

# **Webelos Woods**

Welcome to Cape Fear Council's Annual Webelos Woods.

Webelos Woods is the first opportunity for Webelos Scouts to learn what Scouts, BSA is all about by using the patrol method in a Scout-led outdoor adventure that is supervised by adult leaders with parents nearby. This weekend event gives the Webelos a taste of the independence and self-reliance they learn in Scouts, BSA and helps to earn their Arrow of Light and will also help them to cross-over to Scouts, BSA. Don't miss this great opportunity, register today! Intro to Scouting and Youth Protection Training will be offered to parents in attendance.

Within this guide you will find all the information you will need to plan your Pack's or Troop's weekend.

**CHECK IN TIME:** The check-in time is 5:00 p.m., **Friday**, for the Webelos and parents. Try to arrive prior to that so registration and camp setup can be completed in a timely manner.

**WHERE:** Webelos Woods will be held at Camp Bowers in White Oak, NC. You should be homeward bound by 9:30 a.m., Sunday morning.

WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU ARRIVE: This guidebook contains a map of the Webelos Woods encampment. As you check in at the Camp Administration Building you will receive information regarding which Provisional Troop your Pack is assigned to (just in case you were not notified). You will also find a map, which shows where your Provisional Troops will be located (campsite). Review the map and familiarize yourself with the camp layout and locate your Troop campsite, the First Aid Station (Handicraft Shelter), and the Food Distribution point (Dining Hall). There should be carts available to haul your personal gear in -PLEASE bring them back right away so others may use them.

#### WHAT TO BRING

Personal Equipment:

- 1. A Class A uniform shirt is a must for all Scouts.
- 2. A hat. This is a heavily wooded area.
- 3. A pair of comfortable hiking boots or walking shoes (Keep them properly tied to prevent blisters).
- 4. One extra pair of shoes, in case the first pair get wet.
- 5. One change of trousers and shirt.
- 6. Three pairs of socks.
- 7. Two sets of underwear.
- 8. Toilet kit, containing: towel, washcloth, soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, and a comb.
- 9. Sweatshirt or light jacket. (Heavier outerwear if the weather dictates).
- 10. Poncho or raincoat, with rain hat or hood (A MUST).
- 11. Tent & sleeping bag or blankets. We will be tent camping. A cot, air mattress, or sleeping mat will also make you more comfortable.
- 12. Eating utensils: plate, cup, knife, fork, and spoon (A MUST).
- 13. Flashlight and extra batteries.
- 14. BAG LUNCH AND SNACK FOR FRIDAY NIGHT.
- 15. Lawn chair or camp stool for adults. (You may want to bring reading materials for your free time). NOTE: Make sure all your personal gear is marked with your name and dress accordingly to the weather.

#### WHAT CAMP WILL PROVIDE

**Program Supplies** 

Food

Firewood (Maybe unsplit)

2 bags of charcoal per site (Sat. Dinner)

#### **SCHEDULE**

## **Friday**

5:00pm - 7:30 p.m. Check in and setup

8:00-8:30 p.m. Host Troop/ Staff Meeting (Dining Hall)

9:00 p.m. Campfire/ Parent Meeting & Cracker Barrel (Troop Campsites)

10:15 p.m. Taps (Quiet time)12:00 a.m. Campfires Must Be Out

## Saturday

6:30 a.m. Reveille

7:00 a.m. Food Distribution (Dining Hall)7:30 a.m. Breakfast and Clean-up (Troop site)

9:00 a.m. Flag Raising – Dining Hall

9:30 a.m. Make Patrol Flags (Dining Hall)

10:15 a.m. Scout Skills Station #1 (See chart for locations)11:00 a.m. Scout Skills Station #2 (See chart for locations)

Scout Orientation for Parents (Bowers Admin. Building)

11:45 a.m. Food Distribution (Dining Hall)12:00 p.m. Lunch and Clean-up (Troop site)

1:15 p.m. Scout Skills Station #3 (See chart for locations)

Scouts, BSA Camping Orientation for Parents

2:00 p.m. Scout Skills Station #4 (See chart for locations)

Parent Hike (Nature Lodge)

2:45 p.m. Scout Skills Station #5 (See chart for locations)

3:30 p.m. Webelos Woods Iron Scout Race

4:15 p.m. Free Time / Trading Post (see chart for times)

4:30 p.m. Flag Lowering – Dining Hall
4:45 p.m. Food Distribution (Dining Hall)
5:15 p.m. Dinner and Clean-up (Troop site)
6:45 p.m. Campfire Planning (Troop site)

