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Cornhusker Council 2022 Day Camp

June 13th – 17th

Parent/Unit Leader Guide

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## Cub Scout Day Camp 2022

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**WELCOME**

**WELCOME CAMPERS!**

On behalf of the Camp Staff, welcome to the Cornhusker Council 2022 Day Camp. This year we will take Cub Scouts to where the mythical creatures can be found! We are looking forward to five fun-filled days for the Scouts. Day Camp is a great opportunity for your Scouts to keep scouting in the summer while earning some requirements towards their rank advancement.

The intent of this manual is to help Parents and Leaders learn more about camp and the fun their Scouts will have. We appreciate the time and energy you provide to make it all possible. We hope that you too will find our Day Camp experience to be fun and rewarding.

The Day Camp volunteers have created a schedule especially for your Scouts. This camp will offer targeted activities for the den levels, Scouts who enrolled in the Tiger den as part of a spring recruitment, those who have completed their first, second and third grade years, as well as the Webelos going into fourth and fifth grades. We have selected activities for the Scouts that involve hands-on learning. Some of the areas of interest include Archery, BB-Gun and Slingshot, as well as Nature, Crafts, Scout Skills and various games. The Outdoor Education Center offers many other amenities including a Soccer Field and Archery and BB-Gun ranges that we will use during the program. We highly encourage adult participation in all our activities. We are excited to work with you and your Scouts to help them gain the knowledge they will use in their future Scouting years. We can assure you that this will be an opportunity to make lifelong memories with your Scout.

We hope you all have a great week. Remember, Day Camp is planned with the Scouts in mind, in hopes they have a memorable experience. Stretch yourself - try something different. Be determined to step forth in the spirit of Cub Scouts and make a lasting memory for both you and the Scouts in your care. **Please know that you are very much appreciated**.

In the Scouting Spirit,

The Day Camp Committee

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**MISSION AND PURPOSE**

**MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Scout Law.

**NATIONAL STANDARDS**

The Boy Scouts of America has established standards so that each council annually appraises its facilities, equipment, staff, service and program. We meet all BSA National Camp Accreditation Program Standards.

**WHY CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP?**

Camp participation strengthens Packs, so their Scouts benefit and grow with a great outdoor experience. The daily program is centered on Cub Scouts having FUN and earning some electives and activity requirements.

**WHAT IS CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP?**

* Day camp is an adventure with a purpose.
* It provides continuation of the Cub Scout program throughout the summer.
* Helps the Scouts maintain their interest and needs.
* Helps provide a pack the opportunity to earn the National Summertime Award
* Assists in recruiting, training, and inspiration of present and future Cub Scout Leadership
* Assists in the progression from Cub Scouting to Boy Scouting.
* Day camping is living in a natural environment.
* The number one aim is to help packs be successful.
* Day camp helps strengthen den and pack organization for better year-round organization.
* Most importantly, **DAY CAMP IS FUN!**

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**DEN HOME AREA**

**Setting Up Your Den Home Area**

Your pack will be assigned a Den Home area.

A map with the location of your pack’s den area will be available at registration. The den home areas will be mapped out, numbered and marked with signage. This will be your campsite for the week…..this is YOUR HOME AWAY FROM HOME for a week, so dress it up ...use the "2022 Mythical Creatures and Where Cubs Find Them” Day Camp theme and let your imagination run wild!!! Whatever you choose, your Cubs will welcome the chance to help with ideas and construction.

A campsite **MUST** have the following items:

1. Storage area for equipment & supplies
2. Coolers with plenty of ice for food storage
3. Hand washers (soap, rinse, drying)
4. Trash bag or container
5. Shelter, such as a dining fly, tarp or tent
6. Seating
7. Paper towels
8. Cooler for water

**Please flag all ropes, guidelines and potential hazards to make them visible.**

**Suggested** items and atmosphere for your campsite might include:

1. Campsite banner or flag
2. Campsite entrance
3. Games and/or craft supplies
4. Table covers
5. Individual storage for scout’s supplies/seating

All family members are invited to assist in your campsite setup. Your den home can be as simple as a small pop-up sunshade. Some packs use larger covers, and some even choose to put up a small tent for changing clothes, storing supplies or resting.

