

# **2018 Webelos Adventure Camp Information Guide**



## **Camp John J. Barnhardt July 28-31, 2018**

**Cost: \$155 Scout and \$75 Leader**

Dear Scouter,

Thank you for choosing to participate in the exciting and fun Webelos Adventure Camp presented by the Central North Carolina Council. Some of you may have visited our beautiful camp before but for many, this will be your first experience at Camp John J. Barnhardt. We are sure your Scout will have a great outdoor experience at Webelos Resident Camp this summer!

Our leadership team has been hard at work to bring you a fun and memorable time. Both Dens will be taking the Aquanaut Badge and then have the option of Earth Rocks/Iron Chef for Webelos and Into the Woods/Sportsman for Arrow of Light. Other activities will include BB Guns, Archery, Canoeing and Climbing. In addition, there will be campfires, sport competitions, games and loads of fun. During the camp, there will be opportunities for the boys to show their Scout spirit and work together as Patrols. These opportunities will allow the boys a chance to start their transition to Boy Scouts. Meals will be prepared and served in the Cannon Dining Hall. Sleeping will be on platforms in two person tents with cots. We encourage scouts to bunk with other scouts if possible. In keeping with Youth Protection Guidelines, each pack must have a minimum of two adults and at least one adult for every 5 scouts. Smaller packs may combine with other packs to help meet the adult leadership requirements. If needed, the camp staff can combine units.

Participating in outdoor programs is where your Scout can have tons of fun, meet new friends, develop life-long memories and discover new skills. We are excited to bring this adventure to you this summer! Our staff is looking forward to seeing you this summer. Don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

**Camp Director**  
**Kyle Camp**

**Camp Program Director**  
**Dave Roof**

**Scout Executive**  
**Greg Balog**





If there are any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Kyle Camp, Council Program Director at (704) 701-5349 or [Kyle.Camp@scouting.org](mailto:Kyle.Camp@scouting.org)

### **Frequently Asked Questions**

**1. Can a single Scout attend camp?**

Yes, but only if he attends with a parent or guardian. There are no provisional dens at camp. Guideline to Safe Scouting rules must be followed.

**2. Can a Pack with only one adult attend camp?**

Yes. Two Packs can camp together to meet Two-Deep Leadership requirements. Check with Camp Directors.

**3. Can 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Scouts attend camp?**

Yes. Bears will advance in May and will be eligible Webelos Scouts as of June 22.

**4. Can Adults/Scouts leave Camp Barnhardt during camp?**

Yes, if they check-out and check-in according to camp procedures. However, it is not recommended that Scouts leave because the program is very full and will miss key events.

**5. Will there be a Trading Post?**

We will have a full stoked trading post and snack bar.

**6. Will there be insects or spiders?**

Depending on the weather, there could be some insects during your visit. There are sometime spiders in your tents. Please do not use any sprays or chemicals inside of the tents. Some scouts bring personal tents or bug nets to help reduce contact.

**7. Can a Scout stay in the same tent as his parent?**

Yes. Scouts are encouraged to tent with other boys. Some Scouts may feel more comfortable with camping with his parent. Guide to Safe Scouting only allows a boy tenting with his own parent.

**8. Does every scout have to take a swim test?**

All scouts are encouraged to take the swim test. However, if they cannot swim, they will be given a non-swimmer buddy tag and their aquatic activities will be restricted.

**9. Are campsites assigned?**

Yes, your Pack will be placed in a campsite with other Packs. An effort will be made to balance the numbers in a campsite to avoid overcrowding and to insure each rotating group has similar numbers.

**10. Are campfires allowed in the campsites? Should we bring firewood?**

Campsite fires are allowed as long as there is not a BURNING BAN in effect. There should be plenty of wood around the campsites in the woods so it shouldn't be necessary to bring firewood. Make sure to bring fire buckets and other supplies.

**11. What program supplies should we bring?**

All program supplies will be supplied. Some Packs may bring to bring snacks or other food items. Remember: food attracts animals to campsites.

**12. Should we bring our Field Uniform?**

Yes, it is suggested that you bring your Field Uniform for flag ceremonies. During the day, your Scout may wear his pack t-shirt or any scouting shirt for the activities around camp.

