Reduce

All paper products should be safely burned in a campfire to reduce the volume of garbage.

Reuse

Package food and other supplies into containers that can be reused on your next outing.

Recycle

Plastic products and metal cans should be cleaned out and taken back to your local recycling facility.

Refuse

Only after all of these steps are exhausted should items be put into the garbage for refuse disposal.

All units should be following these simple steps to reduce the volume of garbage during your outing to Camp Conewago. Each out of council unit is permitted to drop off 1 neatly tied up bag of refuse at the gatekeeper's home for local disposal. This bag should contain only items that can be legally, ethically, and safely disposed of in a local landfill and should be double bagged to prevent animals from tearing into it. This bag should be left by the garage door, of the gatekeeper's home, upon your departure from camp and should not be leaking any fluids.

We appreciate your adherence to this policy so as to help with our camp operating costs.

Camp Conewago is operated by a group of local Boy Scout volunteers and is run as somewhat as a self service camp. Your unit is responsible for picking up the key for the camp at the local gatekeeper's home, unlocking the gate and all buildings (latrine building, main lodge, and small cabin), turning on the power for the camp, and proper removal of refuse from camp at time of departure.

Please contact the gatekeeper prior to your trip to make arrangements to pick up keys.

Picnic tables and fire rings may be moved around in tent sites to accommodate your individual unit needs, however, it is requested that unit leaders see to it that they are returned to position and location where located at time of arrival prior to your departure.

We thank you for leaving Camp Conewago better than the way you found it allowing for a pleasant visit by the next unit using these facilities.