



2026 Pre-Camp Leaders Meeting



Camp Pigott Chief Seattle Council

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2026 Summer Program Guide

The Camp Pigott 2026 Summer Program Guide is HERE!

This updated publication includes information on ALL Camp Pigott summer programs and is your go-to source for information! This year's guide includes:

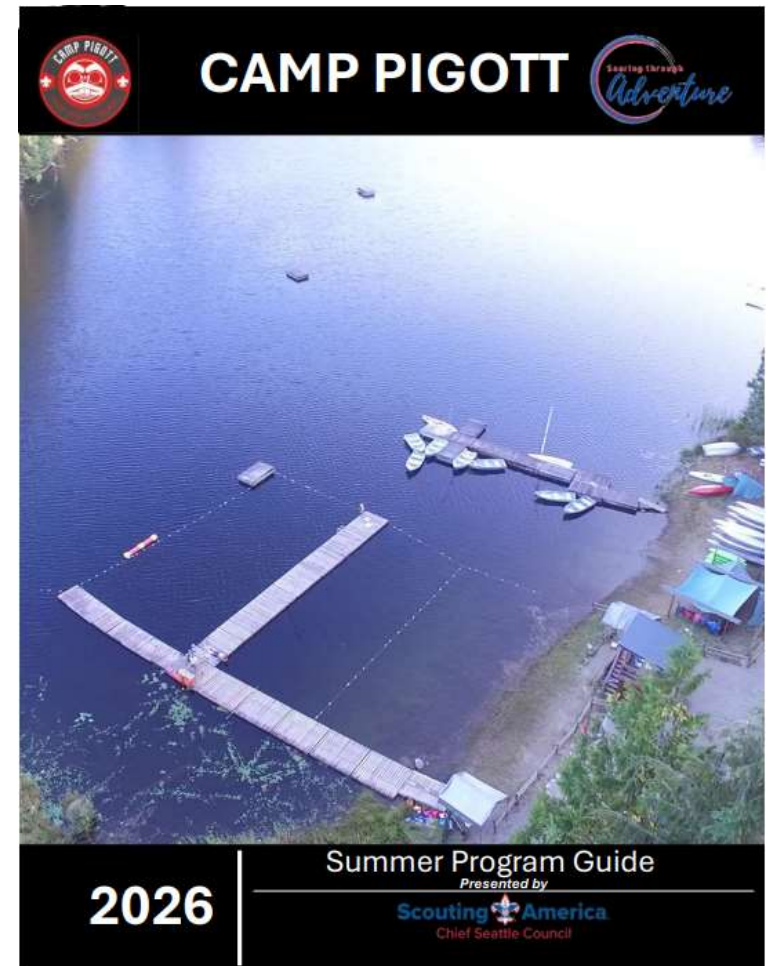
- ScoutsBSA Summer Camp
- Arrow-of-Light Camp

Access this guide on:
[The Council Website](#)

Or you can scan this QR –



This guide will be emailed to all leaders registered to attend Camp and has been added to the event information on BlackPug.





Unit Leadership Requirements

- **For ScoutsBSA Troops**

- EACH troop must have troop provided 2-deep leadership, at minimum.
 - “Linked” troops **may** share leadership to meet this requirement. In order for linked troops sharing a Charter Organization to use this method, it must be approved by the Charter Organization. For reference, see the Unit Leadership FAQ in the online version of the Guide to Safe Scouting. Please bring a written authorization signed by your linked units’ Charter Organization Representative to camp with you if you plan to satisfy your linked troops’ 2-deep leadership requirement in this way. “Linked” troops are *different* from “family” troops, which may share leadership without a special authorization. “Family” troops *must* be chartered as a family troop.
- ALL adults staying overnight:
 - Must be Registered in the same troop as the youth they will be staying with.
 - This registration must be in an adult position that required a background check as part of the registration process.
 - Positions such as Merit Badge Counselor do not require such a background check and are therefore NOT sufficient to stay overnight.
We are required to check and verify adult registrations, we do this ahead of camp

We can also let linked troops share a site, but there must be obvious separation between the sleeping areas for female and male participants within the campsite. We can assist with defining those separate areas within your site. Separate male and female troops that aren’t linked may not share a site.

