

Palmetto Council, BSA

Cub & Webelos Resident Camp



2014 Leader's Guide

Camp Bob Hardin

At

Saluda, North Carolina

2014 Cub Scout and Webelos Resident Camp “Blast from the Past”

Hello Scouters! Welcome to Camp Bob Hardin Cub & Webelos Resident Camp for 2014. Scouting adventure is ready for your Scouts at camp this summer. I look forward to seeing you at Camp Bob Hardin.

The 2014 Leader’s Guide is presented here with all the latest updates to our programs and facilities. While many activities remain the same there are a number of exciting opportunities for 2014 and I would encourage you to take this opportunity to read through the materials here so that you can help your Scouts be prepared for an outstanding session of camp.

Our staff is excited to welcome you to the mountains and build an ADVENTURE customized for your Scouts! Please check our website, www.campbobhardin.com, for the latest update in schedules and offerings. For registration questions, call Morgan Hawkins at (864) 585-4391 or call the number below for program questions.

Yours in Scouting,

Art Harris
Camp Director
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SAVE THE DATES

January

1. Recruit pack camping coordinator.
2. Pack reviews plans for camp.
3. Notify parents of plans for Camp

February

Pack reservations should be made as campsites are assigned on a “first come, first served” basis.

May

Registration form due May 1 and fees due in full to the Council May 15.

July 13-16: Session 1

July 16-19: Session 2



WHAT TO PACK

2014 SUMMER CAMP CHECK LIST

- Uniform pants or shorts with belt.
- Uniform shirt
- Scout socks
- T-shirts (Scout acceptable logo's or wording only) for 3 days.
- Pants or shorts for 3 days
- Underwear and socks
- Comfortable shoes (sandals only in showers)
- Swimming trunks
- Sleepwear
- Towel (1 or 2)
- Soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothbrush, toothpaste
- Bug Spray
- Poncho
- Handbook, pen, and paper
- Sleeping Bag
- Sheet
- Pillow
- Mosquito Net (optional)
- Battery operated fan
- Batteries
- Sunglasses (optional)
- Sun block
- Water bottle
- Day backpack (optional)
- Medical form
- Medications
- Watch
- Clean folding chair
- Clothes hangers
- Camera (optional)
- Flashlight with extra batteries
- Extra money for trading post (recommend \$30- \$60)
- Stamps and postcards if you would like to send one from camp.
- Pocket knife (with whittler's chip)

DO NOT BRING

Matches or lighters

Large knives, axes or saws

Aerosol sprays

Alcohol

Fireworks

Anything illegal

Anything you do not need for Camp

Firearms

Bows and Arrows

Play guns/knives

2014 Cub Scout/Webelos Resident Camp Information

Registration

Each pack is required to submit a Cub Scout/Webelos Resident Camp Registration form (available in this guide). It is very important that you register early in order to get your reservation confirmed. Payments are not refundable but are transferable between Webelos Scouts or Cub Scouts of the same pack.

Campsite Capacities

Each Adirondack (building) must have a minimum of 5 and a maximum of 8 persons. The minimum for two Adirondacks is 12, three is 20, and four is 28 persons. Tent sites are very flexible.

Arrival at Camp

One leader from each pack will check in at the camp office next to Lake Hearon. Please have a roster of Cub Scouts/Webelos and sponsors, medical forms, and any remaining payments due. The ranger will take your equipment to your campsite. A Staff Guide will go with you to your medical check-in, to inspect your campsite, and to the swim test.

Immunizations/Physicals

The state of North Carolina requires that all campers have adequate immunizations. Those listed on the medical form must be obtained prior to attending camp. A medical form is available at www.scouting.org and should be used by both youth and adults.

Fishing and Lake Usage

Cub Scouts/Webelos are not allowed to enter the water of either lake except during scheduled activities under appropriate supervision. Fishing is permitted only when using the buddy system. Under no circumstances are Cub Scouts/Webelos allowed to fish around the waterfront boat dock areas. Please practice catch and release. Try out our new fishing docks when catching the big one!

Mail

US Mail is delivered daily. Mail for Scouts and leaders attending camp will be distributed each day.

Please address mail to:

Name and Pack Number
Camp Bob Hardin
805 Scout Camp Rd
Saluda, NC 28773

Drugs, Alcohol, and Tobacco

Illicit drugs and alcohol are expressly forbidden at Camp Bob Hardin. Their use will not be tolerated. Tobacco products are not to be used in the sight of scouts, buildings, or at any camp activities. Any litter caused by tobacco products is the responsibility of the user.

Firearms and Bows

Unlike Boy Scout Camp, personal firearms and Archery equipment will not be permitted at Cub Scouts/Webelos Resident Camp.

Fireworks

Fireworks are illegal in NC and will not be permitted at camp.

Property Damage

Packs will be held responsible for all damages to their campsite that were not identified on the initial site inspection.

Code of Conduct

Camp Bob Hardin uses the high ideals of the Scout Law as the code of conduct. Leaders and parents are responsible for their Scouts' behavior.

Leaving Camp

For your protection, all campers, whether they are youth or adults, must check out with the Camp Office when leaving camp and check in when returning.

Vehicles

Vehicles are not allowed past the parking lot near Lake Bob Justice. Only authorized service vehicles are allowed past the gates. The Camp Director will review special cases. The safety of the Scouts being the primary consideration, your full and unconditional cooperation is expected and appreciated.

Discipline

Under BSA Cub Scout camping policies, all youth members of a Pack must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian on any overnight camping trip. Any exceptions must be pre-approved by camp management. In camp, the Cubmaster is responsible for all participants attending Resident Camp from his/her pack. Effective discipline and organization of your pack is the Cubmaster's responsibility. The camp staff is there to conduct the program and to assist you where and when they can on delivering a quality program.

