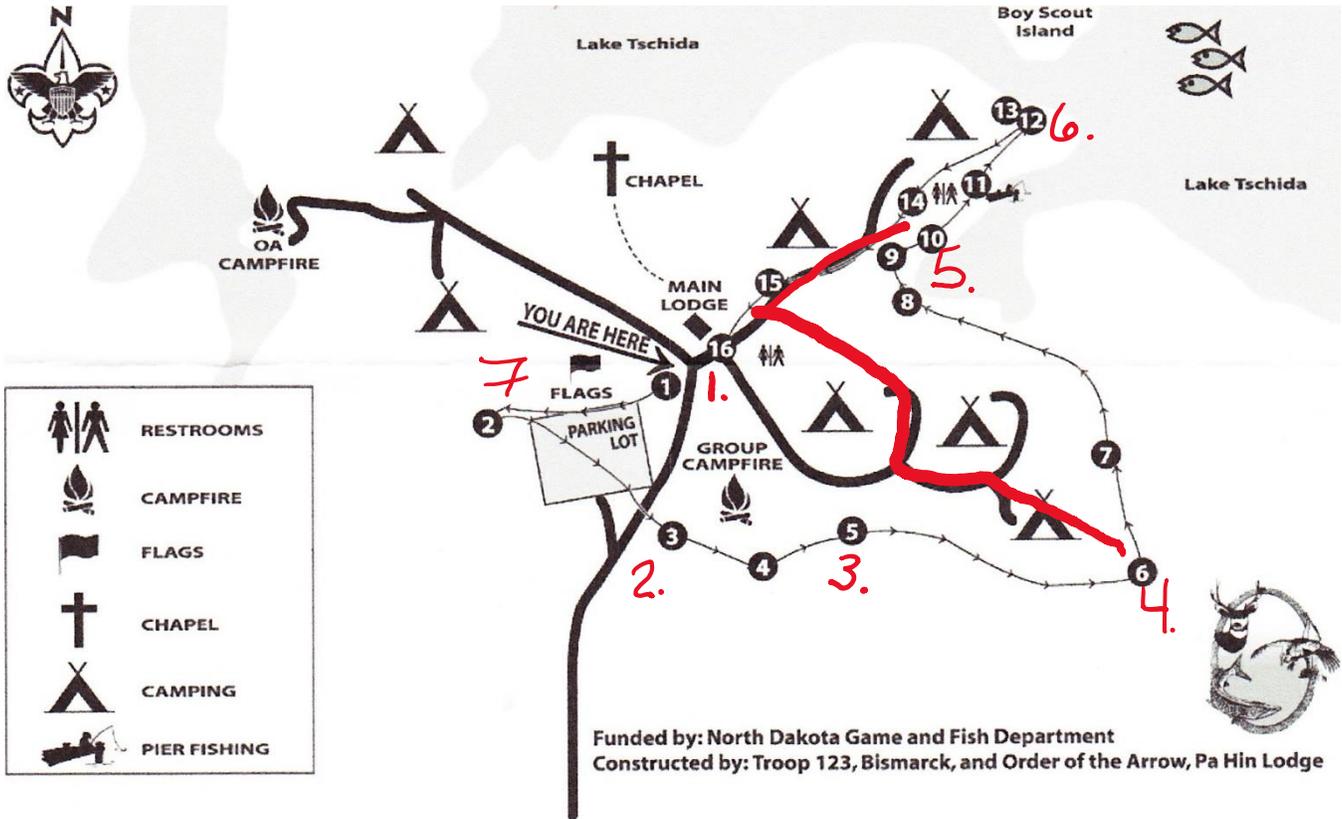


# **Wildland Visitor Stations for Cub Scouts AM Activity**

# HEART BUTTE SCOUT RESERVATION OUTDOOR WILDLIFE LEARNING SITE (OWLS)

1. Cast animal track in steps
2. Conifer Tree Arboretum **Station #7**
3. Deciduous Trees Arboretum **Station #2**
4. Food Plot & Brush Piles
5. Planted Nesting Cover **Station #3**
6. Native Prairie **Station #4**
7. Berry Patch
8. Beaver
9. Biological Control of Leafy Spurge
10. Riparian Arboretum **Station #5**
11. Aquatic Site/ Fishing Pier
12. Predator Free islands **Station #6**
13. Shore Birds
14. Nest Boxes
15. Flood Control
16. Bat House **Station #1**



## Leave No Trace Principles

1. Plan ahead and prepare (Baranko lodge)
2. Travel and camp on durable surfaces (Deciduous Tree Arboretum)
3. Dispose of waste properly (Planted Nesting Cover)
4. Leave what you find (Native Prairie)
5. Minimize Campfire Impact ( Beaver Bay program area)
6. Respect Wildlife (Overlook of Boy Scout Island)
7. Be considerate of other visitors (Flags)