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Unit Leadership Requirements

- **For Arrow-of-Light Scouts and Parents attending AOL Camp**
 - Current Safeguarding Youth requirements provide a specific exception to the adult registration requirements for activities at the Cub Scout level:
 - An unregistered parent MAY attend with their cub scout.
 - An unregistered parent MAY tent alone with their own child(ren).
 - Unregistered parents must be unaccompanied when interacting with cubs who are not their own children. They must be accompanied by registered adults. Camp staff over 18 are considered registered adults and may be counted toward this requirement.
 - When sharing cabins between adults and youth, the arrangement must be single-gender and
 - ***There must be at least two registered adults with current Safeguarding Youth training.***
 - ***There must be at least four cub scouts***
 - ***Unregistered parents staying in the cabin MUST have at least completed Safeguarding Youth training and it must be current.***
 - ***We ask that ALL adults attending AOL Camp have, at minimum, current verifiable Scouting America Safeguarding Youth training certificates prior to arriving at camp. This helps us greatly when arranging accommodations.***

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The Buddy/Truddy System

- Use of the Buddy System at camp is required by national standards and by the Guide to Safe Scouting!

The buddy system is to be used at all times at Camp Pigott.

BUDDY SYSTEM RULES

- Buddy pairs must be single gender, **BUT** groups of 3 (“Truddies”) may be mixed-gender per the Guide to Safe Scouting.
- Members of buddy pairs or groups of 3 must not be more than 2 years apart in age.
- Adult/youth buddy pairs or groups are never permitted.
- Mixed-gender buddy pairs (only two scouts) are never permitted.

When scouts are planning for their camp activities, they should do so with the requirement to use the buddy/truddy system in mind.

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2026 Check-In & Medical Forms



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2026 Check-In Procedures

Checking into summer camp will look like this...

Before Arrival:

- Settle all fee balances.
- Mail in (or digitally send) AHMR Forms (optional)

At Camp:

- Scheduled arrival times by campsite
- Unit Leader checks in with camp management
- Medical Rechecks
- Camp Tours and Swim Checks

The entire process, in detail, is lined out in the Summer Program Guide (please review, as there are changes in 2026).

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Mail In Medical Forms

Who needs a medical form? Everyone!

Camp Pigott offers the option for medical forms to be mailed with tracking to camp prior to your week of fun! You may also arrange with the Camp Director to send these digitally and securely.

Advantages Include:

- Check in at camp is expedited.
- Incomplete forms can be resolved prior to arrival.
- The staff is better prepared to support your unit upon arrival to camp!

For more guidance on mailed in medical forms please review the Summer Program Guide, and email questions to the Camp Director.

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Medical Forms – BSA AHMR A, B, C

ALL Scouts & Adults must have an AHMR on file while they are at camp that includes parts A, B, AND C*!

- The requirement for Part C is governed by the length of the program being attended and not the length of time a person will be in camp.
- Because Camp Pigott ScoutsBSA program exceeds 72 hours in length, anyone attending – for any length of time – must submit a Part C.
- *AoL Camp is LESS than 72 hours and so part C is not needed for AoL Camp.
- Please see the Program guide for detailed requirements for your program.
- Part C doctor signatures are valid until the last day of the 12th month following the date of signature. If your part C has a doctor signature dated July 1 of last year or later, it is valid for camp at Camp Pigott this year.

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Medical Forms – BSA AHMR A, B, C

Most problems we encounter at camp regarding AHMR forms revolve around the following:

- Out of date parent signatures on Part A.
- Missing information regarding who may/may not transport to/from camp, also on Part A.
- Missing vaccination information. Writing “up-to-date” does not suffice. Dates must be listed.
- Out of date physician’s signatures on Part C.
- Missing or out of date tetanus shots. (The AHMR form specifically requires a tetanus shot (TDaP) and further specifies that it must have been administered within the past 10 years.)
- Missing allergy and/or medication information. If it’s not on the form, it can not be accepted into or administered at camp.

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Medication at Camp

BSA National Camp Standards require that all prescription drugs be kept in locked storage. They must also be in their original containers.

A limited amount of medication may be carried for life-threatening conditions, including anaphylaxis, heart medication, inhalers and similar.