**Spirit Points**

Show us your camp spirit and receive points. Spirit Points are given during day camp and at the end of the day the Den with the most points will earn a trophy to carry with them the next day. Points are given for:

Enthusiasm

Pack Signs

Marching Chants

Den yells

Anything extra you add to your den home- flags, streamers, etc....

**REMEMBER:**

This will be your home away from home for the week. The shade and seating that you bring along will be all that you have. Please bring a pack cooler for water. The sun gets really hot and everyone needs to **drink, drink, drink!**

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**CAMP FACTS / FEES**

**DATE, TIME, LOCATION**

* Day Camp runs June 13th – 17th
* Check-in is Saturday June 11th and Sunday June 12th from Noon to 6 pm.
  + These are good times to set up your Den Home!
* Flag ceremony starts at 8:15 am and the Daily program starts at 8:40 am.
* We invite parents to attend our closing ceremony each day starting at 3:30 pm and all Scouts will be dismissed no later than 4:00 pm.
* Camp is held at the Outdoor Education Center located at 600 S 120th St Walton, NE 68461 (Just 5 miles east of Lincoln)

**FEES**

Price for the Full 5 days:  
Youth - full camp Monday-Friday $135      Adults - Free

Each Scout that registers for the full week of day camp will receive a t-shirt.

Each adult that registers online to help as a Walking Den Leader, for 2 or more days will receive a free t-shirt. (additional savings only apply to full week registrants)

**Early Bird Registration Price:** $125 (must be paid in full by 31 March 2022)

**FOS Discount Price:** $125 (must be paid in full by 1 May 2022 to apply this discount) FOS discount is for unit registration. Must also register as a Pack for this discount to apply.

**Youth Single day**: $32

Late Registration:  Call for exceptions 402-488-6020: (28 May – 1 June)  
Youth – Full Camp – Monday- Friday $145  
Youth – Single Day - $45

**Scholarships through the Council**: you may apply for a scholarship for funding to attend camp. Simply fill out the scholarship form found online at [http://www.cornhuskercouncil.org/camping/cubcamps/camperships-and-camp-fees.html](https://na01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.cornhuskercouncil.org%2Fcamping%2Fcubcamps%2Fcamperships-and-camp-fees.html&data=04%7C01%7C%7C5e2975186310451def7908d9dc5e29a5%7C84df9e7fe9f640afb435aaaaaaaaaaaa%7C1%7C0%7C637783119252438397%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000&sdata=tNOQ79AB%2B3WbMAhNHsIi5C9We33oXoQbegTEMSPG2Go%3D&reserved=0) and submit it to the Outdoor Education Center 1 month prior to camp and before making your final payment for camp.

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**CHECK IN / CHECK OUT / VISITORS**

**CHECK-IN**

**Check in Prior to the Start of Camp**

* Saturday June 11th from Noon to 6 pm.
* Sunday June 12th from Noon to 6 pm.

At check-in you will turn in:

1. a completed Health History form, Parts A & B
2. a copy, front and back, of your Health Insurance card

You will be given your Scouts Den number and a Day Camp t-shirt. You can deposit money into your Scout’s Trading Post Account, and you will fill out a photo release form.

**CHECK-OUT**

Normal check out will be with your Pack and whomever is assigned as your Walking Den Leader. Make sure each Scout’s parent initials the checkout sheet and it is returned to the office. If a Scout is not checked out the parent will be getting a call so we can ascertain his/her whereabouts. If there is an emergency during check out, i.e., a down pour of rain, and you are unable to find your Scout please seek out a Day Camp Staff member who will be wearing a Teal staff shirt.

