

CAMP TIAK - L.O. CROSBY, JR. SCOUT  
RESERVATION



# 2024 SUMMER CAMP



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\*SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND ACTIVITIES WILL BE ADDED OR  
ELIMINATED AS NEEDED\*

# A Message from The Directors

Welcome to Camp Ti'Ak! Enclosed in this year's Camp Guide is a comprehensive program that should be fun and enjoyable for everyone who attends camp. This Summer we're introducing new programs for both Scouts and Scouters that will benefit them not only through Summer Camp, but through the troop's "Scouting year" as a whole.

We've made several updates to the Camp Guide, therefore it's important that you thoroughly read this new Camp Guide so that you and your Troop are able to take full advantage of all that will be offered for Scouts and Scouters during camp this Summer. Our hope is that you have a great camping experience this summer at Camp Ti'Ak one that your Troop talks about all year.

Yours in Scouting,

NEIL SHERMAN  
CAMP DIRECTOR



MIKE MYERS  
PROGRAM DIRECTOR



# SCOUT OATH

ON MY HONOR I WILL DO MY BEST TO DO MY  
DUTY TO GOD AND MY COUNTRY AND TO OBEY  
THE SCOUT LAW TO HELP OTHER PEOPLE AT  
ALL TIMES TO KEEP MYSELF PHYSICALLY  
STRONG, MENTALLY AWAKE & MORALLY STRAIGHT

# A SCOUT IS

TRUSTWORTHY LOYAL ~~HELPFUL~~  
FRIENDLY *COURTEOUS* KIND  
OBEDIENT CHEERFUL THRIFTY  
BRAVE CLEAN & REVERENT



Every member of your troop who attends Camp  
Ti'Ak Summer Camp will learn the benefit of the

Boy Scouts of America's motto:

**BE PREPARED**

# REGISTRATION INFORMATION

WEEK 1

JUNE 2ND- JUNE 8TH

WEEK 2

JUNE 9TH- JUNE 15TH

## Who can attend?

Boys and girls registered in a Scouts BSA troop (ages 11 & up) and any adults registered with the Boy Scouts of America

## How to register?

Call or email Tabitha Lester to get started

601-582-2326 | [Tabitha.Lester@scouting.org](mailto:Tabitha.Lester@scouting.org)

\$275

\$300 (AFTER MAY 17TH)

## SCOUT FEE

\$TBD

## HIGH ADVENTURE SCOUT FEE

\$100

## SUMMER CAMP DEPOSIT

- THIS FEE IS YOUR COMMITMENT TO ATTEND. TO BE SUBTRACTED FROM YOUR END TOTAL

\$75

\$100 (AFTER MAY 17TH)

## ADDITIONAL LEADER FEE

- 1ST TWO LEADERS ARE FREE

\$5

## BUNKHOUSE RENTAL

- \$5 PER PERSON PER NIGHT = \$30 FOR THE 6 NIGHTS PER PERSON

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## ADDITIONAL PROGRAM FEES

- THERE WILL BE ADDITIONAL FEES FOR CERTAIN MERIT BADGE CLASS OPTIONS. DETAILS ON PAGE 7.

# IMPORTANT DATES

Commitment to attend (\$100 Summer Camp Deposit) January 8, 2024

Staff Applications Due January 12, 2024

Staff Interviews January 20, 2024 and February 10, 2024

MB Course Registration Opens March 1, 2024

25% Unit Payment March 1, 2024

50% Unit Payment April 5, 2024

75% Unit Payment May 3, 2024

Campership & Special Needs Requests Due May 3, 2024

100% Unit Payment May 17, 2024

MB Classes & Registration Closes May 24, 2024

# WHAT'S NEW?!

## ► Camp Tiak High Adventure Program

Camp Tiak is proud to debut its new High Adventure Program. The program will take place during each week of our annual Summer Camp. Scouts participating will get to experience a different adventure each day. The program is limited to 10 youth each week. Scouts attending must be 1st Class and at least 13 years of age. We are finalizing the cost but are projecting a cost of \$500 per Scout. This fee covers all Lodging, Meals, Transportation, and Program Fees.