- **Station 1 is in the Main Lodge.**
- **After station 1 take the main road south to the Wildland Visitor sign, head east (left) on the mowed path.**
- **Station 2,3 and 4 will be along the mowed path.**
- **After station 4 head north downhill on the mowed path towards Hawk Hunter campsite.**
- **At Hawk Hunter campsite you will be at the main campsite road, there will be a Wildland Visitor sign. Head west (to your left) towards Deer Stalker campsite approach where there will be another Wildland Visitor sign.**
- **Follow approach north (to your right) into the campsite and you will see a mowed path on the north side of the campsite with a Wildland Visitor sign.**
- **Follow the mowed path west towards the Lodge.**
- **You will reach the main road heading towards the fishing pier. There will be a Wildland Visitor sign, head north (to your right) on the main road, station 5 will be just before the fishing pier at the Beaver Bay program area shelter.**
- **Continue past the fishing pier to station 6.**
- **Follow the main road south all the way back past the lodge and up the steps to the flag pole parade grounds.**

## 1. Plan ahead and prepare –

- **Baranko Lodge**
- Lion :Go over the six essentials and buddy system, what is the weather/ what to wear
- Tiger: Go over the six essentials and buddy system, learn the Outdoor Code
- Wolf:: Go over the six essentials and buddy system, identify appropriate clothes and shoes for the walk, learn the Outdoor Code
- Bear: Go over the six essentials and buddy system, identify appropriate clothes and shoes for the walk, learn the Outdoor Code
- Webelo: Go over the six essentials and buddy system, identify appropriate clothes and shoes for the walk, check the weather forecast and review the 4 points of BSA SAFE checklist

**Materials needed: Six essentials, poster of Outdoor Code and Leave no Trace, poster of BSA SAFE checklist, weather radio or weather app**

## 2. Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces –

- **Conifer Tree Arboretum**
- Durable surfaces include maintained trails and designated campsites, rock, gravel, sand, dry grasses or snow.
- Protect riparian areas by camping at least 200 feet from lakes and streams.
- Good campsites are found, not made. Altering a site is not necessary.
  - o *In popular areas:*
    - Concentrate use on existing trails and campsites.
    - Walk single file in the middle of the trail, even when wet or muddy.
    - Keep campsites small. Focus activity in areas where vegetation is absent.
  - o *In pristine areas:*
    - Disperse use to prevent the creation of campsites and trails.
    - Avoid places where impacts are just beginning.

**What type of path are they walking on today? What are some examples of paths they have used?**

## 3. Leave What you Find –

- **Planted Nesting Cover**
- Preserve the past: examine, photograph, but do not touch cultural or historic structures and artifacts.
- Leave rocks, plants and other natural objects as you find them.
- Avoid introducing or transporting non-native species.
- Do not build structures, furniture, or dig trenches.

**Materials needed: Blank paper and pencils. Draw an animal and a plant that you have seen on your walk.**

#### 4. Dispose of waste properly –

- **Native Prairie**

- Pack it in, pack it out. Inspect your campsite, food preparation areas, and rest areas for trash or spilled foods. Pack out all trash, leftover food and litter.
- Utilize toilet facilities whenever possible. Otherwise, deposit solid human waste in catholes dug 6 to 8 inches deep, at least 200 feet from water, camp and trails. Cover and disguise the cathole when finished.
- Pack out toilet paper and hygiene products.
- To wash yourself or your dishes, carry water 200 feet away from streams or lakes and use small amounts of biodegradable soap. Scatter strained dishwater.

Materials needed: Snacks to hand out, mini garbage bags, hand out one each for garbage during camp

#### 5. Minimize Campfire Impact-

- **Beaver Bay Program Area**

- Campfires can cause lasting impacts to the environment. Use a lightweight stove for cooking and enjoy a candle lantern for light.
- Where fires are permitted, use established fire rings, fire pans, or mound fires.
- Keep fires small. Only use down and dead wood from the ground that can be broken by hand.
- Burn all wood and coals to ash, put out campfires completely, then scatter cool ashes.

Materials needed: Lightweight cooking stove, lantern

#### 6. Respect Wildlife-

- **Predator Free Island Overlook**

- Observe wildlife from a distance. Do not follow or approach them.
- Never feed animals. Feeding wildlife damages their health, alters natural behaviors, [habituates them to humans], and exposes them to predators and other dangers.
- Protect wildlife and your food by storing rations and trash securely.
- Control pets at all times, or leave them at home.
- Avoid wildlife during sensitive times: mating, nesting, raising young, or winter.

Point out the islands where the birds nest (Endangered birds live there) What does it mean to be endangered? Have them look for the beaver dam. Which animals that they have seen are domestic and which are wild? WEBELO Scouts - What makes a habitat? (water, food, shelter, space). How can you help protect habitats of animals?

#### 7. Be Considerate to Other Visitors-

- **Flag Poles**

- Respect other visitors and protect the quality of their experience.
- Be courteous. Yield to other users on the trail.
- Step to the downhill side of the trail when encountering pack stock.
- Take breaks and camp away from trails and other visitors.

- Let nature's sounds prevail. Avoid loud voices and noises.