**CHECK-OUT DURING CAMP HOURS**

If a Cub Scout needs to leave camp during Day Camp regular hours the parent/guardian must stop in at the Admin Office in the basement of the Outdoor Education Center to check the Scout out. If it is not a parent that will be checking out the Scout, we must have a written note to release the Scout. When it is time for the Scout to leave camp, he/she will need to be escorted to the Admin Office for check-out by TWO adult leaders and the adult that will be taking him must show a photo ID. All early dismissals will be signed out by Office Staff, Camp Director Jamie or the BSA District Executive Lee. Jamie and the Lee will be wearing teal staff shirts.

**VISITORS**

Family members and other visitors are always welcome and encouraged to attend Camp. To keep your campers safe, we need to know who is always on the property, so please check in downstairs in the Admin Office. We encourage family members to sign up to be a volunteer and participate in the Scouts’ fun.



**TRANSPORTATION / PARKING / TRADING POST**

**TRANSPORTATION**

All families are responsible for youth transportation to and from camp. Many units carpool, which is great. We just ask you to please note the following national BSA policy about the transportation of youth:

"Every Scout MUST have a seat and wear a seat belt". Also, please be mindful of passenger air bags. The transportation of Scouts in the bed of a pickup truck is prohibited. This policy will be strictly enforced and anyone not adhering will not be allowed to enter camp.

**DAILY PARKING**

When you arrive in the morning park in the south gravel parking lot. **Each car must park and walk their Scouts to their drop off spot. This spot will be marked with their Den number** If you have already checked in and received your t-shirt you may go directly to your drop off spot. There will be 1 entrance and 1 exit into the parking area, so please watch for the signage, and use appropriately. Parents must park and come to the Amphitheater to sign out their Scout at the end of the day.

**TRADING POST**

All activities and projects in Camp have been included as part of the Camp Fee. There will be a Trading Post to provide additional snacks, souvenirs, and walking sticks (with branding available of CC (Camp Cornhusker) and year 22. Scouts may wish to bring some spending money (est. $25.00 to $30.00). You may set up an account for your Scout and deposit money into it for the Trading Post. This must be done at check-in on the 11th & 12th and can be done using a debit card. The use of a debit card will only be allowed on the 11th & 12th during check-in. This will eliminate the possibility of a Scout losing their money during activities.

**PETS**

Pets of any kind are not allowed at camp unless it is a service animal. In the case of a service animal, we will need paperwork for each individual case. Please see Lee Peterson for this paperwork prior to Day Camp.

**Day Camp requires each Pack to have a ratio of one (1) adult Walking Den Leader for *every five* (5) Scouts. There must always be two adult leaders with a group, no matter how few Scouts a pack might have. It is recommended that each Pack have at least four adult leaders daily, to provide for restroom trips or any other need for separation, so that two-deep leadership is always maintained. Packs should find 1 adult that can attend all 5 days and ask the other parents to come at least 1 day for the ratios to work. Tiger Scouts must be accompanied by their adult partner.**

**CAMP LEADERSHIP REQUIREMENTS**

**HEALTH FORMS**

Every person must have a completed health form parts A&B on file to be allowed to enter camp. This includes Cubs, Den Chiefs, Walking Leaders, Staff and visitors. All forms must be signed. Special needs Scouts may need one on one attention. Please contact Jamie if you feel your Scout requires this.

**WALKING GROUP SIZES**

Program areas can handle up to 25 Scouts at one time, however, the optimal group size is 20 Scouts. Please understand that this is done to optimize the experience of the Scouts at Day Camp.

**YOUTH PROTECTION GUIDELINES**

All the Pack’s Walking Den Leaders must have taken the BSA Youth Protection online training course.

In addition to the **Walking Den Leaders,** there are many other adult volunteers that are responsible for running the Day Camp:

**PACK COORDINATOR**

As you may know, each Pack should have its own **Pack Coordinator** that organized the participation of his/her Pack. This includes providing information to the Pack about Day Camp, coordinating paperwork, and recruiting adult volunteers for Walking Leaders and Camp Staff. This is the primary communication link between the Pack and Day Camp staff for all issues, information and emergencies.