We will have lock-boxes available for check-out for medications.

Distribution of medication to scouts is typically handled by troop leadership. If you would rather the Camp Health Officer handle this for your troop, please let us know when you check in to camp.

Distribution of medication to provisional scouts is handled exclusively by the Camp Health Officer.

Medications NOT on the AHMR form are NOT permitted at Camp.



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Emergency Contact

(If you are unable to reach someone at camp via Cell Phone)

Call the Camp Office at 360-568-2065

Be prepared with-

- Name of Scout or Leader and unit number
- Contact information for a return call

We will relay your message to the appropriate unit leader right away. If necessary, we will make the office phone available to the leader to return your call.

You may also email the Camp Director

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Emergencies IN Camp

Camp Pigott has an established Emergency Mobilization plan in the event of an in-camp emergency.

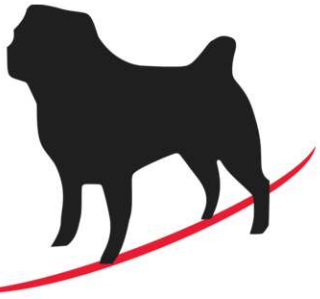
The details of this plan are shared with all campers shortly after arrival at camp.

There is an established protocol for communication in emergency situations.

In addition, ANY call to EMS must be followed immediately by a notification to the Camp Director.



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Council Camping Registrar's Update

Introducing: Kali Thompson



Kali is the Camping Registrar and Event Planning Assistant for the Chief Seattle Council. Tonight they'll be going over and explaining the how-to for many of the things you'll need to do within the new BlackPug registration system. Tonight's information will cover:

- Updating your Camp Reservations
- How to report dietary restrictions and other needs
- How to handle registration for adults attending for only part of the session
- How to sign your scouts up for their merit badges
- Information on camperships
- Chief Seattle Council Refund Policy

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Special Needs

For all special needs, physical, dietary, etc. please provide information/needs through BlackPug.

We can accommodate the following dietary considerations:

- Gluten Free
- Dairy Free
- Vegan and/or Vegetarian
- Tree Nut Allergies

If your needs are outside of the above, please plan to bring along and self-prepare foods that fit your restrictions. We are happy to provide refrigerated space as well as access to microwaves. Please advise the camp director well in advance of your arrival of these needs.

Submissions in BlackPug must be made at least **Two weeks** prior to attending camp in order for us to ensure we can meet your needs!

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Program Areas and Elements

- Scoutcraft
- Ecology/Conservation
- Craftlodge
- Aquatics
- Blacksmith Shop
- Mountain Biking
- Rifle
- Shotgun
- Archery
- Service Projects
- Campwide Competitions!



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Merit Badges Offered in 2026

(times listed in Program Guide)

Art	Nuclear Science	Climbing
Pulp & Paper *NEW*	Game Design	Entrepreneurship *NEW*
Salesmanship *NEW*	Leatherworking	Art
Woodcarving	Environmental Science	Mammal Study
Fish & Wildlife	Astronomy	Soil & Water Conservation
Forestry	Weather	Geology
Surveying *NEW*	Nuclear Science	Plant Science *NEW*
Space Exploration	Camping	Pioneering
Wilderness Survival	Orienteering	First Aid
Search & Rescue	Automotive Maint. *NEW*	Rifle Shooting
Shotgun Shooting	Archery	Climbing
Metal Working	Cycling	Swimming
Lifesaving	Canoeing	Kayaking
Rowing	*And others by appointment	**List subject to adjustments





Merit Badge Signups

Merit Badge signup is open and ready. Please access your BlackPug registration to sign your scouts up for merit badges. An instructional handout is available in the event information within the system.

In addition, on check-in day, we host “Merit Badge Midway,” which is an opportunity to make any necessary last-minute changes to a scout’s schedule of merit badge classes and to arrange for any merit badges by special appointment.





Merit Badge Tracking

In 2026, Camp Pigott intends to implement using BlackPug for merit badge tracking. We also keep detailed class rosters and tracking sheets. This allows us to share necessary progress information with any leader who inquires throughout the week, and you as leaders will be able to track this progress in real-time on BlackPug as well. We'll update progress several times throughout the week. See the Area Director of the area teaching the class if you have questions about your scouts' progress in between updates.