## **Swim Checks**

Swim checks for each camper/leader will be conducted at the pool on day of check-in after the packs/dens have unpacked. Standard BSA requirements are:

### **Swimmer**

- Jump feet first into water over head, level off and begin swimming.
- Swim 75 yards in a strong manner using one or more of the following strokes: side, breast, trudgen or crawl. Swim 25 yards using easy, resting backstroke.
- The 100 yards must complete without stops and must include one sharp turn.
- Rest by floating...long enough to demonstrate ability to rest when exhausted.

### **Beginner**

- Jump feet first, level off and begin swimming.
- Swim 25 feet on surface.
- Stop, turn and resume swimming back to starting place.

### **Non-swimmer**

- Did not complete either of the swim checks.

Buddy tags will be provided for each camper and leader. The tags will remain with each group leader except when used as a group participation in an aquatic activity. The aquatics staff will work with each scout to help him become a swimmer if at all possible.

Swim check can be completed prior to your arrival at camp. The checks can be scheduled at local pool with the approval of the Aquatics Director.

## **Camp Access**

Camp Barnhardt is accessible to persons with special needs and abilities. Please contact the Camp Director in advance for assistance.

## **Visitors/Siblings Policy**

Visitors are always welcome at Camp Barnhardt. They must report in and out at the Camp Office located in Montgomery Lodge to obtain proper ID before entering activity areas or campsites. Identification should be worn and visible by all persons while on camp property.

There is a "No-Sibling" policy. Webelos Camp is designed for Webelos Scouts and we have no programs for siblings. Note: Some of the activity areas and dining hall are significant distances apart and will require much walking in some cases. If a leader/parent must bring an older sibling in order to come to camp an exception to this policy may be made. Please contact the Camp Director or Program Director.

### **Gear Suggestions**

Pack-water cooler, ice, fire building supplies, lanterns, ropes and first aid kit.

Individual-Sleeping bag, pillow, scout uniform, activity shirts, pants, underwear, socks, swim suit, towel, rain poncho, hat, comfortable shoes, toothbrush/toothpaste, wash cloth, soap, deodorant, water bottle, personal first aid kit, sunscreen, insect repellent, flashing light with extra batteries and folding camp chair.

**NO CROCKS, FLIP FLOPS, KEENS OR OPEN TOE SHOES IN CAMP.**

### **Camp Rules/Etiquette**

1. The Scout Oath and Law will be followed at all times. Violation of rules or conduct unbecoming of a Scout may lead to expulsion from camp.
2. Each den must provide adequate supervision with at least one adult leader for each 5 boys as a minimum. The BSA Two-Deep Leadership policy will be strictly enforced at all times. Webelos must be supervised even during “pick-up” games of tag, soccer or similar activities.
3. Alcoholic beverages are not allowed at any BSA event. Possession of them will result in removal from camp.
4. Illegal drugs found at the encampment or suspicion of illegal drugs will not only result in dismissal from camp but camp staff will notify local law enforcement.
5. In accordance with BSA policy, liquid fuels may be used for cooking and lighting only if the fuels are used under adult supervision.
6. If a burning ban is not in effect, campfires are permitted in campsites. Dug fire pits are allowed as long as you use Leave No Trace. Fires must be attended at all times. Fires must be cold before checking out from camp.
7. Campsites should follow low-impact camping guidelines.
8. Sheath knives or fixed blade knives are not permitted at camp.
9. Defacing any camp property, including live trees, may result in immediate dismissal from camp with repair cost settled before dismissal.
10. Radios, TVs, electronic games or other electric devices are not permitted.
11. Fireworks are strictly prohibited.
12. No bicycles will be permitted.
13. Quiet time should be observed by all in campsites.

### **Registration**

Online registration will open February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at [www.centralnccouncilbsa.com](http://www.centralnccouncilbsa.com). Registration is on a first come, first serve basis and will remain open until camp is filled to the capacity of 200 campers or June 1<sup>st</sup>. Any registrations after the deadline must be approved by the Camp Director.

**After registration, the following items must be submitted to the CNCC office by July 26<sup>th</sup>: Camp Roster Form, Full Payment and BSA Health Form (A and B) for all Scouts and Leaders.**

### **Camp Cost**

Resident Camp cost is \$155 per Scout and \$75 per Leader/Adult. A limited number of camperships are available. Campership applications are available from the council service center or professional staff.

