

Welcome from the Camp Administration

Dear Reader,

We are excited to welcome you as a guest at Camp William Hinds this coming summer. We are planning an exciting fun - filled program full of new experiences. Our goal at Camp Hinds is to help fulfill the mission the Scouts BSA and to help each Scout on their Scouting journey. Summer camp works for many different reasons: talented staff, fun activities, the outdoor setting, and the unique spirit of Camp Hinds to name a few. However, the most important reason summer camp becomes one of the most memorable experiences in a young person's life is because of the dedicated leaders who guide them throughout the year. Remember the journey is often more important than the destination. All of us at Camp Hinds stand ready to support you and your Scouts on their Scouting journey.

Camp Hinds is located on over 300 acres of land on Panther Pond in Raymond, Maine. Less than an hour outside of Portland, Panther Pond is part of the Sebago Lakes Region of Maine. Camp Hinds is owned and maintained by the Pine Tree Council, Scouts BSA.

The camp was founded in 1927, and over the years has grown to include a number of summer and winter facilities and buildings including a new Dining Hall along with a new council office, Health Lodge, Recreation Hall, Trading Post, Craft Shop, Training Center, eighteen High and Low Ropes Course elements and three waterfront areas. Several buildings are used for year - round camping, but Hinds is used primarily as a traditional resident summer camp. When not serving as a summer camp, various Scout units and other organizations from the area can be found utilizing its many campsites and buildings throughout the fall, winter, and spring months.

Camp Hinds has a trained staff of approximately 20 Scouts and Scouters, who are all registered members of the Scouts BSA. Since its inception the staff at Camp Hinds dedicates itself to promoting the aims, values, and methods of Scouts BSA, while ensuring a quality program for every youth who attends. Our camp operation is overseen by a trained and certified Camp Administration team comprising of a Camp Director, Camp Ranger, and Staff Advisor. Each of the program and support areas are overseen by an Area Director, many of whom have attended the National Camping School program for training specific to their job. Camp Hinds is inspected yearly and meets the standards set down by the B.S.A. National Office for an Accredited Scout Summer Camp. Our staff is trained to provide the highest level of customer service possible and will assist and work to accommodate your needs in every way possible. Please do not hesitate to ask the leadership team any questions. We are here to serve you.

Yours in Scouting,

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| | Each camper, adult and youth, should bring their own personal tent. |
| | \$125 Regular Price |
| 5:00 PM Friday of your arrival | Meeting at the Parking Lot at 5:00 PM for Cubmaster/Webelos Leader Orientation ✓ Bring two copies of your Pack Roster ✓ Bring a current BSA Health Forms for all scouts and leaders/adults. ✓ Bring pack advancement requests. |
| First Day of Camp | Welcome: GATES INTO CAMP OPEN AT 5pm |
| 3:30 PM Sunday | Retreat followed by Camper Pick Up |

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

Day 1 Friday

Campwide Welcome campfire at sports field. 8:00.

Day 2 | Saturday | All Camp Event

Following dinner on Saturday we will have a unified activity that we ask all Webelos to participate in. This year we will be having a camp wide staff hunt. This evening is filled with excitement which is always best enjoyed with friends. It is also the best time to dress up with your **"Down on the Farm"** theme costume.

Day 3 | Sunday | Open Areas

After being at camp for two days now, each Webelos will have the chance to experience more time in their favorite area. Each activity area will be open for the Webelos so they can go swimming, boating, make crafts, participate in Scout skill activities, use one of our shooting ranges or whatever caught their eye. Find a buddy and explore these options.

Pack H - Provisional Camping

A provisional camper is when a youth comes as an individual without his/her unit. In this case, the Pine Tree Council's camp staff provides opportunity to make new friends and to experience the same great program. If more than three Cubs from the same Pack come to camp, they must come with their Pack leadership.

Following a medical check, Webelos will spend their first afternoon settling into their first overnight experience. Dens will have time to host small activities that will get them comfortable with their campsite and fellow Webelos. The day will end with a campfire hosted by our energetic staff and will have lots of skits, songs and cheers.