**Merit Badges AM:**

**Aviation- Campfire Area**

**Citizenship in the Nation- Chapel**

**Fishing- Fishing Pier**

**Artificial Intelligence- Baranko Lodge**

**Crime Prevention- Shelter behind the Baranko Lodge**

**Merit Badges PM:**

**Aviation- Meet outside the Baranko Lodge**

***(Offsite trip to Glen Ullin Regional Airport)***

**First Aid- Baranko Lodge**

**Fingerprinting- Shelter behind the Baranko Lodge**

**Farm Mechanics- Meet at Shooting Sports Range**

## Cubs afternoon activities-

### **Chapel-**

(Lions 1-2:30 pm)

**What is S.A.W**

**shadow drawings**

**animals in nature**

**man-made vs natural resources**

### **Campfire Area-**

(Wolf 1-3pm)

**Using a map/ Finding directions**

**Secret Code**

**Shapes in Nature**

(Tigers 3- 4:30pm)

**Identifying Trees and animal habitats**

**Flashlight Etiquette**

**Magic tricks and secret codes**

### **Beaver Bay Campsite-**

(Webelos 1-3pm)

**Set up a Tent/ Fire Safety**

**First Aid**

(Bears 3-5pm)

**Set up a Tent/ What makes a good campsite**

**Baloo the Builder**

### **Beaver Bay Program Area –**

(AOL 1-3pm)

**Find your campsite on a map**

**Camp layout/ scout gear**

### **Fishing Pier**

**Scouting for clean waterways**

# Shooting Sports

Archery

1-1:30 Tiger

1:30-2 Bear

3- 3:30 Lion

3:30- 4 Wolf

4-4:30 Webelo/ AOL

BB GUNS

1:30-2 Tiger

2-2:30pm Bear

4 – 4:30 Wolf

3:30-4 Webelo/ AOL

SLINGSHOT

2-2:30 Tiger

1-1:30 Bear

3:30- 4 Lion

3- 3:30 Wolf

4:30- 5 Webelo/ AOL

## Friday Evening Schedule

### Check in and Campsite Setup

5-7pm

*(Trading Post Building)*

### Flag Ceremony

7pm

*(Not required to attend but will take place)*

### Dance Party

7:30 pm

*(Baranko Lodge)*

### Leader/ SPL Meeting

8pm

*(Shelter behind the Baranko Lodge)*

# Lion Scouts

## Breakfast in the Lodge (7-8am)

## Morning Flag Ceremony (8:30-9am)

## Wildland Visitor Stations (9- 11am)

Cub Scout 6 essentials, Buddy system

Leave no Trace Principles

Explore outdoors for at least 20 minutes

What is the weather and what do we wear?

## Lunch in the Lodge (11:30am-12:15pm)

## Chapel (1-2:30pm)

What is S.A.W.?

