

Clue into Cubs

October 9th - 11th, 2026 | Cub Fall Family Camp



Welcome Guidebook v1 (Sept 22nd, 2026)

Camp Thunderbird
11740 Summit Lake Rd NW, Olympia, WA 98502

Calling All Junior Detectives!

Get ready for a weekend of family fun, outdoor adventure, and Clue Into Cubs!

This event is perfect **for both new and experienced Scouting families** who want to experience the magic of camping with an interesting twist.

Each Cub will be serving as a Junior Detective assisting our Detectives and Investigators (Staff) at various stations, all working together to uncover a camp mystery that will be revealed Friday night.

Throughout the weekend, families will be supported by youth and adult leaders from the Order of the Arrow (OA) - Scouting's National Honor Society. OA members will help families get set up, settled in, and lead all the exciting activities planned for the weekend.

This Guidebook is intended to help both Cubs and their adults feel prepared and ready to do their best for the weekend. For more technical information such as registration, refunds, what's included, etc, please reference the "PHC 2026 Fall Family Camp Leader Guide", which can be found on the event registration page:

scoutingevent.com/612-OAFamilyCamp26

Contacts

- For event questions, call or email the Event Program Director: Bronwyn Khan
 - (253) 245-8592 | oamazingday@gmail.com
- Event Medic on-site: Dale O. Johnson, Room 6 (Always staffed during event)
 - Call or email the Medic: Shellie Walters
 - (206) 501-6093 | shelliewalters@comcast.net
- Event Headquarters Office on-site: District Office (Staffed during program hours)
 - Call or email the Program Exec: Tricia Salazar
 - (360) 325-7807 | Tricia.Salazar@scouting.org
- Emergency services: 911
- Nearest urgent care: MultiCare Indigo Urgent Care | 345 Cooper Point Road NW, Suite 103, Olympia 98502 | 360 763 7515
- Nearest emergency room: Multicare Capital Medical Center | 3900 Capital Mall Drive SW, Olympia 98502 | 360 754 5858

Weekend at a Glance

Who is this event for?

- All Cub Scouts and their families!
- Parents and Cubs registered in Scouting can stay overnight, and the whole family can participate in just about every activity offered*.
- Younger siblings, friends, and parents not registered in Scouts are welcome to join for all of Saturday if registered.

**BB Guns are limited to those over 6 and over, and Gaga ball has age restricted games for fairness & safety.*

When is the event?

Clue Into Cubs will be October 9th-11th, 2026. Headquarters (HQ) is in the District Office, and will handle check-in/out and any paperwork/registration problems.

- **Check in** on Friday will be 6pm-8pm
- Recommended **Check in** on Saturday will be 8:30am-10:30am. Though HQ will be open throughout the day.
- **Check out** on Sunday will be 10am-12:30pm

Overnight Expectations

- Campsites will be assigned and each family will be guided and assisted by staff to get set up.
- Tents will be provided by families, make sure to follow guidelines of SYT when deciding your sleeping arrangements
- Overnight electricity is available for those that need it (CPAPs), but make sure to coordinate ahead of time
- The medic will be in the medic Office of Dale O if required overnight, and is able to contact HQ staff if needed.

Daytime Expectations

- All participants should be checked in and out accordingly, and wear their assigned wristband for the time of the event. If a wristband breaks, HQ can give you a new one.
- All youth participants should be accompanied by either a buddy within two years of age, or a parent/guardian during the event.

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Timeline

The schedule below reflects current planning. All times are subject to change. Updates will be communicated by email before the event and posted at Event HQ and Dining Hall on-site.

Day 1 – October 9, 2026 / Friday

Time	Location	Activity
6:00pm-8:00pm	District Office	Check-in & Campsite Set-up
8:30pm	Dining Hall	Cracker Barrel
9:00pm-9:45pm	Gather in Dining Hall	Opening Campfire
10:30pm	Campwide	Quiet Hours
11:00pm	Campwide	Lights Out

Day 2 – October 10, 2026 / Saturday

Time	Location	Activity
8:00am	Campwide	Reville
8:45am	Parade Field	Flags
9:00am	Dining Hall	Breakfast
9:30am	Parade Field	Field Activities
10:00am	Campwide	Activities Open
10:15am	Ranges / Akela	Ranges Open
12:00pm (noon)	Campwide	Program Areas Pause
12:30pm	Dining Hall	Lunch
1:00pm	Campwide	Activities Open
1:15pm	Ranges	Ranges Open
4:00pm	Campwide	Program Areas Close
4:00pm	Parade Field	Field Activities
4:45pm	Parade Field	Flags
5:00pm	Dining Hall	Dinner
7:00pm-8:00pm	Dining Hall	Cracker Barrel
8:00pm	Gather in Dining Hall	Closing Show
10:30pm	Campwide	Quiet Hours
11:00pm	Campwide	Lights Out

Day 3 – October 11, 2026 / Sunday

Time	Location	Activity
8:00am	Campwide	Reveille
8:45am	Parade Field	Flags
9:00am	Dining Hall	Breakfast
10:00am-10:20am	TBD - Weather Dependent	Scout's Own
10:30am-11:00am	Parade Field	Camp Challenge
11:00am-12:00pm	Campsites & District Office	Campsite Cleanup & Check-out
12:30pm	District Office	Final Check-out

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Packing Checklist

PAPERWORK

- ☐ BSA Medical Forms (A, B1, B2)
- ☐ BSA Activity Consent Form

PERSONAL

- ☐ Medications (if any)
- ☐ Pajamas (avoid fuzzy if possible)
- ☐ Power Bank & Charging Cord for phone
- ☐ Toiletries
 - ☐ Toothbrush and Toothpaste
 - ☐ Floss and Mouthwash
 - ☐ Deodorant



CLOTHING

- ☐ Shirts (Ideally Class B) & pants
- ☐ Warm Layers (jacket/sweater)
- ☐ Rain Gear (poncho or raincoat)
- ☐ Closed-toe Shoes (no crocs)
- ☐ Extra Socks & Underwear
- ☐ Field Uniform (Class A) (Optional)
- ☐ Hat (Optional)

GENERAL GEAR

- ☐ Day pack
- ☐ Tent (double check stakes & rainfly)
- ☐ Sleeping Pad
 - ☐ Air Pump (if needed for pad)
- ☐ Sleeping Bag
- ☐ Pillow
- ☐ Tarp(s)
- ☐ Camp Chairs (Optional)

CUB SCOUT'S 6 ESSENCIALS

- ☐ Reusable Water Bottle
- ☐ Whistle (for the Cubs)
- ☐ Flashlight
- ☐ Sunscreen
- ☐ Trail Snacks
- ☐ Small First Aid Kit

***For any questions, please email
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