Scouts will meet at the Administration building at 8:30 AM for a review of the day and to ensure everyone is prepared. Scouts will return to their respective Troops between 4:30-5:00pm each day. Breakfast and Supper will be served at camp, with lunch provided on the road. Scouts will be off-camp Monday-Thursday during the day but will be in camp Friday to participate in Troop Competitions and other Activities.

Day Activity Overview:

- Offshore Saltwater Fishing Excursion (Scouts must arrive to camp with a Saltwater Fishing License)
- Adventure Hike on the Tuxachanie National Hiking Trail
- COPE, Climbing, Zip Lining Experience
- Canoeing Trek via Black Creek or Okatoma (Scouts must have a BSA Swim Test with a "Swimmer" rating)

We will have one trained Camp Staff Member who accompanies the trek. Adult leaders will be selected each week to assist in fulfilling our leadership requirements. A full schedule, packing list, and final cost will be available at the time of registration.

## ► New Leader Activities and Training

# SUMMER CAMP MERIT BADGES

American Heritage	Indian Lore
Animation	Insect Study
Archery	Kayaking
Art	Leatherwork
Astronomy	Lifesaving*
Bird Study	Nature
Canoeing	Orienteering
Chemistry	Personal Fitness*
Citizenship in the Community*	Pioneering
Citizenship in the Nation*	Plant Science
Citizenship in the World*	Programing
Communication*	Reptile and Amphibian Studies
Cooking*	Rifle Shooting
Cycling (Mountain Bike)*	Robotics
Emergency Preparedness*	Rowing
Environmental Science*	Scout Heritage
Exploration	Shotgun Shooting
First Aid*	Sustainability*
Fishing	Swimming
Game Design	Welding
Geocaching	Wilderness Survival
Horsemanship	Woodcarving
This is a tentative list of which Merit Badges we are planning to offer. A full list with pre-requisites, program fees, schedule, and other information will be released prior to Merit Badge Registration.	

## FIRST YEAR CAMPER PROGRAM

THE FIRST YEAR CAMPER PROGRAM WILL GIVE YOUR SCOUTS AN OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES WHILE AT CAMP. EACH SCOUT IN THE FYCP WILL LEARN THE BASIC SKILLS THAT ALL SCOUTS MUST MASTER TO BECOME PROFICIENT IN CAMPING AND OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES. AFTER COMPLETING THE FYCP SESSION EACH DAY, SCOUTS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO EARN MERIT BADGES. FYCP WILL HELP SCOUTS WORK ON AND EARN MOST OF, IF NOT ALL THE REQUIREMENTS FOR SCOUT, TENDERFOOT & SECOND CLASS.