Shadow Drawings

Animals in Nature

Man made vs natural resources

## Shooting Sports Range (3-4pm)

3- 3:30pm Archery

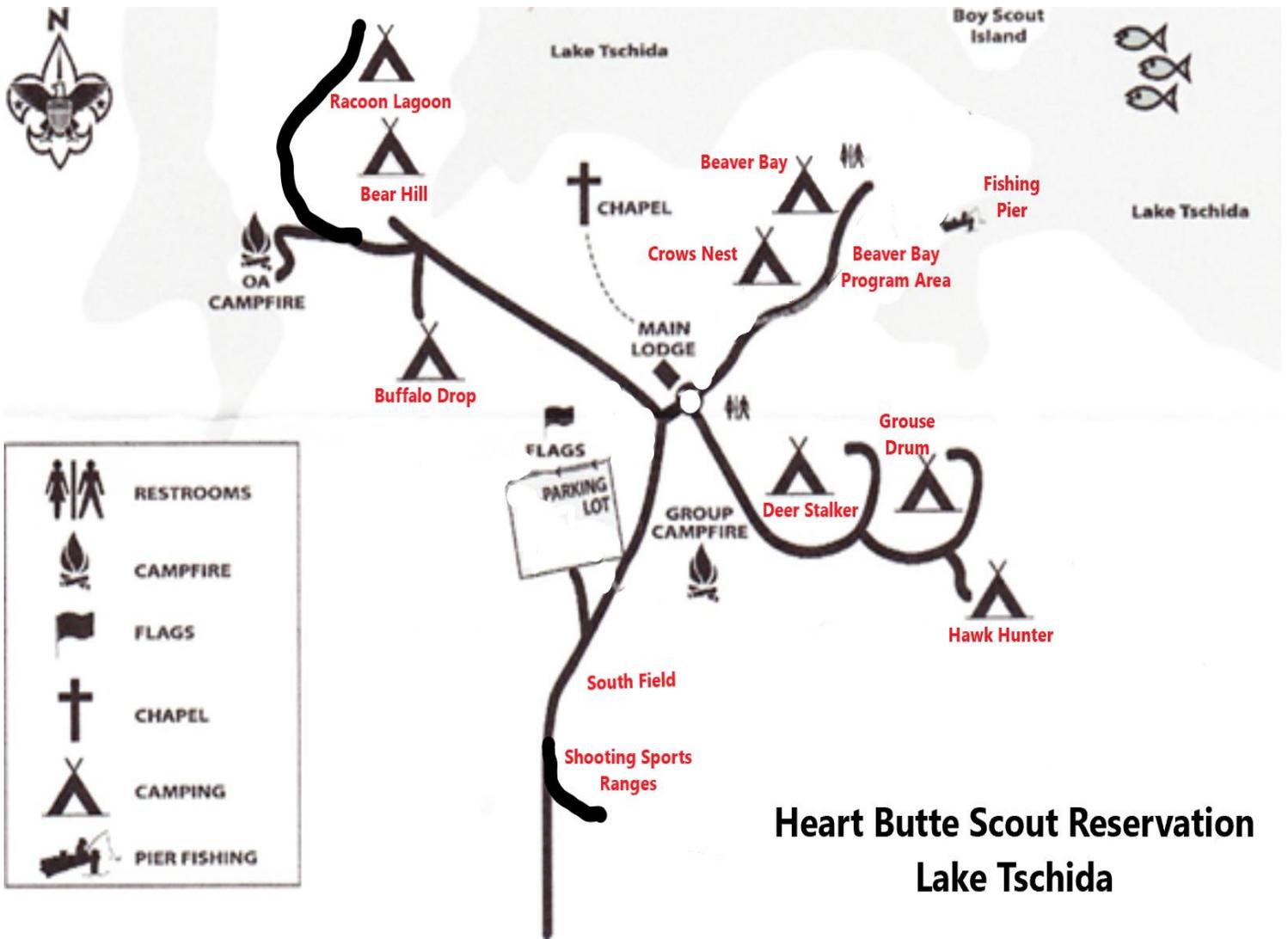
3:30-4pm Slingshot

## Free Time ( 4-5pm)

## Supper (5-6:30pm)

## Closing Flag Ceremony (7pm)

## Campfire 7:30pm



# Tiger Scouts

**Breakfast in the Lodge (7-8am)**

**Morning Flag Ceremony (8:30-9am)**

**Wildland Visitor Stations (9- 11am)**

Cub Scout 6 essentials, Buddy system

Leave no Trace Principles and Outdoor Code

Explore outdoors for at least 20 minutes

What is the weather and what do we wear?