### **Check-In**

Scouts, Leaders and adults will be checked in at the OA Lodge on July 28 from 3pm to 5pm. Only one representative of the Den/Pack should be responsible for check-in of the group. We encourage Den/Packs to travel together and arrive at the same time. At check-in will be given two camp uniform shirts and their medical form reviewed. Packs will unload their gear and it will be moved to their campsite. If the pack has a trailer, it may be moved to the assigned campsite for the duration of camp. A staffer will show the campers to the assigned campsite and help them get settled. For safety, cars must remain in the parking lot until check-out.

### **Sleeping Arrangements**

Each assigned campsite will have an adequate number of two person tents for your pack and other packs that share your assigned site. Scouts are encouraged to tent with other Scouts. The picnic shelter will be shared by all in a given campsite. Youth Protection Guidelines must be followed at all times. If you choose, you may bring your mosquito nets. Some leaders may choose to bring their own tents.

### **Meals**

All meals will be provided and served in our air-conditioned Cannon Dining Hall starting with Saturday night dinner. Breakfast on day of check-out will be in your campsite. Water will be available at all campsites and program areas. Dens/Packs are encouraged to keep drink coolers in their camping area to encourage fluid consumption and avoid dehydration. Ice will be available for purchase at the trading post.

**PLEASE NOTE ANY SPECIAL DIETS AND FOOD ALLERGIES in the notes area so the dining hall staff can be adequately prepared to meet everyone's needs.**

### **Trading Post**

A full equipped trading post stocked with BSA equipment will be open at select times during the camp session. We will also have a snack bar with light snack, drinks, slushies and ice cream will also be open. Scouts should not bring large amounts of money because it can become easily lost at camp.

### **Tobacco-Free Policy**

All areas of Camp John J. Barnhardt are tobacco free.

## Medical & Medication

Make sure the Medical Officer and Camp Director are aware of any special needs a Scout may have. Simple first aid and medical concerns may be treated at the Health Lodge on a 24-hour basis by the Medical Officer. Major concerns will be handled by transporting the scout/leader to the local hospital.

Each Pack is responsible for distribution of medicine for its Scouts. Each Pack will need a locked box to keep all prescription medication secured. Prescription medication should be in its original container and properly identified. Prescription medications should never be in a Scout's possession.

Self-administered medications are permitted to be administered by the Scouts themselves with supervision of pack leaders. Emergency medications such as an inhaler or EpiPen are allowed to be carried by scout.

## Transportation

Transportation of scouts to camp may be made by individual families or carpools. Guidelines (permission slips and two-deep leadership) must be followed. Cars must stay in the parking lot during the camp session. No individual cars/trucks will be allowed in the program areas.

## Non-Discrimination Statement

This program is for all BSA registered youth regardless of race, creed, nationality or religion.

The Central NC Council is offering an exciting Webelos Resident Camp for all rising 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders this summer. All activities are focused towards earning two Webelos and Arrow of Light Elective Adventure badges as well as fun activities (climbing tower, canoe, etc.) that are usually not offered at other Cub Scout events.

The adventure camp will take place from Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday, July 31<sup>st</sup> at Camp John J. Barnhardt. Check-in time on the 28<sup>th</sup> will begin at 3pm at the OA Lodge. Everyone should be checked in by 5pm unless there are special circumstances.

Below are the Elective Adventure Badges and activities

| <b>Webelos</b>                                                                                                   | <b>Arrow of Light</b>                                                                                              | <b>Activities</b>                            |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| <b>Aquanaut</b> Adventure Badge<br><b>Earth Rocks</b> Adventure Badge<br>Or<br><b>Iron Chief</b> Adventure Badge | <b>Aquanaut</b> Adventure Badge<br><b>Into the Woods</b> Adventure Badge<br>Or<br><b>Sportsman</b> Adventure Badge | BB Guns-Archery<br>Climbing Wall<br>Canoeing |



## **Daily Schedule**

### **Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

|              |                                         |
|--------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 3:00-5:00 PM | Check-in at OA Lodge                    |
| 6:00 PM      | Flag Lowering outside Dining Hall       |
| 6:15-7:00 PM | Dinner-Dining Hall (Wear Field Uniform) |
| 7:00-7:30 PM | Leader Orientation at OA Lodge          |
| 7:45-8:00 PM | Chapel Service                          |
| 8:00-9:00 PM | Opening Campfire                        |
| 10:15 PM     | All Quiet                               |
| 10:30 PM     | Lights Out                              |

