



Adventure Camp 2024

Leader's Guide

Camp Davy Crockett

Webelos, Arrow of Light: July 21-24





Dear Leader,

Enclosed is all the information that you will need to make your plans for the 2024 Webelos Adventure Camp.

This year's theme for our Camps is "Outdoor Adventures". You will see this theme in many of the things that we have planned for the summer.

We have many old favorites for our Scouts this summer and some new twists to keep our returning Scouts interested in what we're doing. I am looking forward to meeting you this summer. We have lots of fun in store for you and your Scouts. If you have any questions, please call Mike at the Council Office at (423)952-6961. See you at camp!

Yours in Scouting,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dale Douthat". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending from the end.

Dale Douthat
Camp Director

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Before Camp

Before coming to camp, each Pack should hold a parent's orientation meeting. At this meeting, this Leader's Guide should be discussed in its entirety.

REGISTRATION & FEE INFORMATION

Dates:

Webelos, Arrow of Light: July 21-24

T-Shirt Cutoff date: July 2

Fees:

Webelos / Arrow of Light: \$150.00

Den Chief: \$50

Adult Leader / Cub Parent: \$75

NO walk-ons.

The Pack must have two-deep leadership with a 1-adult-to-4-youth ratio. All of those leaders must be registered with the Boy Scouts of America. Parents accompanying their Scout do not have to be registered but do not count towards the 1-adult-to-4-youth ratio or two-deep leadership.

Fees for both youth and adults will include a Camp Patch and T-shirt, provided they are paid in full and shirt sizes are selected by July 2.

To register, go to <https://www.scoutingevent.com/713-WebelosAdventure24>. Your Pack should register as a group rather than individually.

Check-in: Your unit must check in at the Headquarters Building at the assigned time. Staff will escort everyone to their sites. Each group will be given a mandatory camp tour.

Transportation arrangements for gear will be taken care of during check-in.

REMEMBER: No personal vehicles in camp unless authorized by the Camp Director.

Before Camp

Medical Forms

Parts A&B of the official BSA Medical form must be fully completed for each youth and adult attending camp. Each attendee and leader will undergo a medical screening upon arrival at camp. This is not a physical but just a simple screening of your medical form. If any Scout has medication needing refrigeration, this is the time to give it to the camp doctor.

Medical forms are available online: <https://www.scouting.org/health-and-safety/ahmr>

How to Register Your Unit

Step 1: On your web browser, go to <https://scoutingevent.com/713-adventurecamp>.

Step 2: Click on the green “register now” button in the upper right corner.

Step 3: Click on the log-in Button

Step 4: Enter your login credentials.

If you do not already have an account, click on the “create an account” button and create one.

Step 5: Enter the number of each category you will be registering for Adventure Camp.

Step 6: Click on the green “Register Now” button in the lower right corner.

Step 7: In the Registration Contact section, click on the red “Update Information” button

Enter all required information (the text will be red), then click on the “Save” button at the bottom right of the box.

Step 8: On each participant, click on the red “Update Information” button and enter all the required information (text will be in red). Then click on the save button at the bottom right of the box.

Step 9: Proceed to Check-out or the check-out tab at the top.

Step 10: Select your payment option and click on the green “Check out” button.

Step 11: Enter your billing information.

Step 12: Read and agree to the policies check box.

Step 13: Select and enter the payment information.

Step 14: Click on “Finalize Payment”

Schedule

Sunday	
1:00 - 3:00 PM	Check-In
3:00 - 4:30 PM	Camp Tour / Shooting Sports Safety Briefing
5:00 PM	Leader's Meeting at the Dining Hall (one leader from each Pack)
6:15 PM	Flag Ceremony in the Parade Field
6:30 - 7:30 PM	Supper
7:45 - 8:15 PM	Scout's Own (Chapel)
8:30 PM	Branding & Patch Trading at the Handicraft Shelter
10:00 PM	Lights Out

Monday & Tuesday	
7:45 AM	Flag Ceremony in the Parade Field
8:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 - 12:00 PM (noon)	Morning Class Block
12:30 - 2:00 PM	Lunch / Rest Period
2:00 - 5:00 PM	Afternoon Class Block
6:15 PM	Flag Ceremony in the Parade Field
6:30 PM	Supper
8:00 PM	Volleyball (Monday) Campfire Program (Tuesday)
10:00 PM	Lights Out

Wednesday	
7:45 AM	Flag Ceremony in the Parade Field
8:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 AM	Check-out

Camp-Wide Activities

One of the most important aspects of Adventure Camp is the sense of community that is built during our time together. We will have some scheduled camp-wide activities that are important for your Den or Pack to attend. This will add to the total experience. There will be scheduled fun activities for Scouts to participate in during the allotted free time. A list of these activities will be provided at check-in.

Reveille

Time to get up! First call is at 7 AM. Just enough time to get up, get dressed, and get to flag raising.