# 2024 DAILY SCHEDULE

TIMES	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
5:45AM	•••••	DEATH MARCH & MILE SWIM	DEATH MARCH & MILE SWIM	DEATH MARCH & MILE SWIM	DEATH MARCH & MILE SWIM	MILE SWIM	•••••
6:00AM	•••••	REVEILLE	REVEILLE	REVEILLE	REVEILLE	REVEILLE	REVEILLE
7:15AM	•••••	FLAG RAISING & WAITER CALL	FLAG RAISING & WAITER CALL	FLAG RAISING & WAITER CALL	FLAG RAISING & WAITER CALL	FLAG RAISING & WAITER CALL	FLAG RAISING & WAITER CALL
7:30AM	•••••	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST
8:30AM	•••••	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB MAKE-UP PERIODS 1-3	CHECK-OUT
9:30AM	•••••	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB MAKE-UP PERIODS 4-5	
10:30AM	•••••	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB MAKE-UP PERIODS 6-7	
	•••••						
12:00PM	STAFF MEETING	LUNCH & SPL MEETING	LUNCH & SPL MEETING	LUNCH & SPL MEETING	LUNCH & SPL MEETING	LUNCH & SPL MEETING	•••••
1:00PM	CHECK-IN	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	TIAK WATER CARNIVAL	•••••
2:00PM	MED FORM	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	TIAK ADVENTURE	•••••
3:00PM	CHECK	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES		RACE
4:00PM	TROOP PHOTO	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES	MB CLASSES		•••••
4:30PM	SWIM TEST	OPEN SWIM TIL 5PM	OPEN SWIM TIL 5PM	OPEN SWIM TIL 5PM	OPEN SWIM TIL 5PM	OPEN SWIM TIL 5PM	•••••
5:45PM	FLAG LOWERING & WAITER CALL	FLAG LOWERING & WAITER CALL	FLAG LOWERING & WAITER CALL	FLAG LOWERING & WAITER CALL	FLAG LOWERING & WAITER CALL	FLAG LOWERING & WAITER CALL	•••••
6:00PM	SUPPER	SUPPER	SUPPER & SM DINNER	SUPPER	SUPPER	SUPPER	•••••
7:00PM	SM & SPL MEETING	SM MEETING	SM DINNER	SM MEETING	SM MEETING	SM MEETING	•••••
7:30PM	CHAPEL SERVICE	EVENING	EVENING	CHAPEL SERVICE	SM VS STAFF VOLLEYBALL	CLOSING CAMPFIRE & OA CALL OUTS	•••••
8:00PM	OPENING CAMPFIRE	ACTIVITY	ACTIVITY	OA OPEN HOUSE	EVENING ACTIVITY		•••••
9:00PM	FREE TIME	FREE TIME	FREE TIME	FREE TIME	FREE TIME	FREE TIME	•••••
10:00 PM	TAPS	TAPS	TAPS	TAPS	TAPS	TAPS	•••••



# SPECIAL EVENTS

## EXTRA ACTIVITIES:

Basketball, Gaga Ball, Volleyball, Mountain Biking, Fishing (must bring gear,) Disc Golf, Board Games, Hiking, and Ultimate Frisbee.

## TI'AK ADVENTURE RACE

We will have an Adventure Race around camp that involves the entire troop. This will be a relay style race, with different task to complete. Awards will be given for Overall 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place troop.

## ADULT TRAINING

Adult Leader Training courses will be offered during camp. More information on Courses and How to register will be released prior to camp.

## SCOUTMASTER'S MERIT BADGE

Scoutmasters will once again have the opportunity to earn the Camp Tiak Scoutmaster Merit Badge. To earn the badge leaders attending camp will need to complete a list of task during the week of camp. A list will be provided prior to the start of camp.

## MILE SWIM

Must participate in the Mile Swim on Friday to receive patch. Daily Practices are mandatory in accordance with the Guide to Advancement to participate in the Mile Swim on Friday.

## TI'AK WATER CARNIVAL

Returning this year we will have a water carnival with several events for scouts and leaders to participate in. Awards will be given out for Overall 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.

## MOVIE MONDAY

You don't have to be inside of a movie theater to catch a great feature film! Join us Monday night at the Frazier Pavillion (weather-permitting) for a great movie and fellowship.

## DEATH MARCH

Must complete two (2) staff-led Death March to receive patch.



## TI'AK LODGE 404

FOR MORE THAN 100 YEARS THE ORDER OF THE ARROW (OA) HAS RECOGNIZED SCOUTS AND SCOUTERS WHO BEST EXEMPLIFY THE SCOUT OATH AND LAW IN THEIR DAILY LIVES. THIS RECOGNITION PROVIDES ENCOURAGEMENT FOR OTHERS TO LIVE THESE IDEALS AS WELL. ARROWMEN ARE KNOWN FOR MAINTAINING CAMPING TRADITIONS AND SPIRIT, PROMOTING YEAR-ROUND AND LONG-TERM RESIDENT CAMPING, AND PROVIDING CHEERFUL SERVICE TO OTHERS. OA SERVICE, ACTIVITIES, ADVENTURES, AND TRAINING FOR YOUTH AND ADULTS ARE MODELS OF QUALITY LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT AND PROGRAMMING THAT ENRICH AND HELP TO EXTEND SCOUTING TO AMERICA'S YOUTH. TI'AK LODGE #404 PROVIDES SERVICE TO OUR LOCAL CAMP, CAMP TIAK, BY HELPING WITH CAMP IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS, CONSERVATION PROJECTS, SUMMER CAMP STAFF, CUB SCOUT FAMILY CAMP WEEKENDS, AND SERVICE TO OUR LOCAL COMMUNITIES.