### **Sunday, July 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

|                |                                               |
|----------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| 7:15-7:30 AM   | Flag Raising                                  |
| 7:30-8:15 AM   | Breakfast-Dining Hall (Wear Activity Uniform) |
| 8:30-9:45 AM   | Session 1 & 11                                |
| 10:00-11:15 AM | Session 2 & 12                                |
| 11:30-12:15 PM | Lunch-Dining Hall                             |
| 12:30-1:45 PM  | Session 3 & 13                                |
| 2:00-3:15 PM   | Session 4 & 14                                |
| 3:30-4:45 PM   | Session 5 & 15                                |
| 5:45-6:00 PM   | Flag Lowering                                 |
| 6:00-6:45 PM   | Dinner-Dining Hall                            |
| 7:00-9:00 PM   | Free Time, Webelos Games                      |
| 10:30 PM       | Lights Out                                    |

### **Monday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

|                |                        |
|----------------|------------------------|
| 7:15-7:30 AM   | Flag Raising           |
| 7:30-8:15 AM   | Breakfast-Dining Hall  |
| 8:30-9:45 AM   | Session 6 & 16         |
| 10:00-11:15 AM | Session 7 & 17         |
| 11:30-12:15 PM | Lunch-Dining Hall      |
| 12:30-1:45 PM  | Session 8 & 18         |
| 2:00-3:15 PM   | Session 9 & 19         |
| 3:30-4:45 PM   | Session 10 & 20        |
| 5:45-6:00 PM   | Flag Lowering          |
| 6:00-6:45 PM   | Dinner-Dining Hall     |
| 7:00-7:30 PM   | Free Time              |
| 7:30-8:00 PM   | Chapel                 |
| 8:00-9:00 PM   | Award/Closing Campfire |
| 10:30 PM       | Lights Out             |

### **Tuesday, July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

|               |                       |
|---------------|-----------------------|
| 7:30 AM       | Breakfast in Campsite |
| 8:00-9:00 AM  | Campsite Clean up     |
| 9:00-12:00 PM | Pack up and Depart    |

## Youth Leaving Early Form

Once a Scout has checked into our summer camp program, he is not authorized to leave except in an emergency unless prior approval has been given.

Prior approval can be granted for a Scout to be picked up before the end of the camping period for such things as sports events or family vacations.

The Scout's parents or legal guardian must notify the Camp Administration in writing that a Scout may have an interrupted or shortened day at Camp John J. Barnhardt. This written statement must include the departure information and return information if the Scout is going to return. It must also detail who is authorized to pick up the child. Both parent and Scout leader in charge must sign the release form.

Upon the arrival at camp of the adult planning on picking up the camper, the adult must check in at the Camp Office. The Camp Administration will notify the adult leader of the unit, who will verify that this is the correct adult to pick up the camper. If this is confirmed, the administration will release the camper.

If an adult leader has to take a scout home due to an unforeseen emergency, he must inform the Camp Administration of his reasons and plans. If the Scout is not related, two-deep is needed for the transportation.

All people leaving and coming into Camp John J. Barnhardt must sign the check-in/check-out log in the Camp Office in addition to the above procedures.

### Youth Leaving Camp Release Form

Name of Camper: \_\_\_\_\_ Date to be released: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for release: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of  
return: \_\_\_\_\_

Scoutmaster's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Camp Administration

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Notifications, if

needed: \_\_\_\_\_

## **What to bring to Camp**

- Completed and signed Medical Form
- Complete Cub Scout uniform
- Comfortable, appropriate shoes or boots. No open toe shoes.
- Lockback Knife-Whittling Chip
- Wallet/Money for Trading Post.
- Sleeping bag or blankets.
- Pillow
- Flashlight with extra batteries.
- Scout Handbook.
- Notebook with pencils/pens
- T-shirts (scout appropriate)
- Pants and/or shorts
- Socks (three days)
- Underwear (three days)
- Raincoat or poncho with hood
- Sneakers
- Swim trunks
- Wash cloth
- Towel (one for swimming as well)
- Soap and shampoo
- Toothbrush with toothpaste
- First Aid kit
- Water bottle-very important

### Optional Items

- Watch
- Camera
- Sunglasses
- Plastic ground cloth
- Mosquito repellent
- Bible or prayer book