**PROGRAM STAFFERS**

Next, there are the **Staffers** and **Junior Assistants,** volunteers provided by packs and troops across the district. They are responsible for running the Program Areas (activities) at Day Camp. They attended training sessions to learn about their specific responsibilities and daily routine at camp. They get to camp early to set up and leave late after securing camp program materials. To operate the program areas, approximately 75 Staffers/assistants are required to make Day Camp happen for the Scouts.



**CAMP LEADERSHIP REQUIREMENTS (CONT)**

**DAY CAMP COMMITTEE**

Committee Members are volunteers listed on the front page whose positions serve the entire camp. Some of them spend up to 11 months planning and preparing for these *five* days of the year.

**PROFESSIONAL STAFF**

The Council Professional on site at Day Camp is **BSA District Executive Lee Peterson**. He takes the highest level of responsibility for the camp, working directly with the BSA, other districts and hundreds of volunteers.

**EVALUATION SURVEY**

You will receive an evaluation/survey on Wednesday of the camp week. Remember this evaluation is our only means of communication with you on the quality of the camp we

offer. Your honest opinions and suggestions will be greatly appreciated. When filling out the sheet, please keep in mind we cannot change the weather or bugs. If you find something that needs immediate attention, please find one of the camp committee members to discuss the issue.

**EVERYONE'S Daily List**



**Smiles, everyone. Smiles**

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**ADULTS / CAMPERS – WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP**

**ADULT LEADER’S DAILY LIST**

Walking Leader Guide (Den Binder) This binder is to be returned to the

Day Camp Admin Office at the end of the day.

* Sack lunch
* Water bottle
* Sunscreen non-aerosol)
* Bug Repellent (non-aerosol)
* Camp Shirt

**OPTIONAL**

Comfortable Portable Chair

Squirt bottle

Backpack or sack for completed crafts and trading post items.

Money for trading post

Hat, raincoat, poncho or trash bag

Back-up clothing

Back-up pair of shoes and socks

Group “pick-me-up” treats

Ideas for games, crafts, etc.

**CAMPERS DAILY LIST**

**PLEASE MARK ALL CLOTHING & GEAR WITH SCOUT’S NAME**

A backpack to hold crafts and other essentials.

A re-useable water bottle

Sack lunch--a cooler will be provided.

Camp uniform:

Camp T-shirt, shorts or pants, socks and comfortable shoes,

**NO OPEN TOED** shoes, sandals, crocs or flip flops

Extra socks for those wet/rainy days

Hat or cap

Rain gear should be sent upon need.

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**CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP RULES**

The following rules apply to Day Camp, and we request that everyone at camp,

including visitors, observe them. A copy of the rules will be posted in the admin area.

1. The buddy system will be in effect at all times. Buddies will be chosen on

the first day of camp. Head count will be done on a buddy basis. A Scout

should stand-alone if his/her buddy is missing and should not take another

buddy.

1. No Scout is to leave camp during the day without the permission of the

Camp Director and will be released only to the person or persons as directed

by his/her parents in writing. Parents/guardians are to check the Scout out/in at the Admin area if they leave during the program time.

1. Scouts will remain in the registration area at the end of each camp day until

their ride arrives, and will check out with his/her den leader or designated

adult before leaving.

1. Camp uniform will be worn by all staff and participants every day. Camp

uniform shall consist of program shirt, shorts/jeans, hiking or athletic shoes.

1. Scouts are not to have, or use matches unless under the direction of an adult

in certain activity areas.

1. Throwing objects is prohibited except as part of a planned activity.

No swearing, obscene or abusive language.

1. Knives are not allowed except in certain activity areas and then only under

the supervision of an adult. Knives brought to camp will be collected at the start

of camp and returned at the end of camp that day.

1. First Aid is located outside the Admin Office/Woods Room.
2. Please bring your attendance report to Headquarters before the start of the1st

rotation. Attendance will be taken every day for participants and staff.