## LODGE HISTORY

OUR LODGE WAS CHARTERED IN 1948 AND OUR FIRST INDUCTION WAS HELD DECEMBER 4, 1948, WITH SOME 64 SCOUTS AND SCOUTERS IN ATTENDANCE AT THEN COUNCIL CAMP, CAMP TOWANDA. DURING THAT WEEKEND, THE INDUCTION CANDIDATES WERE INSTALLED BY AN INDUCTION TEAM FROM SEBOONEY OKASUCCA LODGE FROM THE ANDREW JACKSON AREA COUNCIL. THROUGHOUT THE YEARS, MANY DIFFERENT CHAPTERS HAVE BEEN RECOGNIZED WITHIN THE LODGE WHICH PROMOTES PARTICIPATION ON MORE OF A LOCAL LEVEL. CURRENTLY THERE ARE FIVE CHAPTERS: AYUPKA (CHICKASAWHAY DISTRICT), HOMMI HISHI (NORTHERN HALF OF TALL PINE DISTRICT AND TWIN RIVERS DISTRICT), WULELENSIN-ACHTU (SOUTHERN HALF OF TALL PINE DISTRICT), ITTIBAPISHILI (SPANISH TRAIL DISTRICT), AND WOAPALANNE (SINGING RIVER DISTRICT). TOGETHER, THESE CHAPTERS FORM TI'AK LODGE.

THE LODGE TOTEM IS THE PINE BURR (OR PINECONE). IT REPRESENTS THE LONG LEAF PINE TREES OF THE SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI PINE BELT AREA WHERE OUR CAMP AND LODGE RESIDE. THE LODGE NAME IS A SOURCE OF AREA PRIDE AS OUR NAME, TI'AK (PRONOUNCED TEE-OCK) MEANS "TALL PINE" OR "PLACE WHERE TALL PINES GROW" IN THE LANGUAGE OF THE CHOCTAW INDIANS.

## LODGE OFFICERS

LODGE CHIEF  
MATTILYN MACK

SECRETARY  
JOHNATHAN POTTS

1ST VICE CHIEF  
WYATT DUPONT

TREASURER  
DALTON BROOKS

2ND VICE CHIEF  
DUANE GONZALES

LODGE ADVISOR  
ROB GUYSE

SUPREME CHIEF OF THE FIRE  
ZACH ROSS

DON'T FORGET YOUR OA SASH!

# PACKING LIST

## INDIVIDUAL EQUIPMENT CHECKLIST

- SOCKS
- SWIM TRUNKS
- RAINCOAT OR PONCHO
- EXTRA UNDERWEAR AND T-SHIRTS
  - HIKING AND/OR TENNIS SHOES
  - BATH TOWEL AND SOAP
- TOOTHBRUSH AND TOOTHPASTE
  - COMB OR BRUSH
- SLEEPING BAG OR SHEETS
- JEANS OR LONG PANTS, BLANKETS, AND PILLOW
- FLASHLIGHT AND EXTRA BATTERIES
- INSECT REPELLENT, HAT, OR CAP
  - BOY SCOUT HANDBOOK
  - SPENDING MONEY
- SUNSCREEN, HAT, SUNGLASSES
- CANTEEN OR WATER BOTTLE
- STATIONARY & PEN OR PENCIL
- BIBLE OR PERSONAL RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

## WHAT CAMP TI'AK PROVIDES

- FLAGPOLE
- LATRINE AND WATER SUPPLY
- CAMPSITE SHOWER (BRING YOUR OWN PROPANE FOR THE WATER HEATER)
- TENT PLATFORMS
- BULLETIN BOARD
- SHOVEL, RAKE, WATER HOSE
- 1 PICNIC TABLE PER CAMPSITE

## TIPS

EACH TROOP WILL DECIDE WHAT ITEMS ARE NEEDED FOR SUMMER CAMP. A GOOD EXERCISE IS TO THINK ABOUT YOUR PERFECT WEEK AT CAMP AND BRING ITEMS THAT YOU SEE IN YOUR MENTAL PICTURE. IF YOU WANT TO SPEND THE WEEK FISHING, DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR FISHING ROD AND TACKLE BOX. TO HELP YOU KEEP FROM FORGETTING THOSE IMPORTANT ITEMS, WE HAVE A LIST TO HELP YOU WITH YOUR PACKING.