8:00 p.m. Campfire (Fire Ring)

9:00 p.m. Troop Cracker Barrel (Troop site)

10:15 p.m. Taps (Quiet time)

12:00 a.m. Campfires Must Be Out

## Sunday

6:30 a.m. Reveille

7:00 a.m. Food Distribution (Dining Hall)7:15 a.m. Breakfast and Clean-up (Troop site)

8:00 a.m. Camp Clean-up and Inspection (Troop site)8:30 a.m. Closing Ceremony (Flag Poles by Dining Hall)

9:00 a.m. Homeward Bound

#### **SKILL STATIONS**

- 1. Team Building –Discover what it takes to be part of a team and have fun!
- 2. Knot tying station Learn how to tie the basic scout knots and what to use them for.
- 3. First Aid Learn basic first aid skills working with patrol members and realistic looking wounds.
- 4. History of the Scout Neckerchief This station will have a competition that involves your whole Webelos patrol. Also learn about the many uses and the proper way to wear your neckerchief.
- 5. Fire Building -Learn how to build, start, and use many kinds of campfires. You will have an opportunity to build and light a fire.

For the adult parents, Dutch Oven Cooking Demonstration – Learn some basics of Dutch Oven Cooking. Plus, the best part – the TASTE TESTING!! (THIS SESSION WILL ONLY BE FOR THE ADULT PARENTS).

Each Skill Station will give you the opportunity to try your hand. Patrols will compete in a fun competition. Enjoy the stations!

## **WEBELOS WOODS MENU**

Friday Supper: Bag Lunch from Home Saturday Breakfast: Eggs, Sausages, Grits Saturday Lunch: Hot Dogs and Chips

Saturday Supper: Foil Dinners or Hamburgers Saturday Cracker Barrel: Chef's Surprise

Sunday Breakfast: To-Go Breakfast

Condiments will be provided at each meal. This menu is subject to change.

Adults: Hot coffee will be available all-day Saturday (starting at 7:30am) at the Dining Hall (Food Distribution) see map.

Scoutmasters: Bring along extra heavy-duty foil in case some of the scouts damage theirs. Charcoal may be used for the foil dinners, no lighter fluid.

### THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED ON CAMP PROPERTY!

- Alcoholic beverages of any kind.
- Gasoline or propane lanterns (except Provisional Scoutmasters).
- Gasoline or propane space heaters.
- Charcoal lighter fluid.
- Sheath knives (only small pocketknives are allowed)
- Axes (except Provisional Scoutmasters, we gather ground laying wood only).
- Firearms or archery gear.
- Fireworks of any kind.
- Pets.

ANY INDIVIDUAL (YOUTH or ADULT) IN POSSESSION OF ANY PROHIBITED ITEMS WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE CAMP PREMISES AND WILL NOT RECEIVE ANY AWARDS OR REFUNDS

All participants are asked to abide by the Provisional Troop Scoutmasters rules regarding the use of personal electronic equipment. We encourage all attendees to focus on the activities that make Webelos Woods a great experience and resist the distractions of smart Phones and the like for the weekend.

## WEBELOS WOODS SKILL STATION SCHEDULE

TIME SCHEDULE	1 TEAM BUILDING	2 KNOT TYING	3 FIRST AID	4 NECKERCHIEF	5 FIRE BUILDING	OTHER ACTIVITIES
10:15 -10:55 a.m.	YELLOW TROOP	GREEN TROOP	BLUE TROOP	ORANGE TROOP	RED TROOP	
11:00 - 11:40 a.m.	RED TROOP	YELLOW TROOP	GREEN TROOP	BLUE TROOP	ORANGE TROOP	PARENT ORIENTATION Bowers Trading Post
11:45 – 1:25 p.m.	FOOD DISTRIBUTION AND LUNCH					
1:15 – 1:55 p.m.	ORANGE TROOP	RED TROOP	YELLOW TROOP	GREEN TROOP	BLUE TROOP	Scouts, BSA Camping Orientation for Parents
2:00 - 2:40p.m.	BLUE TROOP	ORANGE TROOP	RED TROOP	YELLOW TROOP	GREEN TROOP	
2:45pm - 3:25 p.m.	GREEN TROOP	BLUE TROOP	ORANGE TROOP	RED TROOP	YELLOW TROOP	
3:30 - 4:15 p.m.	FREE TIME & TROOP TIME					
4:10 - 4:55 p.m.	FREE TIME & TROOP TIME					
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NOTES:

SEE MAP FOR SKILL STATION LOCATIONS