1. Leaders are to remain with their dens at all times. If it is necessary to

leave the den, have another adult watch the den while you are gone.

1. No smoking in camp, NO firearms and NO alcoholic beverages.

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**DUTIES OF THE ADULT LEADERS (WALKING DEN LEADERS)**

**If you are accompanying your Scout to Day Camp you are+ considered a Walking Den Leader or Asst Walking Den Leader. The duties listed below apply to you. In addition, you are required to have Youth Protection Training and Day Camp Staff training. You will receive notification when Day Camp Staff training will be held.**

1. Be responsible to the Camp Director. Wear your program shirt and/or wristband.
2. Be on time with your den to opening and closing ceremonies. Use your

Den Notebook.

1. Attendance sheets are due at the beginning of the 1st rotation of each day.

Please turn them in at the Admin area.

1. Assign each participant and Den Chief a buddy. Buddy checks will be conducted at every rotation. Do a head count each time the den arrives and leaves a different program area.
2. Follow posted procedure for missing Scout if count is not correct.
3. Go over the schedule with Scouts at start of each day.
4. Escort your den from place to place. Encourage singing and games such

as how many different bugs seen, or maybe different leaves seen as you move from one station to another.

1. Assist in program areas as needed so Scouts make the most of all opportunities.
2. Help Scouts with song and/or skit for closing ceremonies.
3. Be concerned with camper safety. Prevent dangerous actions such as rock

throwing, walking barefoot, rock climbing, etc.

1. If minor first aid is needed, escort Cub Scout and his/her buddy to First Aid

located at Admin area, after the rest of the den has been taken care of.

1. For a major emergency, follow Day Camp Staff’s directions. These procedures/directions are found in both Staff Handbooks and Walking Den Leader Binders.
2. Maintain control over the Den. Report any problems you cannot handle

to Admin area staff and Camp Director.

1. Check each Scout out of camp each day. If you must leave before all

your Scouts have left, notify the Camp Director.

1. Observe Scout-like behavior.

RELAX AND HAVE A GOOD TIME.

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**ADVANCEMENT**

At the end of the week each Scout is sent home with a certificate and on the back is a list of the achievements that could be earned by attending Day Camp. Please remember that a Scout only earns the award if they were present and participated in the activities. It is up to each pack to maintain attendance information for advancement.

**PARTICIPATION PATCH**

Each registered Cub Scout will receive a Day Camp participation patch. These patches will be in the package you receive upon final checkout on Friday.

**YOUTH REGISTRATION AND INSURANCE COVERAGE**

Please remember that ONLY THOSE CUB SCOUTS, SCOUTS BSA, AND ADULT LEADERS REGISTERED WITH THE COUNCIL are covered by the Boy Scouts of America's general accident and liability insurance policies.

All re-chartering is done during the months of April-June, and all your Scouts should have been registered with your unit during this annual process. However, sometimes a Scout is not registered for one reason or another. Your roster should be reviewed very carefully, and any Scout(s) not listed who are planning on attending camp should be registered immediately. If you need a roster of your unit, please let Lee know.

If any unregistered Scouts are found, the den's walking leaders will be notified by a District Representative before departing camp on Monday and given a youth application for each unregistered Scout. A completed application and a prorated registration fee or a copy of the pack's receipt from the council office showing payment at the time of re-chartering for each unregistered youth must accompany the pack's daily attendance sheets on Tuesday morning.

**REMEMBER**... Day Camp is a time for the Scouts to let go! The quality of fun the Scouts have at Camp will depend on the camp program PLUS you as a leader or parent. Let the Scouts yell, get dirty and most of all **HAVE FUN**! This is a time for the Scouts to be free from most restrictions. Have fun with them... you have a chance to be a kid again. Go ahead and get dirty with them... no one will notice, except the Scouts... who will love it!