**Lunch in the Lodge (11:30am-12:15pm)**

**Shooting Sports Range (1-2:30pm)**

1-30pm Archery

1:30-2 BB Guns

2-2:30 Slingshot

**Campfire Area (3-4:30pm)**

Identifying Trees and animal habitats

Flashlight Etiquette

Magic tricks and secret codes

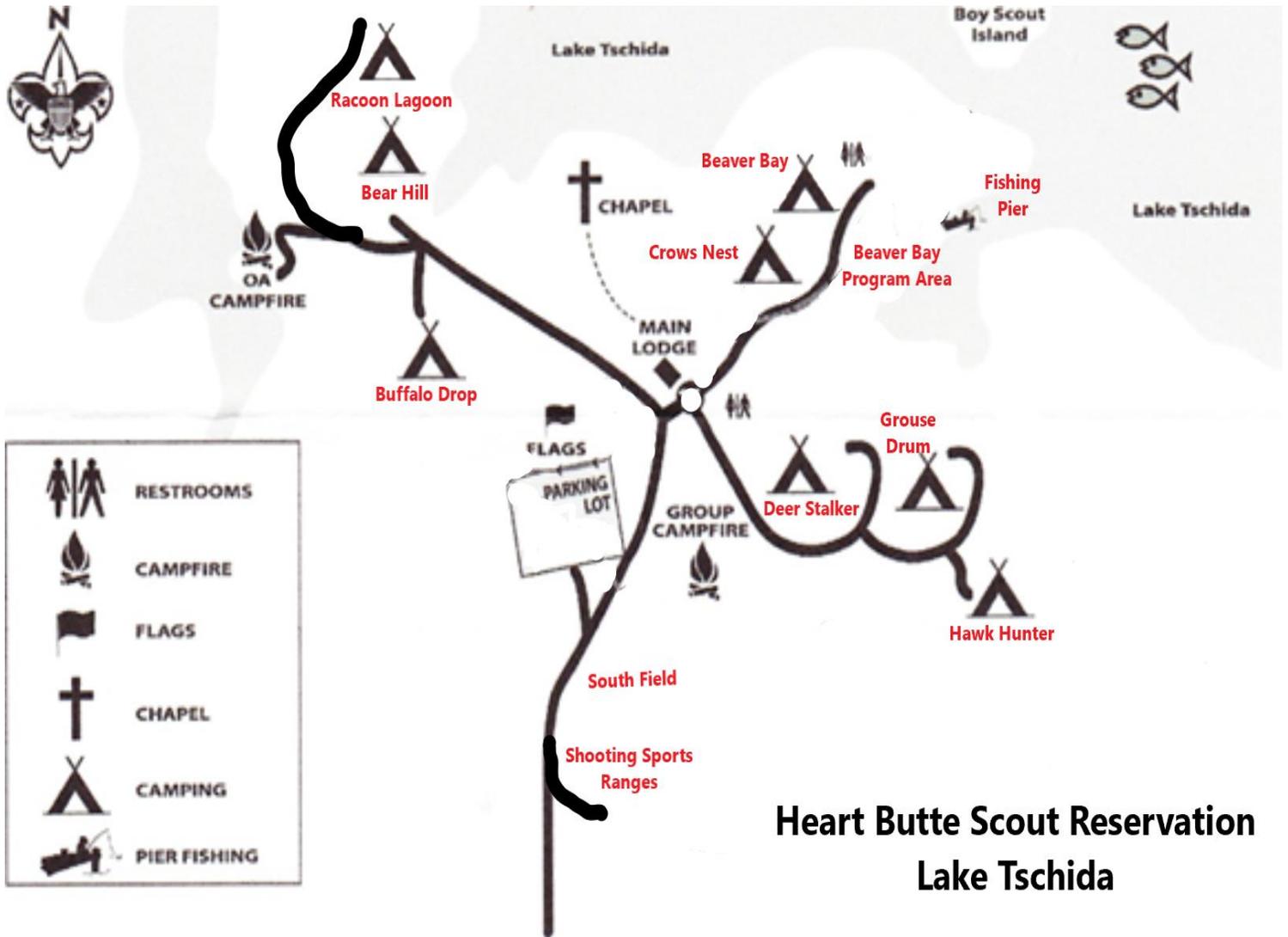
**Free Time ( 4:30-5pm)**

**Supper (5-6:30pm)**

**Closing Flag Ceremony (7pm)**

**Campfire 7:30pm**

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# **Wolf Scouts**

**Breakfast in the Lodge (7-8am)**

**Morning Flag Ceremony (8:30-9am)**

**Wildland Visitor Stations (9- 11am)**

Cub Scout 6 essentials, Buddy system

Leave no Trace Principles and Outdoor Code

Explore outdoors for at least 20 minutes

What is the weather and what do we wear?