As this is our first season using BlackPug, we ask that you come with an ample supply of blue cards for your scouts. If we run into trouble, our backup plan is to revert to using these instead. Thank you for your patience as we learn this new system.





Additional Program Offerings

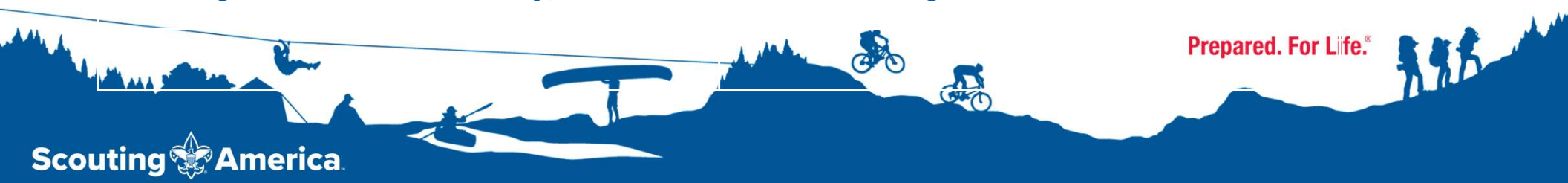
In addition to Merit Badges, the following will be available

- Trail to First Class (FYCEP)
- Open Shoots
- Blacksmith's Shop
- Firem'n Chit
- Open Crafting
- Climbing Tower
- Swim Instruction
- Open Swimming/Boating
- Totin' Chip
- Paul Bunyan Award
- Mountain Biking
- ***NEW*** - Cowboy Action Shooting

For ADULTS –

Advanced Adult Recognition Program (AARP), Chili Cook-Off, Scoutmaster Golf, and MORE Trainings – Paddlecraft Safety, Water Rescue, Preventing Peer-on-Peer Abuse

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Mountain Bikes at Camp Pigott

Personal mountain bikes are welcome in camp provided you follow these guidelines:

- Helmet **must** always be worn
- The bike is operated in a safe manner
- The camp is not responsible for any damage to the bike
- Bikes are only to be used on established roads and trails

If in the mountain bike program bikes are provided, but you may elect to bring your own.

Please do not bring e-bikes to camp.





Camp Pigott Daily Schedule



	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7:00		Reveille/Late Check-in	Reveille	Reveille	Reveille	Reveille	Rolling Breakfast starting at 7:00 - Check out of campsites
7:30		Waiters Report	Waiters Report	Waiters Report	Waiters Report	Waiters Report	
7:50		Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	
8:00		Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	
9:00	1:00 p.m. Gate Opens Check-In Begins Camp Set-up Medical Recheck Swim Checks Camp Tours SM/SPL Mtg. 4:00	9:00, 10:00 & 11:00 Advancement Sessions (Scoutmaster Roundtable 09:30 Daily @ The Leader's Yurt)					Awards Ceremony 8:30
10:00							Camp Dismissed 9:00
11:00							
12:05		Waiters Report/ SPL Meeting	Waiters Report/ SPL Meeting	Pick up food/ SPL Meeting	Waiters Report/ SPL Meeting	Waiters Report/ SPL Meeting	
12:25		Assembly	Assembly	Cook-Out Lunch	Assembly	Assembly	
12:30		Lunch	Lunch		Lunch	Lunch	
		Siesta time	Siesta time	Siesta time	Siesta time	Siesta time	
1:45		1:45 Advancement Session					
3:00		Open Areas	Open Areas	Open Areas	Open Areas	Advancement Make up	
4:00		Troop Sign-up #1	Troop Sign-up #3	Omache Marathon - Troop Sign-up #5	Troop Sign-up #6	Rendezvous Run (assemble @ 3:45)	
5:15	Waiter's Report	Waiter's Report	Waiter's Report	Pick up food	Waiter's Report	Hawaiian Night	
5:50	Retreat	Retreat	Retreat	Troop Retreat	Retreat		
6:00	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Cook-Out Dinner	Dinner		
6:55	Scout's Own	Scout's Own	Scout's Own	Troop Scout's Own	Scout's Own		
7:15	Area Orientations (Assemble at Parade Field)	Troop Sign-up #2	Troop Sign-up #4	Troop Campsite time	Charlie's Challenge		Hawaiian Night
8:30	Opening Campfire (Assemble at Parade Field)	Troop Night	Friendship Gatherings	Troop Night	Friendship Gatherings		Closing Campfire (Assemble at Parade Field)
10:00	Taps	Taps	Taps	Taps	Taps		Taps

Thanks for coming to Camp Pigott! See You Next Year!