## WHAT NOT TO BRING TO CAMP

PERSONAL FIREARMS OR OTHER FIREARMS, AMMUNITION, BOWS, AND ARROWS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN CAMP. ONLY THOSE SUPPLIED BY THE SHOOTING SPORTS AREA ARE TO BE USED. SHEATH KNIVES OF ANY KIND ARE NOT ALLOWED AT ANY TIME IN ANY CAMP OPERATED BY THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA.

IN ADDITION: PETS, FIREWORKS, DRUGS, ALCOHOL, TOBACCO, VAPES, & GAMING DEVICES OF ANY KIND ARE NOT ALLOWED AT CAMP TI'AK.

# CAMP POLICIES

## CHECK IN PROCEDURES

Check in will BEGIN at 1:00 pm Sunday and end by 4:30 PM. To ensure all necessary check-in procedures are completed, Scoutmasters and their SPL should be ready to complete the check in upon arrival. Troop members must wait in the parking lot until check-in is complete BEFORE heading to their camp. Check in will be completed at the administration building which is located next to the main parking lot. Troop leaders should have a final count of the members attending camp, merit badge schedules, medical forms, and a written explanation of any Scout who has any special medical needs. Medical re-checks will be conducted by trained medical personnel prior to any Scout being allowed to participate in any camp program.

## RAIN PLANS

As long as your youth have a dry change of clothing, your activities need not be confined indoors in bad weather. Some program areas are closed for safety reasons. Check with the appropriate department to be sure. Ideas for a rainy day: woodcarving, soap carving, “bone-up” on advancement, games with paper and pencil, wet weather fire building, etc. The camp program goes on, rain or shine!

## EVENTS REFUND POLICY

The Pine Burr Area Council will process refunds for fees paid for the activities under the following conditions:

- A 100% refund will be given for requests made at least 10 business days in advance of the event.
- A 100% refund will be given for youth not attending for medical reasons (Doctors letter required).
- No refunds will be given after the event except for medical reasons (Doctors letter required).

Requests must be made in writing and submitted to the Council Service Center via mail or email. Requests must give Scouts name, unit number, activity for which a refund is being requested, including doctor’s letter.

## PHONE USAGE

\*In the event of an Emergency only\* There is not phone service in camp. Please call your Scoutmaster’s cell phone or in the event of an emergency only, leave a message on the Camp Director’s phone at 601-498-5920.

## BUDDY SYSTEM

For safety, the buddy system is used at all times throughout camp. This is very important and will be enforced at all times. Leaders are asked to be sure each Scout understands the operation of the Buddy System and plan accordingly.

# CAMP POLICIES

## TRAILERS

Upon arrival at Camp, troops with an equipment trailer will be allowed to tow them into their campsite. Only the tow vehicle will be allowed in camp and must be removed from camp immediately. \*No vehicles are allowed to remain in the campsite.\* A trailer will be on hand to help haul gear to campsites. Parking is available in main parking lot. \*NO private vehicles are allowed on camp roads.\* ~Trailers may be brought in early on Saturday between 2pm and 5pm.

Please call 601-498-5920 to notify the Camp Director that you are coming with a trailer.

No trailer will be allowed in on Sunday before 1pm.

## LEADERSHIP IN CAMP

All units are required to have two adult leaders (21 years of age) in camp at all times. This is a National Council standard/requirement. All leaders must be registered members of the Boy Scouts and meet the membership qualifications of the BSA.

Troops that cannot meet the requirement of two-deep leadership will be placed into campsites with another troop to meet this requirement. In the event you are unable to have two adult leaders in camp, Scoutmasters should contact the Camp Director so that arrangements can be made to camp your troop with another troop with the same challenge.

