here are your options:
 - a. Leave them with our treasurer, attend in 2021.
 - b. Cancel your reservation and request a refund from Susan Wolford for some or all of your deposits. If cancelling, please return your ribbon(s) by mail. They will be issued to someone else.
 - c. To change your extra camping day reservations, please request a refund or pay any additional required.
 - d. Donate any of your extra fees to the NSDCA.
 - e. For Grand Ole Opry refunds, contact Ron Imus.

Please let Susan Wolford, the Camporee Treasurer and Registrar, know either that you intend to cancel and request a refund OR to transfer your registration to 2021. The contact information for Susan Wolford and Ron Imus is as follows:

Susan Wolford; 6000 Wyeth Rock Rd., Guntersville, AL 35976
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Ron Imus; 8560 SW 90th St. Unit C, Ocala, FL 34481
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With regard to the 2020 General Membership Meeting, please note that all non-critical business will be deferred until the Rayne Camporee, including the following:

1. The election for a Board member to replace the outgoing Vice Presidents, Tom and Pat Herscha, who have completed their term. The Board has the prerogative to appoint a temporary member to fill a vacant term until the next regular election. Accordingly, the Board has appointed Tom & Pat Herscha who have graciously consented to serve an additional one-year term.
2. In 2021, there will be a double election, one for a three-year term and one for a full four-year term.
3. Voting on the proposed By-Laws amendment for Article XI, Section 4 as published in the March Times will be deferred until 2021.
4. All service awards and plaques will be deferred until 2021.
5. A detailed 2020 Financial report will not be published this summer. Anyone may request a report in writing from the NSDCA Secretary after July 1, 2020.
6. A general NSDCA Progress Report will be distributed by E-Tree on or shortly after July 1, 2020. Anyone may also request one in writing from the NSDCA Secretary or review the report to be published in the September issue of the Times.

We, your Board of Directors, regret having to take this action and look forward to a better, healthier and more exciting Camporee in 2021. We encourage you to attend. Don't miss the excitement.

Sincerely
Your NSDCA Board of Directors