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Arrow-of-Light Camp @ Pigott





Arrow-of-Light Camp @ Pigott

A program specifically for Arrow-of-Light scouts, run alongside a ScoutsBSA summer camp!

July 8-11, Wednesday morning through Saturday morning.

Arrow-of-Light Camp and ScoutsBSA summer camp are SEPARATE programs, with their own schedules and activities. AOL scouts will get to participate in many of the all-camp activities alongside the older scouts (campfires, Hawaiian night, Charlie's Challenge, and Rendezvous Run, among others.)





Arrow-of-Light Camp @ Pigott

- **Patrol(s) Formation**

- The number of patrols will depend on the number of attendees. Currently AOL Camp has the largest turnout ever!

AOL Scouts will focus on:

- Patrol Method
- Introduction to ScoutsBSA Programs and methods.

Adults will:

- Be familiarized with their changing roles as they transition from Cub Scouts to ScoutsBSA through mentorship from our AOL commissioner. (You'll still get to do activities with your child).

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Arrow-of-Light Camp @ Pigott

(Daily Schedule)



ARROW-OF-LIGHT CAMP SCHEDULE



	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
7:00	Check in 00 9:	Reveille	Reveille	Rolling Breakfast Starting at 7:00 - Check Out of Campsites	
7:30		Waiters Report	Waiters Report		
7:50		Assembly	Assembly		
8:00		Breakfast	Breakfast		
9:00		Campsite Setup and Camp Tour	Morning Rotations		Morning Rotations
10:00	Waiters Report		Waiters Report	Camp Dismissed 9:00 Thanks For Coming To Camp Pigott! See You Next Year!	
11:00	Assembly	Assembly			
12:05	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
12:25	Siesta Time	Siesta Time	Siesta Time		
12:30	Rotation 1	Afternoon Rotation	Afternoon Rotation		
	Campsite sign up	Campsite Sign up	Campsite Sign up		
1:45	Omache Marathon and Rotation	Afternoon Rotaion	Rendezvous Run (Assemble at 3:45)		
3:00	Waiters Report	Waiters Report	Hawaiian Night		
4:00	Retreat	Retreat			Retreat
5:15	Dinner	Dinner			Dinner
5:50	Scout's Own	Scout's Own		Scout's Own	
6:00	Evening Rotation	Charlie's Challenge		Hawaiian Night	
6:55	Campsite Night	Friendship Gatherings	Closing Campfire (Assemble at parade field)		
7:15	Taps	Taps	Taps		
8:30					
10:00					





Arrow-of-Light Camp @ Pigott

(Activity Rotations & Overview of Planned Activities)

Rotation Schedule

Campsite	Rotation 1	Rotation 2	Rotation 3	Rotation 4	Rotation 5	Rotation 6	Rotation 7	Rotation 8
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
	H	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
	G	H	A	B	C	D	E	F
	F	G	H	A	B	C	D	E
	E	F	G	H	A	B	C	D
	D	E	F	G	H	A	B	C
	C	D	E	F	G	H	A	B
	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	A

	Rotaiton	Location
A	Low COPE Challenge Course	Climbing Tower
B	Crafts	Craft Lodge
C	Scout Skills	Scout Craft
D	Metalworking	Blacksmith Shop
E	Archery	Archery Range
F	Shooting Sports	Rifle Range
G	Eco-Con	Ecology Center
H	Swimming	Swim Beach

*There may be small changes to these rotations and to the schedule. You'll be provided a finalized version at check-in.





Trading Post



Pay here for merit badge and other program fees and visitor meals. It's also the spot to purchase equipment, Camp Pigott gear, souvenirs, snacks, and many other items.

The Trading Post is also the location to pickup mail.

