

Camp Halloween

Event Guide:

For Troops & Volunteers!



Registration Dates & Fees

Registration is open until October 22nd for headcounts. Names can be changed through October 23rd. We know it can be difficult to get an accurate roster early!

Lunch on Saturday is included! Camping is optional. There is no extra fee to camp with this event.

Names & Allergy notes aren't required until October 20th. (Please don't delay on Allergy notes! It is impossible to guarantee enough safe foods if we don't know by Wednesday, October 22nd!)

Units that are camping Saturday night may add meal tickets for Saturday Dinner and Sunday Breakfast meals served in the dining hall (\$5 per meal, per person) or you may choose to cook in your campsite. Saturday dinner will be served at 6pm. Sunday Breakfast will be served at 8am.

Camping Check-in & Information

All youth and adults must have a copy of their medical form: Parts A & B. This form can be found at www.scouting.org/health-and-safety/ahmr and in the Attachments section of your registration.

Troop Trailers: If you are bringing your troop trailer, it must be noted in your registration so that we can place your troop in an appropriate campsite. We will do our best to allow you to keep your trailer at your campsite.

Tent camping only. Campsite assignments will be made during the week of October 20th and communicated by Friday morning. Packs will be assigned with or adjacent to Troops if the Troop notes such in their registration.

It gets COLD at night in October! Overnight temperatures in late October are typically in the 30s-40s. Frost is common. Bring your winter sleeping bag, a sleeping pad or air mattress and consider an extra blanket! Be sure to change into fresh clothes for sleeping. You will sweat during the day and your clothes will be wet (wet = cold!) even if they feel dry. A beanie, gloves and warm, dry socks may be important additions that help you sleep comfortably.

Friday Arrivals: Please include your estimated arrival time in your registration so we can be prepared to meet you and get you checked into your campsite for the night. Please aim for 5pm-8pm arrival if possible. Arrival Time updates can be texted to the Camp Director at 509-954-6433. You will be able to drive to or near to your campsite to unload. All vehicles will need to be removed and returned to the parking lot immediately after unloading.

No activities or meal service will be provided on Friday night. The dining hall will be available to all until lights-out to eat dinner, socialize and warm up before bed. Coffee will be available in the dining hall in the morning by 7 am.

Saturday Arrivals: Please leave your camping gear in your car in the main parking lot for the day and follow the regular check-in procedures when you arrive. After the closing campfire program ends (about 4pm) we will allow vehicle entry for unloading and setup in your campsite. Vehicles will need to be removed and returned to the main parking lot immediately after unloading.

Vehicles in Camp: It is imperative that you stay on marked roadways unless specifically instructed by the Ranger or designated camp staff/volunteers. Driving past road barriers or ignoring instructions can cause severe road damage that is extremely difficult, time consuming and potentially expensive to repair in addition to potential vehicle damage.

Camp Halloween Events and Activities

Station Setup: Stations should be set up and ready for participants by 8:50am on Saturday. Opening flags will take place at 9am in the parade field in Field Uniform. Volunteers for Honor patrol will be gathered at 8:50am. Additional volunteers will be requested to help manage parking starting at 7:45am.

Participation at Other Stations: Troop members are welcome to participate in the other activities across camp during the day as long as their own station remains staffed and open and without taking space from Cub Scout Participants.

Costume Contest: Dress up in your Halloween best to participate in the first annual Camp Grizzly Costume Contest! Sign up when you get to camp. All costumes must be Scouting appropriate.

Trading Post: Camp Grizzly trading post will be open all day! Snacks, beverages and sweet treats of course. We will also be stocked with all your fall scouting essentials: Uniform parts, books, hats, neckerchiefs and more! This is the place to find your next favorite hoodie or other Camp Grizzly souvenir. Past event patches are available as well as our new Grizzly CSP (Council Service Patch).

Campfire program: The best part of the whole day! We request that all troops contribute an act to the campfire program. Submit your song, skit or story to the Head Haunt (Program Director) by the end of lunchtime.

Station Take-down: Units can take down their station after campfire. If you have extra hands, more hands will be needed for take down of ranges and in other places. If you are able, Camp will need extra hands to take down the Haunted House and Haunted Hayride on Sunday morning.

Saturday Evening/Sunday Activities for Saturday Campers

Evening Activities: (Times TBA) Cracker barrel & games in the dining hall for snacks, socializing and warming up before bed. The Haunted House will have its Final Hour for Cub campers and then Troop scouts will get extra time to scare it up for each other after the Final Hour is closed to Cub Scouts.

Sunday Morning: Breakfast will be served at 8am for campers who have purchased meal tickets. A non-denominational Scouts Own service will be offered shortly after breakfast. Load-out start time is up to you – please be courteous to your neighbors. Pack up and load out should be completed by 11am.