

WELCOME - 2010 CUB SCOUT OVERNIGHT CAMPS!

100 YEARS OF SCOUTING!

Exciting programs have been planned for you through the combined efforts many volunteer leaders.
Please review the following information to ensure a safe and fun Scouting experience.

HEALTH & SAFETY ITEMS

- All **registered participants will be required to wear a wristband** during the entire event – youth and adults! Anyone found without a wristband will be escorted to headquarters to register or get a replacement band.
- The Boy Scouts of America prohibits the use of alcoholic beverages and controlled substances at any activity involving participation of youth members. **NO alcohol is allowed on camp property!**
- Adult leaders should support the attitude that young adults are better off without tobacco. If you must use tobacco products, please **do not use them in the presence of the youth participants.**
- Youth members must use the **buddy system** when away from their campsites. They are not to be alone at any time when outside of their campsites.
- All **major medical problems or emergencies** must be reported to the Camp staff immediately. All injuries, no matter how minor, must be reported to the camp staff.
- **No hatchets, axes, or sheath knives** may be used by Cub Scouts. These tools must be locked up when not in use. No firearms (including BB guns and archery equipment) are allowed at Cub Scout Camps other than what is provided at activity areas.
- **Fires are only permitted in designated fire rings.** Please do not leave fires unattended. No holes or ditches are to be dug.
- Please **dispose of trash** properly in the designated containers. **NO LITTERING!**
- **No open flames** (candles, kerosene, etc.) are permitted in any tent. Liquid fuels and liquid fuel devices (including lanterns and stoves) are not be used by any youth participant and must be stored in a **LOCKED** container (trunk or vehicle) when not in use.
- **Leaving the campgrounds** is not permitted without express permission from the camp staff. Please inform the camp staff if checking out early.
- If a **camper under the age of 18 is to leave camp** with a person other than his or her legal guardian, a signed statement from the legal guardian stating who will be picking them up and when they will be leaving must be submitted.
- Any adult or staff member noticing or becoming aware of **signs of child abuse** must immediately notify the Camp Administrator, who will in turn notify the Scout Executive. Staff are not responsible to investigate or prove, but to report any suspicious activities to the Camp Administrator.
- All vehicles must be brought out of the camping area and parked in designated parking areas. No vehicles are allowed in the camping area during the camp, except for emergency or camp service vehicles.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- **Toilet facilities are available** throughout the campsite. Please let the camp staff know if any supplies are needed. Showers are not available.
- Souvenirs, memorabilia, and Scout equipment are available at the camp **Trading Post**. Please take time to visit this area.
- **Camp t-shirts** that were pre-ordered were handed out during check-in. Additional shirts may be available for purchase at the trading post.
- **Lights Out is at 11:00 p.m.** All Scouts must be in their tents at this time. Unit leaders are asked to ensure compliance with the lights out policy.
- Please **do not cut any standing trees**. There is plenty of firewood on the ground that can be used. For safety reasons, please no climbing in the trees in the area.

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

SEVERE WEATHER – 1 LONG AIR HORN BLAST

The Den Adult-in-Charge takes all campers to the nearest severe weather shelter. The Den Adult-in-Charge will take a head count the members of their den and report to the Camp Administrator or staff member with a radio.

FIRE– 2 SHORT AIR HORN BLASTS

When an uncontrolled fire is discovered, the Den Adult-in-Charge should clear all campers of the area to the main lodge or other safe area. Another adult immediately heads to the main lodge to inform the camp staff of the emergency. Camp staff will immediately notify local fire authorities of the emergency and will sound the air horn.

If the air horn is heard, the Den Adult-in-Charge takes all campers to the main lodge or other safe location. The Den Adult-in-Charge will take a head count the members of their den and report to the Camp Administrator or staff member with a radio

LOST SCOUT – 3 SHORT AIR HORN BLASTS

Program areas should be quickly checked for the lost scout before sounding the alarm. Contact the Camp Administrator ASAP if the Scout can not be located.

If Scout is not located, the air horn is sounded. All program areas close. The Den Adult-in-Charge will conduct a head count of their den and verify the members against the roster. The Den will stay put. Two adults will stay with the den while the remaining adults are to report to the main lodge for further instructions.

MAJOR MEDICAL EMERGENCY

Administer first aid to the best of your ability. Report details of the emergency to the Camp staff immediately. Included WHO, WHAT, WHERE, WHEN, etc.