**Lunch in the Lodge (11:30am-12:15pm)**

**Campfire Area (1-3pm)**

Using a map/ Finding directions

Secret Code

Shapes in Nature

**Shooting Sports Range (3-4:30pm)**

3 -3:30pm Slingshot

3:30-4 Archery

4- 4:30 BB Guns

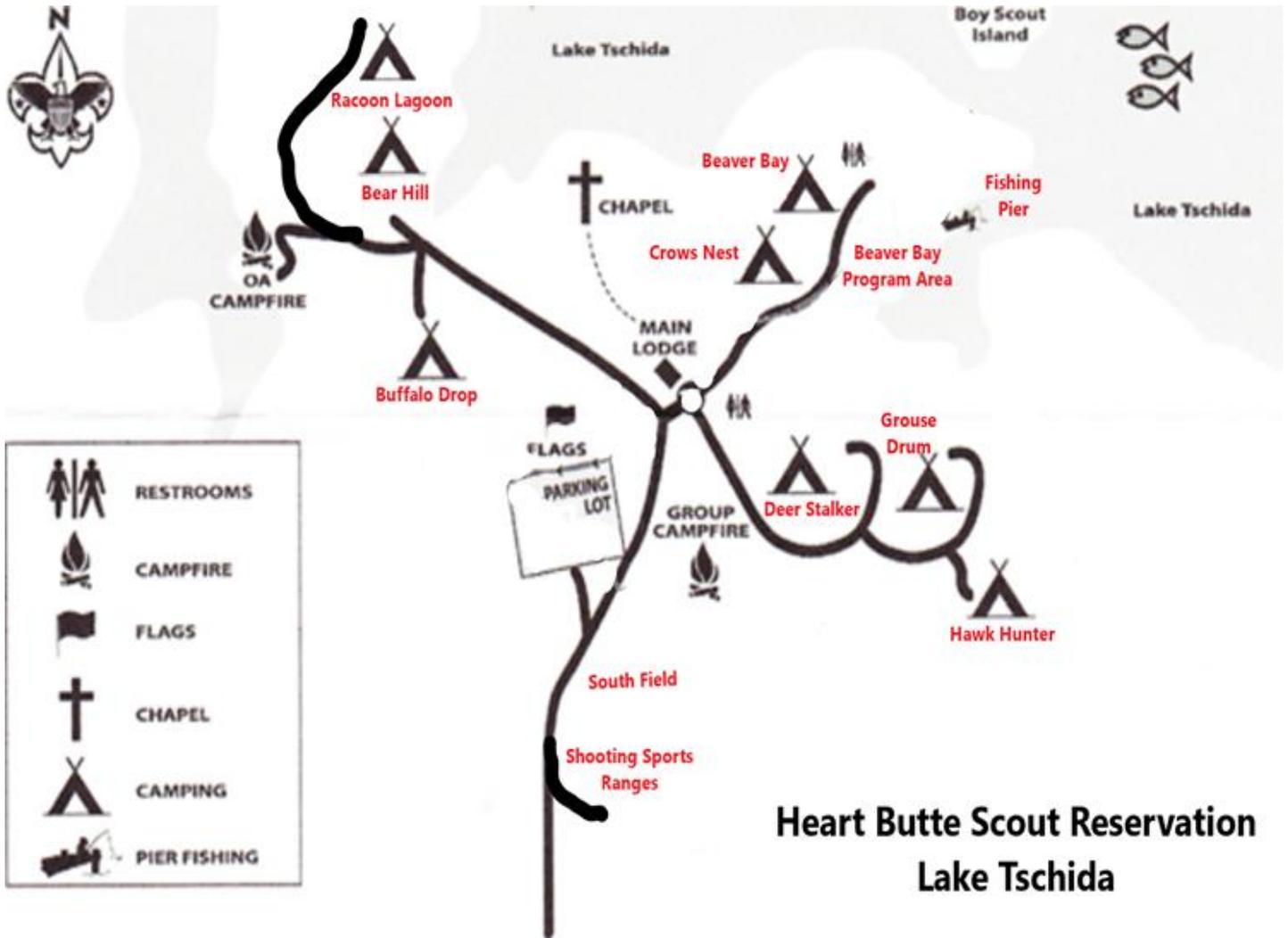
**Free Time ( 4:30-5pm)**

**Supper (5-6:30pm)**

**Closing Flag Ceremony (7pm)**

**Campfire 7:30pm**

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# Bear Scouts

**Breakfast in the Lodge (7-8am)**

**Morning Flag Ceremony (8:30-9am)**

**Wildland Visitor Stations (9- 11am)**

Cub Scout 6 essentials, Buddy system

Leave no Trace Principles and Outdoor Code

Explore outdoors for at least 20 minutes

What is the weather and what do we wear?

**Lunch in the Lodge (12:15- 1pm)**

**Shooting Sports Range (1-2:30pm)**

1 -1:30pm Slingshot

1:30-2 Archery

2- 2:30 BB Guns

**Beaver Bay Campsite (3-5pm)**

Set up a Tent

What makes a good campsite

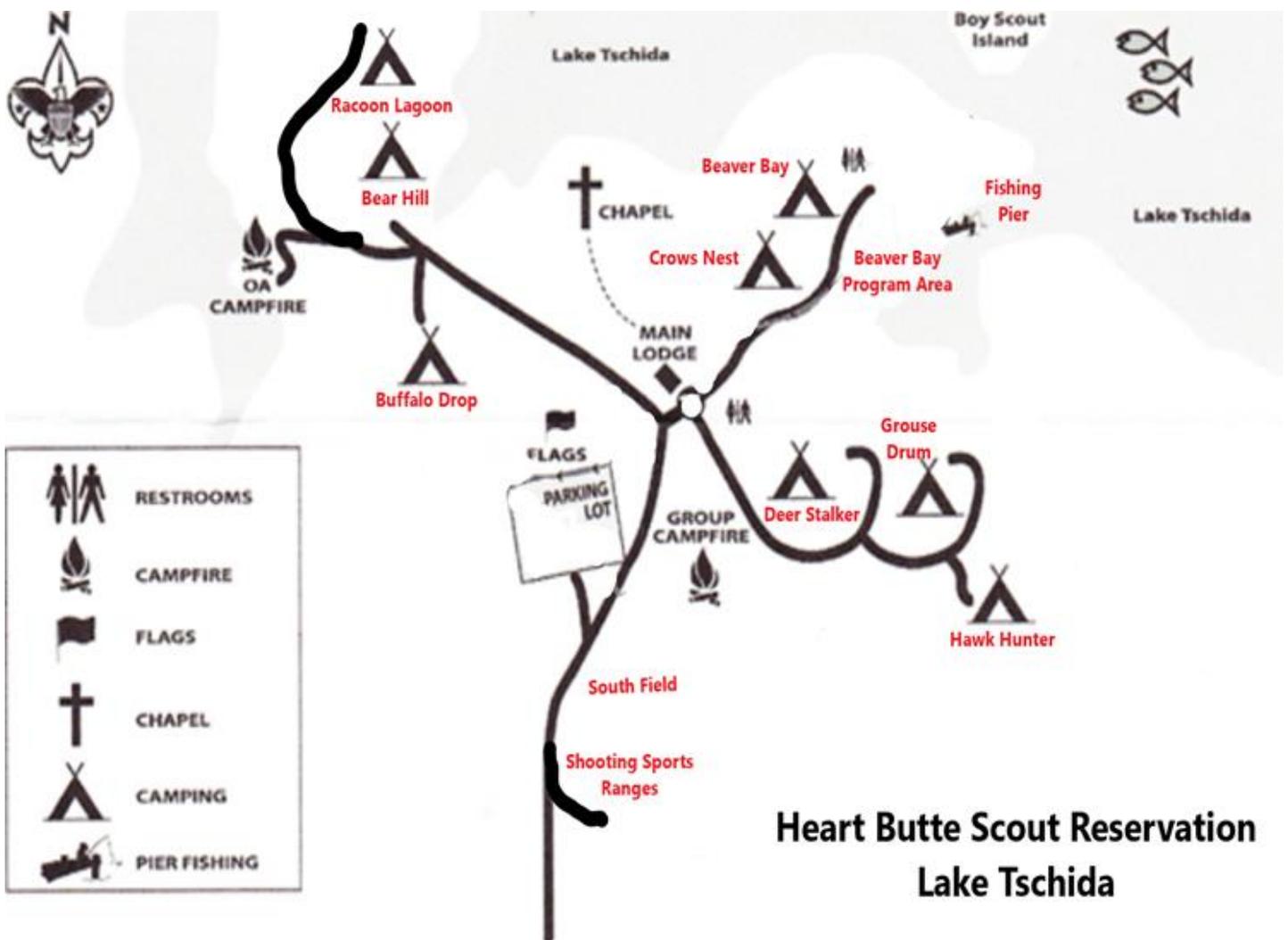
Plan and build a project for camp

**Supper (5-6:30pm)**

**Closing Flag Ceremony (7pm)**

**Campfire 7:30pm**

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# Webelo Scouts

Breakfast in the Lodge (7-8am)

Morning Flag Ceremony (8:30-9am)

Wildland Visitor Stations (9- 11am)

Cub Scout 6 essentials, Buddy system

Leave no Trace Principles and Outdoor Code

Explore outdoors for at least 20 minutes

What is the weather and what do we wear?

