



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
WEST TENNESSEE AREA COUNCIL



Check-in:

When you arrive, you will be greeted at the registration canopy located at the parking lot entrance on Friday evening and at the corner of the parade field in front of the dining hall Saturday morning. You should receive a packet containing your campsite designation, items pre-purchased during registration (late registrations will receive these items at a later date), along with a camp map and other flyers. Please follow the instructions given there as to gear drop off, parking, etc. Anyone with a balance owed will be instructed to go to the office first so plan on parking before unloading any gear.

Trading Post:

We are excited to open our trading post for the usual snacks and more. We will have new merch items for purchase, along with several classic items (sorry, still no walking sticks - working on it though) available for purchase. This year's t-shirt will have limited availability in-stock, so if you didn't purchase ahead, make sure you check them out early for the best size options. Like the old saying goes, "Cash is King". While we will have the option for credit/debit cards, cash transactions will move faster and get you back to your adventures quicker.

Dining Hall Meal Plan:

We have separated the food expenses and allowed units/families to opt out of eating the planned meals in the dining hall. We know this may have caught some of you off guard and might have been a little confusing. Not only that, but we understand this is different, and if you feel you have made an error in your meal selection, please reach out ASAP so we can address it proactively. Our goal is to improve the food quality while maintaining reasonable event participation prices for families. We welcome any constructive comments after camp closes to help us improve and guide us as we move forward but remember - a scout is kind.

Activities:

Our troops have been working hard to put together the activities and entertainment for your family to enjoy. Please remember that this is a youth lead, volunteer driven organization and that the adults and scouts this weekend are giving their time and often other resources to make the magic happen. We know that lines aren't very fun and that patience can be thin during these events, but just like the cub scout motto says - we are "Doing Our Best" so please extend the grace and understanding indicative of good scouts in return.

Gear Transportation:

We will be transporting gear to campsites by trailer during designated times only, in order to strive for the safest environment for the young scouts and siblings participating this weekend. Please make note of these times on the itinerary and plan accordingly. Feel free to bring a collapsible wagon or something similar if you would like to transport some things yourself that you might not want jostled around on the trailers. We are careful, but it can be a bumpy ride around camp for gear. Wagons are also great for transporting gear to and from your vehicle outside the scheduled trailer transport hours. Of course, as always, we will make accommodations and exceptions when necessary - a scout is helpful.