

The Journey Continues

Arrow of Light Camporee

(Webelos 2 Scouts)

Dates: September 29-October 1

Limit: 48 Scouts

\$70 per Scout - \$35 per adult by July 1

\$80 per scout - \$40 per adult after July 1

Sign Up Deadline: September 1, 2023

2023 marks the 14th annual Arrow of Light Camporee! This Camporee prepares your 5th-grade youth to cross over from the Pack into the Troop. The Scouts learn what it is like to camp as a Scouts BSA Troop member. They also will be taught essential skills in Knot Tying, Fire Building, Navigation, Canoeing, and much more!!

Note to Parents:

You may attend with your Scout; however, WEBELOS Scouts will be with their patrol, which will be led by a Patrol Leader and Assistant Patrol Leader (Older Scouts with leadership experience). Parents will be placed in a parent patrol. The camporee also prepares you for your crossover to the Scouts BSA. There will be some class time: WEBELOS to Scout Transition, Merit Badges, Troop Committee, and Summer Camp Preview.

Equipment List for Webelos:

Class A Uniform shirt including a change of clothes for the weekend.

Closed-toed shoes with a hard sole, no crocs or sandals.

Day pack with a flashlight, water bottle, bug spray, sunscreen, & toiletry items.

Sleeping Bag/Pillow/Sleeping Pad/Jacket/Rain Gear.

Swimsuit and towel for canoeing activities

Arrow of Light Camporee Registration Form

****All youth and adult campers must have BSA Health Form A and B filled out to attend.****

SCOUT REGISTRATION: \$70 (Includes meals, t-shirt, patch, and activities.) Sign up deadline: September 1st.

Name: _____ Pack: _____ Age: _____

Gender: _____ M _____ F Allergies: _____

Food Intolerances: _____

Address: _____

Parent Phone #: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

Parents Email (Important): _____

Scout T-shirt Size: Circle one Adult Sizes: S. M. L. XL. XXL.

ADULTS ATTENDING CAMP: \$35 (Includes meal, t-shirt, patch, and activities.) Sign up deadline: September 1st.

Adult Name: _____

Gender: _____ M _____ F Contact Phone #: _____

Pack: _____ Contact Email: _____

Scout T-shirt Size: Circle one Adult Sizes: S. M. L. XL. XXL.

Fees: _____ Scout Camp Fees _____ Adult Camp Fees

Total Fees Paid: _____

Return as soon as possible to Arrow of Light Camporee, 3067 Carter Hill Road, Montgomery, AL 36116.

For information on this camp, please contact:

Camporee Director: Susanne McGaughey 202-6700

Program Director: Chris McNew 782-0050

Health Forms Required

The only health form required of scouts and adults is the one included in the back of this guide. Please fill this form out completely, parts A and B only, when signing up for Cub Camp or Webelos Resident Camp. The form can also be found online at <http://www.tukabatcheebsa.org>.

Procedures, Policies, & Information

Discipline

The Unit Leader, assistant leader, and/or parent(s) are responsible for the discipline and order of their own scouts. The camp staff will not assume the responsibility for or interfere with unit discipline unless it directly involves the health of scouts or the unit leaders are not present at the time of the problem.

Lost and Found

The Camp lost and found box will be located in the dining hall. Leaders need to remind scouts to have their personal property clearly marked with his name and pack number. Please have scouts and adults check to ensure they have all their belongings before going home.

Pets

Pets are not permitted at camp. This applies to both campers and visitors.

Open Fires

Campfires in the campsite are allowed but only when started and supervised by a responsible adult and held in a designated fire ring. An adult must be present whenever the fire is burning.

Outdoor Hazards

In any trip to the out-of-doors the camper may encounter insects and poisonous plants or animals. Each scout leader should prepare his/her scouts to recognize and protect against such outdoor hazards. Please keep wildlife in mind when bringing food into campsites. Do not leave candy, wrappers, or other food in your clothing or tent.

Alcoholic Beverages & Illegal Drugs

Alcoholic Beverages and illegal drugs of any type will not be tolerated in the council camp. Possession of the same will result in immediate dismissal from the property. There will be no refund of unused camp fees. In regards to the Biscuits Camporee, the Council understands alcohol is sold in the stadium; however, we encourage parents and leaders (especially those in uniform) to abstain from purchasing alcohol in respect to all scouts.

Automobile Policy

All cars/trucks must be parked and remain in the designated parking lot. One vehicle per pack will be allowed to carry gear to campsite. No ATV's or Golf Carts in camp.

Fireworks

Fireworks of any kind are not allowed in camp. Violation to this rule may lead to immediate dismissal.

Showers

Hot, private showers are available to all campers. There will be designated times for youth (Male and Female) and adult (Male and Female) to shower, please respect those times. Please respect the privacy of other youth and adults near the shower locations, but also please supervise (from outside the shower area) any youth in the shower.

Health and Safety

Camp Medic

A qualified Camp Medic is on duty at all times. In event of severe accident/illness, the person will be taken to Prattville Baptist Hospital.

Medication

If a camper must take any kind of medicine while at camp, it must be turned into the Camp Medic, with written instructions indicating the scout's name, medication name, when to administer, and what quantity. It is IMPORTANT that the parent/unit leader keep track of the medication and times needed. Many times, the scout needs a reminder to find the Camp Medic.

Weather Emergencies

In the event of impending severe weather, campers will be alerted by either a siren or horn. Detailed instruction for procedures will be discussed at opening ceremony of camp.

Refund Policy

To receive a refund on any activity/event, a letter must be submitted to the camping committee for approval. No fees may be transferred.

Two weeks prior to activity/event-80% refunded.

One week prior to activity/event-50% refunded.

Within one week prior and No Shows-No refund.

Trading Post

The Trading Post will be open during Cub Camp and Webelos Resident Camp. It will be stocked with snacks, candies, soft drinks and Gatorade. The Trading Post will only be open during specific times.

What to bring to Camp

*Please Label All Property With Name & Pack #

Tent (based on what event and need)

Sleeping Bag/Pillow

Sunscreen

Toiletries

Clothing: based on weather

Tennis shoes and socks (No Open-Toed Shoes)

Personal Medication with written instructions

Class A for Chapel service on Sunday (Optional)

Rain gear

Insect Repellent

Flashlight

Swimsuit/towel

Water bottle

Hat

Money for Trading Post

Directions to Camp Hobbs

From I-65: Take exit 186 (US 31 Prattville - Pine Level). Go North on US31 for 2.5 miles to Autauga County Road 40. Turn left on Autauga County Road 40 and go 3 miles. Camp Hobbs is on your right. Take the camp road until it dead ends into the parking lot.

Council Service Center

334-262-2697