Throughout the weekend we welcome Webelos and leaders to attend the activities in theme-related accessories and/or costume to enhance their week at camp. Theme is Down on the Farm!

Program Groups

The camp population will be divided into 8 program groups of nearly equal size. These groups will go from area to area together maintaining social distancing.

Advancement and Offerings

These activities are automatically in your schedule.

Aquatics:

Each group will spend one and a half hours on Saturday and Sunday at the Aquatics areas.

- **Open Swim** – At main beach.
- **Water Games** – At main beach.
- **Open Boating** – At main beach. Boating, canoeing, or kayaking. The color of your buddy tag will determine the boat you can use.

Packs may split up amongst the three areas if there is an adult with each group.



Archery & Pellet Rifles:

On Saturday, each group will get one period at the Archery Range and one period at the Pellet Rifle Range.

Sling Shots and Sports:

On Saturday, each group will get one period at the range for Sling Shots and one period at the sports field for Sports.



Activities for Advancement:

On each day there are advancement periods. With separate offerings for Webelos and Arrow of Light candidates that include some of the required Adventures, some of the Elective Adventures and a Shooting Sports Award.

Webelos Advancement (Option A)



First Responder (Required)

Complete 1 and at least five others.

1. Explain what first aid is. Tell what you should do after an accident.
2. Show what to do for hurry cases of first aid: Serious bleeding, heart attack or sudden cardiac arrest, stopped breathing, stroke, poisoning
3. Show how to help a choking victim.
4. Show how to treat for shock.
5. Demonstrate how to treat at least five of the following:
 - A. Cuts and scratches,
 - B. Burns and scalds,
 - C. Sunburn,
 - D. Blisters on the hand or foot,
 - E. Tick bites,
 - F. Bites and stings of other insects,
 - G. Venomous snakebites,
 - H. Nosebleed,
 - I. Frostbite
6. Put together a simple home first-aid kit. Explain what you included and how to use each item correctly.
7. Create and practice an emergency readiness plan for your home or den meeting place.
8. Visit with a first responder or health care professional.

Requirements 6 & 7 will need to be completed at home



Into the Woods (Elective)

Complete Requirements 1-4 and one other.

1. Identify two different groups of trees and the parts of a tree.
2. Identify four trees common to the area where you live. Tell whether they are native to your area. Tell how both wild-life and humans use them.
3. Identify four plants common to the area where you live. Tell which animals use them and for what purpose.
4. Develop a plan to care for and then plant at least one plant or tree, either indoors in a pot or outdoors. Tell how this plant or tree helps the environment in which it is planted and what the plant or tree will be used for.
5. Make a list of items in your home that are made from wood and share it with your den. Or with your den, take a walk and identify useful things made from wood.
6. Explain how the growth rings of a tree trunk tell its life story. Describe different types of tree bark and explain what the bark does for the tree.
7. Visit a nature center, nursery, tree farm, or park, and speak with someone knowledgeable about trees and plants that are native to your area. Explain how plants and trees are important to our ecosystem and how they improve our environment.

Additional Webelos Advancement

Webelos will also have the opportunity to work on their Cast Iron Chef Elective



Cast Iron Chef (Elective)

Complete Requirements 1 and 2 below. Requirement 3 is optional.

1. Plan a menu for a balanced meal for your den or family. Determine the budget for the meal. If possible, shop for the items on your menu. Stay within your budget.
2. Prepare a balanced meal for your den or family. If possible, use one of these methods for preparation of part of the meal: camp stove, Dutch oven, box oven, solar oven, open campfire, or charcoal grill. Demonstrate an understanding of food safety practices while preparing the meal.
3. Use tinder, kindling, and fuel wood to demonstrate how to build a fire in an appropriate outdoor location. If circumstances permit and there is no local restriction on fires, show how to safely light the fire, under the supervision of an adult. After allowing the fire to burn safely, safely extinguish the flames with minimal impact to the fire site

Requirement 1 will need to be completed at home

Arrow of Light Advancement (Option B)



Outdoor Adventurer (Required)

Complete Option A or Option B.