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**DAILY SCHEDULE**

**SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

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|  |  |  | **Day camp 2022** |  |  |
|  | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
| 8:15-8:30 | Flag ceremony/ Announcements | Flag ceremony/ Announcements | Flag ceremony/ Announcements | Flag ceremony/ Announcements | Flag ceremony/ Announcements |
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| 8:45-9:25 | BB Guns | Games | Archery | Crafts | Games |
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|  |  | Catch the Creature |  | Dragon Handprints | Boomerang/  frisbee golf |
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| 9:40-10:20 | Scout Skills | Nature/Science | BB Guns | Scout Skills | Archery |
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|  |  | 4-leaf clover |  | Save the Yeti |  |
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| 10:35-11:15 | Archery | Crafts | Scout Skills | Nature/Science | BB Guns |
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|  |  | Slime | Marbles | Fishing |  |
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| 11:30-12:30 | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch |
|  | Den Homes | Den Homes | Den Homes | Den Homes | Den Homes |
|  | Trading post rotating schedule | Trading post rotating schedule | Trading post rotating schedule | Trading post rotating schedule | Trading post rotating schedule |
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| 12:45-1:25 | Crafts | Scout Skills | Nature/Science | BB Guns | Scout Skills |
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|  | Dream Catcher | Olympics | Animal Abstracts |  | Walkabout |
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| 1:40-2:20 | Games | Archery | Crafts | Games | Nature/Science |
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|  | Bigfoot Race |  | Silhouettes | Galloschoot | Constellations |
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| 2:35-3:15 | Nature/Science | BB Guns | Games | Archery | Crafts |
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|  | Animal Footprints Casts |  | Hoops! |  | Dot Painting |
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| 3:30-3:45 | Closing campfire & Dismissal | | | | |

**DEN CHIEF RESPONSIBILITIES / SERVICE AWARD**

• **Requirements:** Serve with their Den during the past year and provide a reference letter signed by the Scoutmaster. Give letter to Camp Director first day of camp.

• **Remember:** You are a leader, not a camper. You need to help Scouts who are having difficulty with crafts or rules for games. Set an example for the Scouts in your den. Some day they ill be in Scouts BSA and will remember the help they received from a Den Chief. Live up to the Scout Oath and Scout Law.

• Take roll call every morning. Mark the “IN” box for each boy in your den. Turn the attendance sheets into Day Camp Office staff by the beginning of the 1st rotation.

•Help your den make up a den yell or cheer. Encourage your den to answer morning roll call at opening with the den yell.

• Help your den make up a skit for closing ceremonies.

• Help your den leader keep track of where every Scout in your den is.

• Encourage fair play and good sportsmanship - be good winners as well as good losers.

• If you have any problems at all contact the Camp Director.

• Keep a song or short game ready in the back of your mind in case you must wait to start an activity. Check at Admin area for resource books and materials.

• At the end of each day, each Scout must be signed out on the roster.

• Help your den leader clean up the den site at the end of the day.

**During the day, you should encourage your campers to keep the area clean and to pick up trash around the camp**.

**Service Awards**

The Pack may consider purchasing this award from the Scout Shop and presenting the award at both the Pack meeting and Troop Court of Honor.

1. Serve the pack faithfully for one full year.

2. Attend a den chief training (if available within year of service) OR be trained by the assistant Cubmaster and Den Leader.

3. Know the purposes of Cub Scouting.

4. Help Cub Scouts achieve the purpose of Cub Scouting.

5. Be the activities assistant in den meetings.

6. Set a good example with attitude and uniform.

7. Be a friend to the Scouts in the den.

8. Take part in weekly meetings.

9. Assist the den at the monthly pack meeting.

10. Know the importance of the monthly theme.

11. Meet as needed with the adult members of the den, pack, or troop.

12. Complete FOUR of these projects:

a. Serve as a staff member of a Cub Scout Day camp or Resident Camp.

b. Advance one Boy Scout rank.

c. Assist in recruiting 3 new Cub Scouts

d. Assist 3 Cub Scouts to become Webelos Scouts

e. Assist 3 Webelos Scouts to join a Troop

f. Help to plan and carry out a joint pack-troop activity.