Lunch in the Lodge (12:15- 1pm)

Beaver Bay Campsite (1-3pm)

Setting up a Tent/ Tying a Bowline

Fire Safety

First Aid

Shooting Sports Range (3:30-5pm)

3:30- 4pm BB Guns

4- 4:30pm Archery

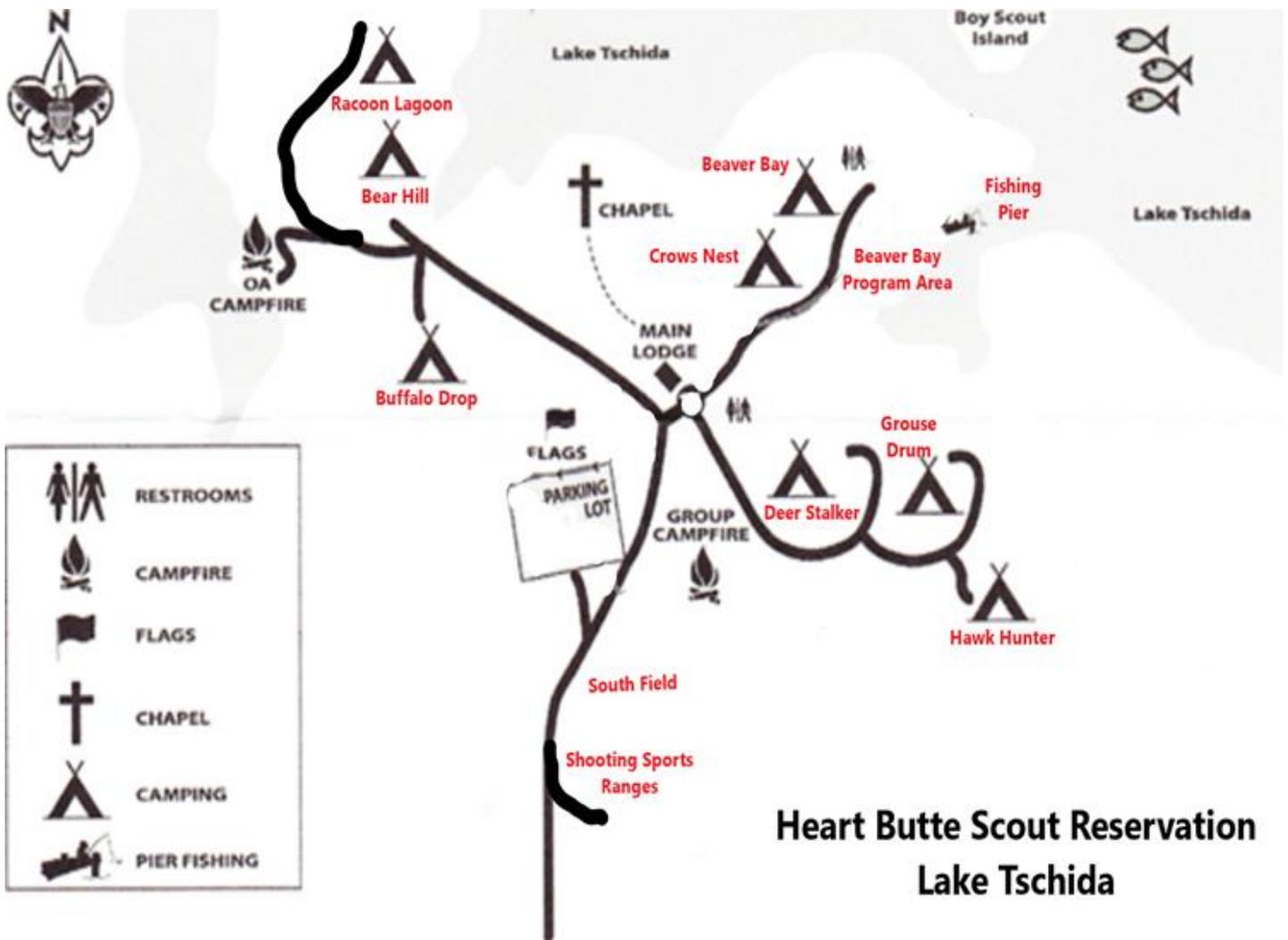
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Supper (5-6:30pm)

Closing Flag Ceremony (7pm)

Campfire 7:30pm

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# AOL Scouts

Breakfast in the Lodge (7-8am)

Morning Flag Ceremony (8:30-9am)

Wildland Visitor Stations (9- 11am)

Cub Scout 6 essentials, Buddy system

Leave no Trace Principles and Outdoor Code

Explore outdoors for at least 20 minutes

What is the weather and what do we wear?