- Option A
 1. With the help of your den leader or family, plan and participate in a campout.
 2. On arrival at the campout, with your den and den leader or family, determine where to set up your tent. Demonstrate knowledge of what makes a good tent site and what makes a bad one. Set up your tent without help from an adult.
 3. Once your tents are set up, discuss with your den and den leader or family what actions you should take in the case of the following extreme weather events:
 - A. Severe rainstorm causing flooding
 - B. Severe thunderstorm with lightning or tornadoes
 - C. Fire, earthquake, or other disaster that will require evacuation. Discuss what you have done to minimize as much danger as possible.
 4. Show how to tie a bowline. Explain when this knot should be used and why. Teach it to another Scout who is not a Webelos Scout.
 5. Recite the Outdoor Code and the Leave No Trace Principles for Kids from memory. Talk about how you can demonstrate them while you are working on your Arrow of Light. After one outing, list the things you did to follow the Outdoor Code and Leave No Trace.

Outdoor Adventurer (Required)

- Option B
 1. With the help of your den leader or family, plan and participate in an outdoor activity.
 2. Discuss with your den or family what actions you should take in the case of the following extreme weather events:
 - A. Severe rainstorm causing flooding
 - B. Severe thunderstorm with lightning or tornadoes
 - C. Fire, earthquake, or other disaster that will require evacuation. Discuss what you have done to minimize as much danger as possible.
 3. Show how to tie a bowline. Explain when this knot should be used and why. Teach it to another Scout who is not a Webelos Scout.
 4. Recite the Outdoor Code and the Leave No Trace Principles for Kids from memory. Talk about how you can demonstrate them while you are working on your Arrow of Light. After one outing, list the things you did to follow the Outdoor Code and Leave No Trace.



Castaway (Elective)

Complete the following requirements.

1. Complete A. and your choice of B. or C.
 - A. On a campout or outdoor activity with your den or family, cook two different recipes that do not require pots and pans.
 - B. With the help of an adult, demonstrate one way to light a fire without using matches.
 - C. Using tree limbs or branches that have already fallen or been cut, build a shelter that will protect you overnight.

2. Do all of the following.
 - A. Learn what items should be in an outdoor survival kit that you can carry in a small bag or box in a day pack. Assemble your own small survival kit, and explain to your den leader why the items you chose are important for survival.
 - B. With your den, demonstrate two ways to treat drinking water to remove impurities.
 - C. Discuss what to do if you become lost in the woods. Tell what the letters "S-T- O-P" stand for. Tell what the universal emergency signal is. Describe three ways to signal for help. Demonstrate one of them. Describe what you can do to help rescuers find you.
 - D. Make a list of four qualities you think a leader should have in an emergency and why they are important to have. Pick two of them, and act them out for your den. Describe how each relates to a point of the Scout Law. Describe how working on this adventure gave you a better understanding of the Scout motto, "Be Prepared."

Open Areas

Aquatics:

All aquatics will occur at Main Beach.



Craftshop:

Bring your favorite duct tape to make useful and decorative projects. A neckerchief slide, watch band, toy, pouch, wallet, or den flag.



Nature:

Compete in a nature scavenger hunt to see which Den can find the most things

Adult Leader Fees: Two adult leaders go free with the first four youth. One additional adult goes free for each additional four youth. Extra adult leaders are charged \$45.00 each.

Den Chief Fees: \$45.00 fee covers the den chief attending with the den.

Leadership

Two registered adult leaders 21 years of age or over are required at all Scouting activities, including meetings. There must be a registered female adult leader 21 years of age or over in every unit serving females. A registered female adult leader 21 years of age or over must be present for any activity involving female youth.

Notwithstanding the minimum leader requirements, age- and program-appropriate supervision must always be provided.

Campsites

Girl dens may request to camp in an all-girls campsite or may request to share a site with their boy dens. When sharing a site with boys, all packs that are camping in the site must be aware of and agree to share with a girl den.

