



## WELCOME FIRST TIMERS!

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### HELPFUL TIPS FOR FIRST TIMERS

How to make your Samboree experience the best it can be. This information is from the Good Sams of Florida website:  
<https://www.goodsams-florida.org/samboree/FirstTimersInformation>

The Florida Good Sams Staff works hard to put on the Samboree so please make sure you let them know you are having a good time. Staff members will be wearing an orange vest with STAFF on the back throughout the day. We look forward to meeting you.

#### GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ALL SAMBOREEES - We hope it covers all the bases!

Upon arrival, registration, indoor activities, entertainment and vendors will be found in the main hall. Make this your first stop after you've parked and set-up. Hall will be open 9-5 daily, then open in evenings for 50/50 and entertainment.

Arrive with water and propane tanks full but with your waste tanks empty. Dumping facilities vary per Samboree; please check the Samboree application for more information.

Think Power Management! Since electric supply is sometimes limited, depending on the facility, do not use electrical appliances that draw large amounts of electricity; ie, heaters, air conditioners, etc.

If you need to move after you have been parked, you must be approved and assisted by the Wagon Master or his assistant. Any staff member wearing an orange vest may radio the Wagon Master for assistance.

Handicapped parking is available upon request with a valid Handicapped Number. You need to check handicapped parking on your application but please know if you choose handicapped you will not be parked with your chapter.

Please do not block fire or emergency lanes with tow vehicles.

There is no smoking in the main hall or near the entrances and/or exits.

Pets are always welcome at the Samboree but please pick-up after them and keep them leashed at all times. Service dogs (with vests) are the only animals permitted in any buildings.

#### IN CASE OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY

If calling 911 from a cell phone, you may not reach the LOCAL 911. Remember to state your location, campground name and the county you are in (all found in the program you were provided at check-in).

If emergency is at night, turn on rig or tow vehicle light and blow horn.

Please... Contact a member of the staff wearing orange vests, or, call State Director Joe & Debbie Weston any time by cellphone 407-417-7560

#### SAMBOREE INFORMATION

The Florida Samboree will be filled with fun activities, interesting dealers and vendors, and informative seminars.

Because many events and activities will be happening at the same time, check your program to plan your day and determine what you will be participating in. We know there is something on the program for everyone to enjoy.

Chapter volunteers also help to make the Samboree a success. We appreciate all their time and hard work in many areas including hospitality, registration, security, door prizes, games, food services, etc.

#### SAMBOREE LINGO GUIDE

- **FIRST TIMER:** That's you! Anyone attending a Florida Samboree for the first time.
- **SAMBOREE:** That's here! Chapters from all over the state and country gather for a Samboree.
- **CHAPTER:** Group of local campers who belong to Good Sams and camp together on a regular basis.
- **SAMGO:** Our version of Bingo. Bring small bills, daubers and your enthusiasm.
- **DR. SAMBONES:** Our one stop location for all your questions! Ask about Samboree activities, local listing of churches, restaurants, etc; product brochures lost and found, and MUCH MORE. Ask any Staff member for location and details.
- **EARLY BIRD:** One day prior to the Rally dates. AN EXTRA DAY TO HAVE FUN!

*There are lots of games both indoors and outdoors. Outdoor games may include Bocce Ball, Bean Bag Baseball, Corn Hole, and Holey Board. Also at the Spring Samboree is Golf. Indoor games may include Mexican Train Dominoes, Chicken Foot Dominoes, Cribbage, Hand & Foot, Euchre, Pinoche, Skip-Bo, and Wizard. The Florida Good Sams game rules may be found on the Good Sams of Florida Website: [goodsams-florida.org](http://goodsams-florida.org)*