Youth Protection

National policy of the Boy Scouts of America prevents youths from 6 to 17 years of age and adults 18 years and older from showering or sleeping together, except in parent/son relationships. Adult showers are on the left-hand side of the bathhouse located next to the Murphy Pavilion and down the hill from Cheyenne. A \$5 deposit is required for shower keys.

Checkout Procedure

Your campsite will be inspected prior to your checkout. Your Scouts should check that personal items are packed and please leave the campsite as clean as or cleaner than you found it.

Visitors

Visitors are to park in the front parking areas, check in at the office, and be prepared to walk. Those wishing to have a picnic can use the Murphy Pavilion located near the Activity Field. Vehicles are not permitted in camp.

Emergency Procedures

In the event of an emergency, the Camp Director should be notified immediately. If he is not available, the Program Director or Camp Ranger should be notified. If the emergency is of a medical nature, contact the medical officer without delay.

Class Registration

Please choose classes for each Scout using our online registration system. Login and system information will be sent to the Pack contact.

PACK REGISTRATION

Cub Scouts/Webelos Resident Camp will be held at Camp Bob Hardin in two, four-day sessions.

Fees for camp are \$100 for scouts and \$35 for their adult partner and includes a shirt for both the Scout and the adult. Scouts will need at least one partner to participate. If you have a Scout with a special need for funding assistance, contact the Council Office for instructions. Scouts will use the two deep leadership rule while in Camp.

Please complete and return the form below **NO LATER THAN MAY 1. ALL FEES DUE NO LATER THAN MAY 15.**

Palmetto Council, BSA
ATTN: Morgan Hawkins
420 S. Church Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306

It is your responsibility to ensure that forms are properly filled out and that moneys are sent to the Palmetto Council office on time.

Cubmaster's Name: _____

Pack #: _____ District: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

Email: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

Fees enclosed (\$100 for each Cub Scout/Webelos + \$35 for each adult): _____

Choice of Dates: (Please mark first and second choice) # of Cub Scouts attending: _____

Webelos/Cub Session 1 (July 13-16) _____ # of Webelos attending: _____

Webelos/Cub Session 2 (July 16-19) _____ # of Adults attending: _____

Campsite Preference: Tent _____ or Adirondack _____

Note: Each session is limited to 100 youth participants. Registrations and the "First come first served" basis will be used to accommodate the first 100 youth participants in each session. Fees are not refundable after May 15. Packs may substitute another participant.

WEBELOS/CUB SCOUT RESIDENT CAMP CHECK-IN PROCEDURE

Check-in time is between 1:00 PM and 3:00 PM of the day of your arrival. The first meal served at Camp will be the evening meal. Please do not arrive prior to 1:00 PM. The Camp Director will determine the sequence in which your Pack goes through check-in.

UPON CHECK-IN

Please have the following materials ready

_____ Copy of class roster (can be printed from online registration system)

_____ 2 copies of Physicals for medical check-in**

**Medical check-in will take place after your Pack has checked into Camp with the Camp Director. Please have all the Pack's, Scouts', and parents' personal gear loaded onto the trailers so that the Ranger can deliver it to the campsite after your medical check-in. Swim tests will follow arrival at camp.

CAMPSITE

_____ Check grounds for cleanliness, check for damage, note any problems

_____ Beds made

_____ All pack and personal gear stowed neatly

_____ No open food

RETREAT

Each evening, before dinner, the entire camp will have an assembly at the flag pole outside of the dining hall. The first night, the Camp Staff will render evening colors. The following nights, Scouts from various Packs will render the colors.

REVEILLE

Reveille will sound at 7AM each morning, and the morning assembly will be conducted at 7:50 AM at the flag pole in front of the dining hall. Table waiters should arrive at the dining hall by 7:40 AM to set up their Pack's tables.

SAFETY AFLOAT

A class is required for adults of those scouts taking boating. It will be offered after the evening meal on day 1.

CLASS SCHEDULE					DAILY SCHEDULE				
	9:00- 9:50	10:00-10:50	2:00-2:50	3:00-3:50	Time	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4
WEBELOS SCHEDULE					7:00		Reveille	Reveille	Drop In Breakfast and Check Out
Archery					7:40		Waiters Call	Waiters Call	
Geologist					7:50		Assembly Flag	Assembly Flag	
Aquanaut					8:00		Breakfast	Breakfast	
BB Gun					9:00-9:50		Instruction 1	Instruction 1	
Boating					10:00-10:50		Instruction 2	Instruction 2	
Hiking					11:00-11:50		Free Time	Free Time	
Naturalist					12:00		Waiters Call	Waiters Call	
Readyman					12:20		Assembly	Assembly	
Astronomy					12:30		Lunch	Lunch	
Craftsman					1:00-1:50	Arrival And Check In	Rest Period	Rest Period	
Forester					2:00-2:50		Instruction 3	Instruction 3	
Outdoorsman					3:00-3:50		Instruction 4	Instruction 4	
CUB SCHEDULE					4:00-4:50	Campsite Set Up	Free Time	Free Time	
Archery					5:30		Waiters Call	Waiters Call	
Swimming					5:50	Assembly Flag	Assembly Flag	Assembly Flag	
Ultimate					6:00	Supper	Supper	Supper	
BB Gun					8:00	Opening Campfire	Pack Activity	Closing Campfire	
Boating					10:00	Taps	Taps	Taps	
Hiking									
Geology									
Astronomy									
Map & Compass									