Accommodations

Separate accommodations for adult males and females and youth males and females are required.

- Separate tenting arrangements must be provided for male and female adults as well as for male and female youth.
- Spouses and siblings may share tents.
- Where girl dens and boy dens share a campsite, girls and boys should be assigned to different den sites with a buffer zone between them where possible.
- **Each person should bring their own tent.**
- Youth and adults tent separately.

Latrines

We are in the process of retrofitting latrines to make stalls unisex. Signs will be on each latrine to indicate when stalls are in use and when they are available.

Showers

Females: Adult, staff, and youth females will use the **Boone** shower house. Separate times for adults and youth will be posted on the building.

Males: Adult, staff, and youth males will use the **Nature** shower house. Separate times for adults and youth will be posted on the buildings.

Program:

All adventure classes, den activities, and evening activities will be co-ed. All Webelos, whether boys or girls, will have access to the same program opportunities.

Mail & Emergency Phone Numbers

The camp phone is for camp business and emergencies.

EMERGENCY PHONE #

Phone (Business and Emergency Use): (207) 655-6766

We encourage all leaders to keep their Webelos away from the phone. Experience has taught us that this really helps with homesickness. We also encourage parents to get the cell phone number of your pack's leaders in case you need to get in touch.

Visitors

NO visitors will be allowed this year.

Leaving Camp

Scouts and adults will not be permitted to leave camp and return. Once you check in you are expected to stay on the camp grounds.

PACKING FOR CAMP

Personal Gear

- Webelos Uniform
- Webelos hat
- Extra pants, shirts, socks, underwear
- Pajamas
- Extra towels, shoes
- Rain gear
- Water bottle
- Pillow
- Sleeping bag or blankets
- Swim suit
- Cook kit with knife, fork, spoon
- Flashlight (with extra batteries)
- Jacket or sweater
- Toilet articles (No sprays please)
- Webelos handbook
- Pocketknife
- Sunblock
- Insect repellent

Optional Personal Gear

- Camera
- Watch
- Money for trading post
- Insect Repellent (No sprays please)
- Laundry bag
- Fishing Gear
- Bible or Prayer book
- Water shoes
- Costume for **Down on the Farm** theme

Leave at Home:

Pets, sheath knives, fireworks, firearms, ammunition, bows & arrows, radios, electronic games, cell phones, squirt guns, alcoholic beverages, and illegal drugs. Valuables should be left at home.

Pack/Den Gear

- Long handle tongs, chef kit (Cooking utensils) Vegetable peelers, hot pot mitts
- Pack flags, Den flags Dependable alarm clock
- Photocopies of all medicals
- Cooking stoves
- Cook kits, pots, pans, coffee pot, fry pan
- Individual cup/ bowl, plate
- Individual fork, knife, spoon
- Dutch oven

Optional Pack/Den Gear

- Lanterns Spade Woods tools
- Paper/plastic plates, cups, utensils Charcoal, charcoal chimney
- Solid charcoal lighter (no liquids) Newspaper
- Hot dog forks
- Wheel barrow or garden cart Sports equipment
- Baby powder (helps dry feet at water-camp (t))