## VISITORS

Visitors are required to check in at the Admin Building and get a Badge. Visitors will have the opportunity to eat dinner with Scouts in the dining hall. Cost for the evening meal is \$5.00.

Dinner tickets can be purchased at the Trading Post

Parents should plan on arriving at 3:30 pm.

Scoutmasters will need to provide to the Camp Director no later than the morning meeting a head count of additional people who will be at the dinner meal so that enough food can be prepared.

## CHECK-OUT

On Saturday morning, each troop will be required to check-out prior to leaving Camp Ti'Ak. The following steps will assist you in making sure everything has been completed prior to departing camp. A staff-assigned Troop Guide will assist the unit in completing the check-out procedures. Those procedures are:

1. A complete inspection of the campsite will be conducted to ensure that the camp equipment is returned in the same condition as when the troop arrived.
2. All trash will be bagged using the trash bags provided and placed in the dumpsters behind the Dining Hall.
3. The Scoutmaster and Senior Patrol Leader must come to the administration building to collect medical forms, Camp Ti'Ak Summer Camp Special Patches, and turn in camp evaluation forms.
4. Troops should be packed and ready to depart Camp Ti'Ak by 10:30 am on Saturday morning.

# CAMP POLICIES

## FACILITIES FOR THE PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED

Sioux Campsite is a barrier free site at Camp Ti'Ak. It will accommodate up to 40 physically challenged Scouts and adult leaders. It is conveniently located near the dining facility. Troops with special-need Scouts are given priority in reserving this site.

\*\*\*\*\*Please fill out a special needs request for us to ensure that all needs are accommodated

## FOOD SERVICE

All Meals will be served in the dining facility. Meals are provided in a modified cafeteria style fashion. A well-balanced menu has been designed to please both Scouts and Scouters. Troops eat together. Each troop will provide a table waiter for each table assigned to them. Table waiters will set up each table for each meal and then clean up those tables after each meal.

## TROOP INSURANCE

Out of Council troops are required to present a copy of their troop accident and health insurance forms upon check-in, NO EXCEPTIONS! Troops not being able to present a copy of their accident and health insurance forms will not be allowed to check-in, set up their troop site or participate in any camp programs, and cannot stay at camp until the insurance form is presented.

## HEALTH AND SAFETY

All Scouts and leaders attending camp must have signed physical examination before arriving at camp by completing the BSA Health Form (Part A,B,& C). Health Forms can be found online. Upon arrival at camp, each camper will have a medical recheck and each Scout and Scouter will have a physical form on file with the health officer during his/her stay at camp. Physical forms will be returned to the Scoutmaster when the troop completes its check out. Physical forms not collected by the scoutmaster during check out will be destroyed after 72 hours. Physical forms can only be given to the troop Scoutmasters because of the confidential information they contain.

**\*\*\*We HIGHLY recommend putting everyone's Health Forms in alphabetical order in one binder so that it's all together & stays together.**

# CAMP POLICIES

## CAMP DRESS CODE

This policy establishes the dress standards during resident camp at Camp Tiak.

1. Appropriate attire is an aspect of youth protection. 2. Policy on dress standards during resident camp a. The following standards and guidelines are established for the dress of youth and adults during resident camp.

1. General. a) The wear of appropriate clothing is required at all times in camp.

Appropriate clothing must always present a modest appearance. b) The normal attire in camp is a shirt (short or long sleeve); shorts, skorts, or pants; and footwear. c) Articles of clothing which advertise or promote anything that may contradict the values and ideals that Scouting is trying to teach should be left at home. d) Shirts. i. All shirts must be at least waist length. ii. Scouts are encouraged to wear their Scouting t-shirts. iii. Shirts that exhibit slogans or products that are against Scouting principles are not allowed in camp. iv. The wearing of tank tops and sleeveless shirts are not allowed in camp except at the waterfront during aquatic activities. e) Footwear i. Closed-toe shoes (such as boots, sneakers, or closed toe sandals) are the required footwear in camp except at aquatic activities. ii. Open-toe shoes (such as sandals, flip-flops, or crocs) are only permitted in shower houses and at the waterfront while engaged in Aquatic activities.