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Trading Post

Our Online Gear Trading Post is OPEN! Pre-purchase Camp T-Shirts and other select items at a discount ahead of camp! Items available are:

Standard Camp T-Shirt for 2026!



Order early and get your troop number on the t-shirt sleeve!

Camp Hoodies



Fleece Vests



Branded Carhartt Shirts



Beanie Hats



Ball Caps
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Trading Post

Access the Online Store!

PRE-ORDER your camper t-shirts WITH your troop number on them prior to June 10th!

www.bcicreative.com/camppigott

Or use this QR Code:



Payment will be collected online and all items will ship to camp for pickup when you arrive. A link to this store will be e-mailed to all leaders registered for camp to share with their scouts' families.

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Visitor Night! Friday Evenings

Friday evening is VISITOR NIGHT at Camp Pigott. Parents and family members are welcome to come and join us for our Hawaiian Night Celebration! The evening will include Dinner featuring Hawaiian fare, and you'll be invited to join us at campfire later in the evening.

Pre-purchase your tickets Online!
Tickets are \$30/person and quantity is limited, so get yours early!

Visit this link:

<https://camp-pigott.square.site/visitor-meals>

Or use this QR Code:

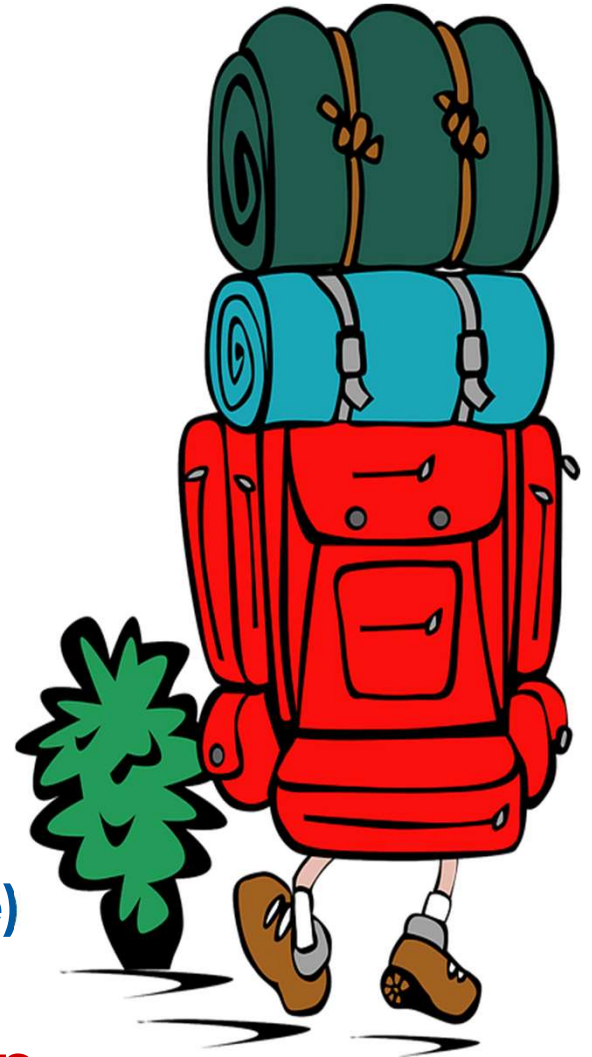


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Things to Remember

- Hand Sanitizer
- No Open Toed Shoes (Sandals on beach OK)
- Water Bottle
- Bug Spray
- Sun Screen
- All Forms
- Have Fun
- Funds for Trading Post and Class Supplies (specifics on fees included in Program Guide)



The Scout Law is the Law of the Camp



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Getting to Camp Pigott

Address for Camp

24225 Woods Creek Rd
Snohomish, WA 98290

(this is for GPS only!, please do not send mail to this address!)

Camp Mailing Address

Camp Pigott
Camper Name, Troop Number
25600-A Monroe Camp Rd
Snohomish, 98290





Council Website

- Available on the Council Website:
 - » Camp Program Guide
 - » Medical Form Blanks
 - » Merit Badge Signup (via BlackPug)
 - » Information on other events happening throughout the year.



National Accreditation



**Camp Pigott is a Nationally Accredited
Scouting America Camp**





Thank you for choosing Camp Pigott in 2026!

For further questions email
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