g. Recommend to your Scoutmaster another Scouts BSA member to be a Den Chief

To be eligible, the following guidelines must be met by the youth applicant:

**CAMP SCHOLARSHIP (CAMPERSHIP)**

* Registered within the Cornhusker Council and in good standing for at least 30 days prior to completing an application.
* Youth attending a Cornhusker Council operated Summer Camp (Day Camp, Cub Scout Resident Camp, Webelos Resident Camp, or Boy Scout Resident Camp)
* Youth attending an Official Cornhusker Council, District, Area or National Training Conference.  I.E. NYLT (National Youth Leader Training)
* Recommended by his/her Unit Leader (Committee Chair, Cubmaster, Scoutmaster, or Advisor) and Parent/Guardian.  When a Unit Leader enters the information into the Cornhusker Council website it is their responsibility to ensure all parties are in agreement with the information provided.

In keeping with the philosophy of “pay your own way”, each youth should pay a portion of the fee.  Camperships are awarded based primarily on need.  The more information the Campership Committee has about the Scout’s particular need, the better.

The Cornhusker Council also reserves the right to consider the unit’s participation in Council administered product sales as demonstrating a concerted effort to raise these funds. The family and unit should also contribute to the cost of the camp experience. **Camperships awarded will not exceed 65% of the event fee.**

Applying for campership aid must be done by **April 1st to** allow time for review and response. If approved, the campership amount will be sent to the camp or to the National Conference when registration of the individual is confirmed. Fees will be credited as camp payment in the Scout’s name within the Cornhusker Council Summer Camp Reservations portion of its website. The campership is to a specific individual and is not transferable to other youth.

1. Apply separately for each Scout needing assistance.  All information requested on is needed when applying.
2. Assistance will be considered based on need, the youth’s unit’s support of the mission of the Cornhusker Council including participation in the Friends of Scouting Campaign and Popcorn Sale and/or Camp Card Sale.
3. All requests must be submitted by **April 1st**.  All campership applications submitted on time will be considered based on the financial need of the Scout in relation to the other applications received and available funds.  Any campership applications received after April 1, 2022 will only be considered if there are funds remaining.
4. Your request will be reviewed by committee within the Cornhusker Council the applicant is registered in. Campership awards and information is confidential and will not be shared outside of the campership committee.
5. After review notification will be done by the Cornhusker Council to the Campership Recipient’s family and Unit Leadership including the assistance decision.
6. Assistance funds will be credited to each Scout when they attend the event they applied for.  Funds are only usable by the individual whom the assistance was granted.
7. Completeness of the information when applying will help determine campership allocations.
8. Scouts are only eligible to receive one form of financial assistance.

**Thrifty:  A Scout works to pay his own way and help others.  He saves for the future.  He protects and conserves natural resources.  He carefully uses time and property.**

Questions? Please email info@cornhuskercouncil.org, speak to your Unit Commissioner, or contact your Unit Serving Executive

* [**Campership Application Worksheet**](https://www.cornhuskercouncil.org/file_download/fcd7c932-567c-4ff5-a47d-480f855a2ad4)

Use this worksheet to gather information before filling out the application.

* [**2022 Campership Application**](https://247scouting.com/forms/?OrgKey=BSA324&id=1721)

Form required to request financial assistance to pay for Camping programs, please gather information before starting the application

**Refund Policy**

* Participant reservation fee is non-refundable. You will lose the non-refundable deposit for each participant deducted from your reservation.
* 30 days or more before day 1 of your scheduled week; 100% of payments to date, less per person deposit, is refundable.
* From 16-29 days before day 1 of your scheduled week; 50% of payments to date, less per person deposit, is refundable.
* Less than 15 days before day 1 of your scheduled week; no refund is available unless there has been a medical emergency.
* All requests for refunds must be in writing to the Scout Executive, Cornhusker Council, BSA, 600 S 120th St, P.O. Box 269, Walton, NE 68461-0269. The postmark determines the date of a request for refunds.