**Directions: 146 Plains Road Raymond, ME (207)
655-6766**

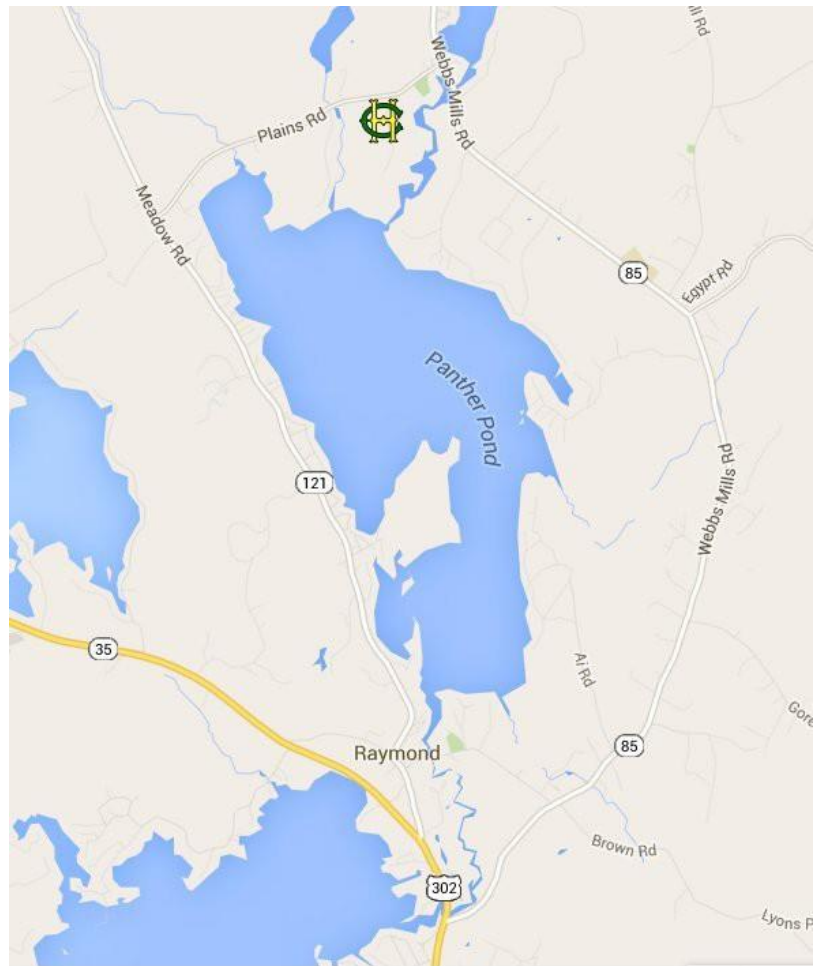
Plains Road is between Routes 85 and 121, both of which intersect Routes 302 and 11.

From the South:

Take Exit 48 (To Routes 25, 302: Riverside St., Larrabee Rd.) off the Maine Turnpike Turn Right onto Riverside Street
Turn Left onto Route 302 West
Go 15 miles and turn Right onto Route 85 Go 6 miles on Route 85; past the Jordan Small School
Turn Left onto Plains Road at the bottom of the hill
Camp is 0.5 miles on Left

From the North:

Take Exit 63 (To Routes 202, 115, 4, 26: Gray/New Gloucester) off the Maine Turnpike
Turn Left onto Route 202
Go 0.5 miles and turn Right onto Route 26A Go 3 miles and turn Left onto North Raymond Road
Go 1 mile and turn Left onto Egypt Road At the end of Egypt Road, turn Right onto Route 85
Go 1.8 miles on Route 85; past the Jordan Small School
Turn Left onto Plains Road at the bottom of the hill
Camp is 0.5 miles on Left.



2020 Webelos Resident Camp
William Hinds Advancement Activity Signup

Pack # _____ Camp Leader: _____ Campsite: _____

Phone # _____ E-mail Address _____

Webelos Activities

Number of Webelos Candidates: _____

Number of Leaders: _____

First Responder

Into the Woods

Webelos 1/2

Aquanut

Build My Own Hero

Arrow of Light Activities

Number of Arrow of Light Candidates: _____

Number of Leaders: _____

Outdoor Adventurer

Castaway

Cast Iron Chef

Program Sign-up

Once you have had time to look over the advancement choices and collect your unit's interest you will be able to select your den's advancement choices.

Webelos Leaders can sign up for activities in one of two ways. The BEST way to sign up for activities is to mail the form to camp. Forms received by mail will be processed in the order that they are received. Forms for advancement signup can be accessed from the end of the leaders guide or on-line at www.camphinds.org.

Mail forms to 146 plains rd. Raymond, ME 04071

Or email copy of form to the Camp Director: wph2@gwi.net

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