

Spook-O-Ree FAQs:

Just what is Spook-O-Ree? Spook-O-Ree is an annual family style camp at Camp Maluhia. This camp is filled with fun activities that are age appropriate for Cub Scouts in grades K - 5th grade.

What will the Cub Scouts be doing? The cub scouts will participate in crafts, games, range time, and possibly a short hike. The camp schedule will include activities that will be available and the times. This year we will limit participation at activities to just cub scouts to ensure that the Cubs have the opportunity to do an activity. Siblings are welcome to observe and cheer on their Cub Scout. If time and space permits we may be able to allow siblings to participate. Siblings can participate in the Halloween Costume parade and help with activity stations if old enough.

What should I bring to camp? Camping List for all campers/participants:

- **Essentials:** Sleeping bag, pillow, flashlight with extra batteries, reusable water bottle, personal hygiene items (toothbrush, toothpaste, etc.)
- **Clothing:** Class B (camping-appropriate Scout shirt), weather-appropriate clothing, hat, sturdy shoes or boots (no Crocs), extra socks, and rain gear.
- **Camping Gear:** Tent, ground pad, camping chair.
- **Other Items:** Insect repellent, sunscreen, small backpack (optional), and any prescribed medications.
- **Footwear:** This gets it's own line but shoes are required to be worn at all times in the camp with the exception of using the shower or pool (to and from). Crocs ARE NOT permitted. Any medical condition that precludes you from being able to wear closed toe shoes must be cleared with Camp Administration and Medical. This is to ensure there is no confusion created for the other campers.

How can I help? Visit the online sign up form to volunteer to help with any of the activities listed. There is a lot of help needed everywhere to help make this a successful event.

How else to help at camp? Each Unit will be assigned to a certain area in camp to be their campsite. They may be sharing with another Unit. The units in that area are responsible for keeping the area clean which includes the grounds and nearest bathroom to them. At the end of camp and everyone packs up their campsite, campers will need to clean the bathrooms to include sanitizing, cleaning out, and removing of trash.

What can we expect? As a parent of a Cub Scout, you can expect a program filled with engaging and educational activities that foster teamwork, leadership, and outdoor skills. On arrival plan to be onsite between 9am - Noon. Your unit leader will coordinate a time to meet up with your whole unit. Be sure to have all paperwork available and ready for turn in or given to your unit leader prior to arrival to help facilitate check in.

Paperwork? What paperwork? Every camp participant, adult and youth, will need to have on file a BSA Medical form parts A1/A2 and B. Fill out this paperwork prior to camp and give to your unit leader to submit during check in. All registered adults will need to submit a signed "Scouter Code of Conduct" as well.

How are meals handled during camp? Here's what to expect for meals during the weekend:

- Saturday: Bring your own brown-bag lunch and dinner to enjoy at your campsite with your unit and family.
- Sunday: A cold breakfast will be provided by camp the camp.

All other meals and snacks are up to each family. We plan to wrap up and head out around noon on Sunday, so it's a good idea to pack a few extra snacks for the ride home. If anyone in your family has food allergies or dietary needs, please plan accordingly, as we may not be able to accommodate special requests.

Medical Emergencies or condition? There will be an onsite medical team member stationed at the Long House and also patrolling the property. If any thing arises you may go to see him any time when needed. Be sure to include on your mandatory medical form any pertinent information needed to make the medical team aware.

What NOT to bring to camp? Refer to the Participant guide for detailed information but includes though not limited to alcohol, weapons, pets (animals), electronics (cell phone, camera is approved), fireworks.

Are there bathrooms at camp? Yes, there are in all campsites there are bathrooms and showers with private stalls for both.

Spook-O-Ree is a fun camp with lots of moving parts. The questions above represent a small sampling of what has been asked before but if you have a question that hasn't been answered, please reach out to your unit leader or the planning committee.