2. Uniforms. a) It is recommended that all attending resident camp have and properly wear a Scout uniform while in camp for morning flag, breakfast, evening flag, dinner, camp-wide campfires, and chapel service. b) The Scout uniform while in camp must include at least the uniform shirt. Individuals are also encouraged to wear uniform shorts, skorts, or pants and socks.

3. Swimwear a) Swimsuits should be appropriate to the activity, comfortable, functional, and modest. b) For males, swim trunks or board shorts are appropriate. Tight fitting swim briefs or swim bottoms short enough to allow exposure are not allowed. c) For females, tankinis or one-piece swimsuits with modest coverage are appropriate. Bikinis and monokinis are not allowed. d) Swimsuits must be secure enough to not shift or fall off while participating in aquatic activities. e) Wearing swimsuits around camp is not allowed. It is permissible to wear swimsuits between the unit's campsite and aquatic activities, but a shirt, shorts, or full length cover up must also be worn. f) A t-shirt or additional layer, such as a rash guard top, is allowed for wear with a swimsuit during an aquatic activity if it does not hinder the safety of the individual, such as hampering movement in the water.

Compliance. 1. Units are encouraged to review this policy with all participants before attendance at camp. 2. It is the responsibility of each participant at resident camp to understand and comply with the policy on dress standards in resident camp. Compliance starts with individual responsibility. It is reinforced by buddy checks and leaders. 3. Unit leaders are expected to ensure compliance during resident camp by members of their unit. Units are encouraged to hold daily attire and/or uniform inspections in order to make any necessary corrections. 4. If there are concerns about any individual's attire, the concern should be presented to the Camp Director or Program Director for resolution. 5. The continued violation of the standards and guidelines in this policy, after formal notice of a need for correction, can result in expulsion from resident camp. 6. If requested, the Camp Director may grant individual exceptions to this policy based on a medical condition if such an exception is determined to be justified.

This policy will remain in effect until updated, superseded, or discontinued.

# CAMP POLICIES

## DANGEROUS WILDLIFE

Camp Ti'Ak is a wilderness setting. While visiting the out-of-doors, remember that we are guests here and that there are several different kinds of wildlife that call Camp Ti'Ak home. Venomous and non-venomous snakes, spiders, ticks, deer, and the national bird of Camp Ti'Ak, the mosquito, are just a few of the different kinds of wildlife you will see at Camp Ti'Ak. Bites from any of these animals can be painful and, in some cases, very serious. Leaders should brief Scouts on the importance of the use of insect repellents and check Scouts for bites at least daily.

## HOUSING

Units wishing to utilize bunkhouses may do so for a nightly fee. Bunkhouses are first-come first-serve and must be reserved when campsite is reserved. Bunkhouses are located in Sioux (2), Choctaw (1), Osage (1), Cherokee (1), and Cheyenne (1).

## IDENTIFICATION BRACELETS

All persons on camp will be identified by a bracelet. Visitors are required to check in at the Administration Building and receive a badge. Any person on camp not wearing a bracelet or badge will be directed to the Admin Building. Visitors will turn in badge when checking out.

## EMERGENCIES AT CAMP TIAK

Camp Tiak will have a qualified health individual on the camp property 24 hours a day during the camping season. The health lodge (in accordance with state and local guidelines) will store and administer all prescription medications as directed by the Scout's personal physician and parents. In the unlikely event of serious illness or injury to a Scout or Scouter, he/she will be taken to the closest hospital for treatment. The Pine Burr Area Council and/or Camp Ti'Ak will not pay for prescription medication or emergency room costs in the event of a hospital visit by a Scout or leader.

## FIRE SAFETY

Camp Ti'Ak has a fire emergency notification system. Under no circumstances shall flames of any kind be used in any tent. If a Scout or leader plans to use their own tent for lodging, they must have the tent labeled "No flames in Tents." This can be stenciled on the tent or placed on a card in front of the tent. Flashlights and battery-powered lanterns (which do not pose an asphyxiation threat) are permissible. In the event of a fire in a campsite, Scouts and/or leaders do not fight fires under any circumstances.