Lunch in the Lodge (12:15- 1pm)

Beaver Bay Program Area (1-3pm)

Food Safety

Campsite Setup

Essential Scout Gear

Shooting Sports Range (3:30-5pm)

3:30- 4pm BB Guns

4- 4:30pm Archery

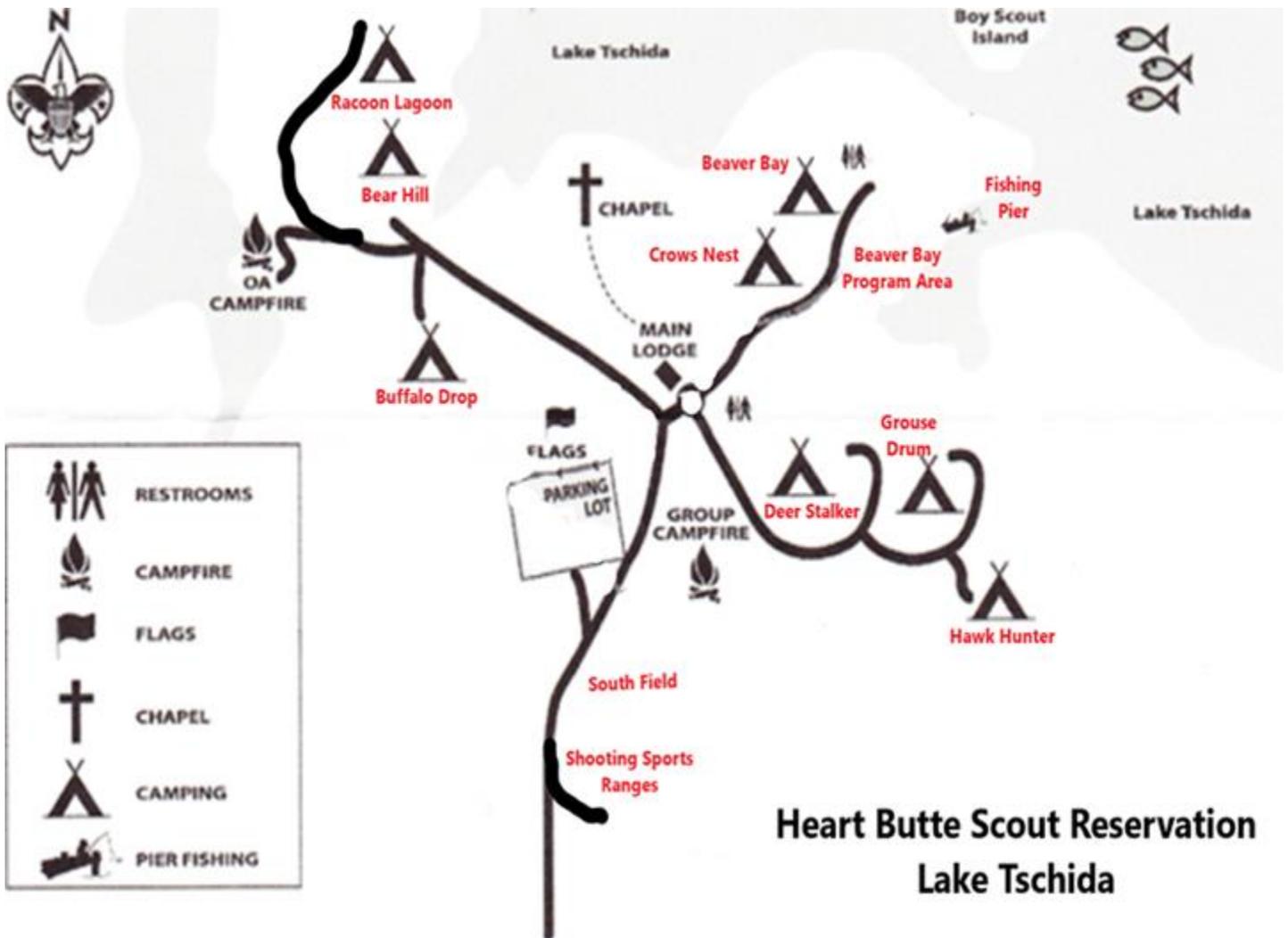
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Supper (5-6:30pm)

Closing Flag Ceremony (7pm)

Campfire 7:30pm

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# Scouts BSA

Breakfast in the Lodge (7-8am)

Morning Flag Ceremony (8:30-9am)

Session 1 Merit Badges (9am-12pm)

Aviation- Campfire Area

Citizenship in the Nation- Chapel

Fishing- Fishing Pier

Artificial Intelligence- Main Lodge Shelter

Crime Prevention- Shelter behind the Main Lodge

Lunch 12-1pm

Session 2 Merit Badges (1-4pm)

Aviation- Meet outside Main Lodge Shelter

*(Offsite trip to Glen Ullin Regional Airport)*

First Aid- Main Lodge Shelter

Fingerprinting- Shelter behind the Main Lodge

Farm Mechanics- Meet at Shooting Sports Range

Supper (5-6:30pm)

Closing Flag Ceremony (7pm)

Campfire 7:30pm

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