



Webelos & Arrow of Light Weekend

Camp Coker

November 14–16, 2025

Leader's Guide



Welcome, Leaders!

Howdy, Partners!

Welcome to **Camp Coker's Webelos and Arrow of Light Weekend 2025**, where our Scouts will embark on a western-themed adventure filled with learning, fellowship, and fun.

This event is designed to help Webelos and Arrow of Light Scouts build outdoor skills, gain confidence, and prepare for the transition into Scouts BSA. Leaders play a key role in making this a safe, successful, and memorable weekend. Thank you for being here, and for your commitment to Scouting!

Before arriving, please review:

- **Current Webelos and Arrow of Light Requirements** (in your Scout Handbooks)
 - The **Guide to Safe Scouting** and **Youth Protection Training/ Safeguarding Youth Training**
 - This Leader's Guide for the weekend schedule, guidelines, and responsibilities
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Weekend Schedule

Friday, November 14

- **5:00–7:00 PM — Check-In & Campsite Setup**
Check in at Stallworth.. Campsites will be assigned upon arrival.
After check-in, proceed to your assigned site, set up camp, and get settled in.
 - *Reminder:* Packs will be **sharing campsites**, so please be considerate and bring a **portable fire ring** if your pack has one.
 - *Scouts should select their own tent spots and set up their own tents under leader supervision as part of their rank adventures.*
 - **8:00 PM — Leaders' Meeting** (Dining Hall)
Important weekend announcements, safety reminders, and schedule updates.
 - At least one adult from each unit should attend.
 - **8:30 PM — Stargazing & Stories Activity** (Parade Field)
Scouts and families are invited to join us for a stargazing session under the Camp Coker sky.
A **Leader Training Session** will be held in the **Dining Hall** for adult leaders who prefer to attend training.
 - **10:00 PM — Taps / Lights Out**
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Saturday, November 15

(Detailed Saturday program to be provided — sample below for planning)

- **7:00 AM** — Reveille / Breakfast in Campsites
- **8:30 AM** — Flag Ceremony (Parade Field)
- **8:50 AM – 12:25 PM** — Webelos & AOL Activity Sessions
- **12:30 PM** — Lunch
 - Hot dogs, crescent rolls, chips, fruit, cookies provided; scouts will prepare in patrols at campsite.
- **2:00 PM – 5:00 PM** — Adventure Skills & Outdoor Challenges

- **5:15 PM - 7:45 PM** Dinner & Free Time
- **8:00 PM** — Campfire Program
- **10:00 PM** — Lights Out

- ♦ *All Scouts will experience each station over the course of the day.*
- ♦ *Patrol leaders should ensure groups stay on schedule for transitions.*

Sunday, November 16

- **7:00 AM** — Breakfast / Pack Up Campsites
- **8:30 AM** — Scouts' Own Service (Chapel)
- **10:00 AM** — Closing & Check-Out

Check out with staff before leaving. Safe travels home!



Campsite Information

Campsites will be **assigned upon check-in** to ensure balanced use and safety.



Check-In & Logistics

- **Location:** Camp Coker, Society Hill, SC
- **Check-In Time:** 5:00–7:00 PM Friday
 - Stallworth
 - Please call Adam Riedel to check in after 7 PM
- **Parking:** Park in designated areas only. No vehicles in campsites after setup.
- **Health Forms:** All participants must have current **BSA Medical Form Parts A & B**.
- **Fire Safety:** Fires permitted only in designated rings. Please remember to place water near your campfire.
- **Trash:** Pack it in, pack it out — leave no trace.



Leader Information

- Each unit must have **two-deep leadership** at all times.
- **Youth Protection Training/ Safeguarding Youth Training** must be current.
- Please bring your Pack Flag for opening flag ceremony.
- **Leaders' Training Session:** Friday 8:30 PM in the Dining Hall.
 Session offered will be one of the following::
 - Arrow of Light-to-Scouts BSA transition, safety, and program planning. Parents are encouraged to attend.
 - Hazardous Weather Training



Evening Activities

Friday: Stargazing & Leader Training

Saturday: Campfire Program (Songs and skits must be submitted by end of lunch for approval)



What to Bring

- Positive attitude & Scout spirit!
- Tent, sleeping gear, and personal essentials
- Mess kit
- Class A Uniform and activity shirts
- Handbook
- Camp chair
- Backpack with 6 Essentials
- Weather appropriate clothing
- Rain Gear
- Pocket knife(only if scout has earned adventure; check your unit's rules)
- Closed Toe Shoes, hiking shoes/boots; No open toe shoes; No Crocs

Note: Scouts will need to rely on what they have in their backpacks for certain challenges
This is just a suggested list. Your unit may have other items to add for scouts to bring.



Safety & Conduct

- Follow the **Guide to Safe Scouting** at all times.
- Fires only in designated fire rings.
- Use the **buddy system** for all Scouts.
- Report all injuries or concerns immediately to the Camp Medic immediately.
- Per BSA Policy: No alcohol or controlled substances. Smoking in designated areas only away from youth participants.



Campsite Information

Campsites are assigned at check-in to balance group sizes.

- Packs will be sharing campsites. Bring an extra campfire ring if available.
- Scouts should select their own tent spots and set up their own tents under leader supervision



Guidelines & Reminders

1. Health & Safety

- All participants must have **current BSA Health Forms (Parts A & B)**.
- Follow **Youth Protection Training** and **Two-Deep Leadership** at all times.
- Report any injuries to the **Camp Medic** immediately.

2. Scout Responsibilities

- Scouts should **choose and set up their own tents** with adult guidance.
- Encourage Scouts to take lead in meal prep, cleanup, and campsite organization.
- Use the buddy system at all times.
- Have fun!

3. Leave No Trace

- Leave your campsite better than you found it.
- Dispose of trash properly.
- Respect nature and wildlife.

4. Behavior & Courtesy

- Be respectful to other Packs sharing your site.
- Maintain quiet hours after 10:00 PM.
- Walk—don't run—between activity areas.
- Keep all electronics put away during activities.

5. Campfire Program

- Council Ring Saturday night. Skits and songs must be submitted for approval by the end of lunch.



Leader Responsibilities

- Ensure **two-deep leadership** at all times.
 - Review **Webelos and Arrow of Light adventure requirements** before camp to help Scouts sign off or record progress.
 - Encourage Scouts to bring their **6 essentials** and stay organized.
 - Help guide Scouts — but let them lead wherever possible.
 - Attend all leader meetings and communicate updates to your Pack.
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