# CAMP POLICIES

## SCOUTMASTER DINNER

At Summer Camp on Tuesday we will have our Scoutmaster Dinner. At this dinner we will discuss what's happening in South MS Scouting, hand out the Winter Camp Guide, and eat supper. Only two (2) representatives from each unit are permitted to attend this dinner.

## BATHROOM & SHOWER FACILITIES

Facilities within each subcamp WILL NOT be designated for Adult Only use. Signs will be posted to indicate by whom the facility is in use of. Eg. Adult Female, Youth Female, Adult Male & Youth Male. CENTRAL SHOWERS will have a posted schedule for Female and Male usage times. Adult Leaders are expected to monitor Central Shower activities to ensure safety for all Scouts and Scouters.

## KEEP IN CONTACT

Mail will be passed out at the flag ceremonies daily. All outgoing mail should be placed in the outgoing mailbox located at the Admin Building. Mail that is not fully addressed to campers is very difficult to deliver. Please make sure that the Troop # is written on all letters and packages. Mail should be addressed as follows:

SCOUTS NAME & TROOP #

CAMP TIAK

64 CAMP TIAK RD

WIGGINS, MS, 39577

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND POLICIES

MAY BE RELEASED AS SUMMER CAMP DRAWS NEAR

SEE YOU AT SUMMER CAMP! 17

# SPECIAL NEEDS

The Pine Burr Area Council will do everything in its power to accommodate participants with special needs. Please complete this form and submit it to [Tabitha.Lester@scouting.org](mailto:Tabitha.Lester@scouting.org) *as soon as possible*

NAME: ..... PHONE: .....

EMAIL: .....

TROOP: ..... COUNCIL: .....

1. DOES ANYONE IN YOUR UNIT HAVE A PHYSICAL NEED THAT LIMITS MOBILITY? PLEASE PROVIDE US WITH DETAILS BELOW:

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2. DOES ANYONE IN YOUR UNIT HAVE SPECIAL EQUIPMENT NEEDS? (ACCESS TO ELECTRICITY, ETC.) PLEASE PROVIDE US WITH DETAILS BELOW:

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3. DOES ANYONE IN YOUR UNIT HAVE SPECIAL DIETARY CONCERNS/NEEDS? PLEASE PROVIDE SPECIFIC DETAILS AND ALTERNATIVE FOOD SUGGESTIONS BELOW:

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4. PLEASE LIST ANY OTHER SPECIAL NEEDS BELOW:

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# CAMPSITE REQUEST FORM

WEEK 1  
JUNE 2ND - JUNE 8TH

WEEK 2  
JUNE 9TH - JUNE 15TH

## BEST POINT OF CONTACT

### FOR ALL SUMMER CAMP COMMUNICATIONS:

NAME: ..... PHONE: .....

EMAIL: .....

TROOP: ..... CAMPSITE: .....

ESTIMATED YOUTH COUNT: .....

ESTIMATED ADULT COUNT: .....

\$275 \$300 (AFTER MAY 15TH)	SCOUT FEE
\$100	SUMMER CAMP DEPOSIT • THIS FEE IS YOUR COMMITMENT TO ATTEND. TO BE SUBTRACTED FROM YOUR END TOTAL
\$75 \$100 (AFTER MAY 15TH)	ADDITIONAL LEADER FEE • 1ST TWO LEADERS ARE FREE
\$5	BUNKHOUSE RENTAL • \$5 PER PERSON PER NIGHT = \$30 FOR THE 6 NIGHTS PER PERSON
\$\$\$	ADDITIONAL PROGRAM FEES • THERE WILL BE ADDITIONAL FEES FOR CERTAIN MERIT BADGE CLASS OPTIONS. DETAILS ON PAGE 7.

PLEASE SEND THIS FORM TO [TABITHA.LESTER@SCOUTING.ORG](mailto:TABITHA.LESTER@SCOUTING.ORG) AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. YOU CAN MAIL A CHECK OR CALL IN PAYMENT TO 601-582-2326