Meals & Water Intake

Meal times are listed on the schedule. Scouts should not miss meals; we will need lots of energy to get through our activities. Everyone is strongly encouraged to drink plenty of water due to the high risk of dehydration. We have scheduled a lot of activities, so water is an important part of the daily routine. Visitors desiring to eat in the dining hall shall pay \$6 per meal.

Flag Ceremonies

Flag raising will be held each morning at 7:45 AM, and flag lowering will be held at 6:15 PM. All flag ceremonies will be held in the parade field adjacent to the dining hall. We will be asking for Dens to volunteer for flag ceremonies. Uniforms should be worn to flag ceremonies, supper each evening, Scout's Own, and Campfire programs.

Camp-Wide Campfires

Campfire will be held at 8:00 PM on Tuesday. There will be recognition, songs, skits, and fun at our campfires.

Taps & Call to Quarters

Call to quarters... everyone in campsites at 9:45 PM. Taps is at 10 PM and that means lights out, camp quiet, bunk check, etc.

Rest Period

Right after lunch, there is a rest period each day at your assigned campsite. This is a good time to rest, study for advancement, or any other task that needs to be completed.

Adult Leader's Meetings

There is one scheduled leaders meeting at 5:00 PM on your first day at camp. Other meetings will be scheduled when and if needed. **A leader from each Pack must attend the meeting.**

Camp Graces

CAMP DAVY CROCKETT GRACE

Lord of our majestic hills,
Valleys, lakes, and streams,
Grant that we may fully appreciate Thy created beauty,
And that we will eat and drink to Thy eternal glory.
Amen.

Philmont Grace

For food, for raiment,
For life, for opportunity,
For friendship and fellowship,
We thank Thee, O Lord...
Amen

Flag Ceremonies

To raise or lower the flags at Camp Davy Crockett's parade field, you will need eight scouts. Two for each state flag TN/VA as our council lies within two states, three for the American flag, and a command caller. We use very simplified and basic commands so that the scout serving as the caller can easily memorize them. If you have fewer than eight scouts, your group and another small group can join together.

Flag Raising Script:

As time nears for the assembly to start, your caller should be watching the Program Director; they will point to him, signaling to start.

- Caller: Camp Attention (Be Loud)
- Caller: Color Guard Advance

All members of the color guard advance toward the flag poles. Once all members are at the poles they should untie the ropes and attach all flags. Once all flags are attached, the caller says:

- Caller: Scout's Salute

This is the cue for the scouts on the American flag to raise it QUICKLY! Once the flag is up, the caller will say:

- Caller: Two

The American flag scouts should retie their rope at this point and face the caller. The scouts on state flags should immediately raise them quickly, tie them off and face the caller. Once all members of the color guard are facing the caller, he will say:

- Caller: Color Guard Post

The color guard marches back to stand beside the caller and stops at the caller. The caller will say:

- Caller: About Face

All members of the color guard except the caller will perform an about, turning the same direction. Once they are turned around, the caller will finish the ceremony by saying:

- Caller: At Ease

The program director will take over from here.

Flag Ceremonies

Flag Lowering Script:

As time nears for the assembly to start, your caller should be watching the Program Director; they will point to him, signaling to start.

- Caller: Camp Attention (Be Loud)
- Caller: Color Guard Advance

All members of the color guard advance toward the flag poles. Once all members of the color guard are at the poles, they should untie the ropes, and the scouts on the state flags should begin lowering them slowly, detach them from the ropes, begin folding them, retie the ropes to the pole, and face the caller. Once the caller sees the flags are detached from the ropes he will say:

- Caller: Scout's Salute

This is the cue for the scouts on the American flag to lower it SLOWLY! Once the flag is detached, the caller will say:

- Caller: Two

The American flag scouts should retie their rope at this point, fold the flag properly, and face the caller. The scouts on state flags should immediately lower them, tie them off and face the caller. Once all members of the color guard are facing the caller, he will say:

- Caller: Color Guard Post

The color guard marches back to stand beside the caller and stops at the caller. The caller will say:

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Packing List

- Sleeping bag or blanket
- Sleeping pad or air mattress (to fit 30"x76" bunk)
- Pillow
- Flashlight or headlamp / extra batteries
- Camping Chair
- Footlocker or plastic container
- Laundry bag (for dirty clothes)
- Hat
- Rain Gear
- Jacket / Sweatshirt
- Clothes (socks, underwear, shirts, shorts, etc.) for 3 days
- CLOSED TOED SHOES ONLY
- EXTRA PAIR OF TENNIS SHOES
- Swimming trunks and beach towel
- Toiletries (deodorant, toothbrush, toothpaste, comb, shampoo, etc.)
- Towels and washcloths
- Sunscreen
- Insect Repellent
- Uniform shirt on hanger
- Handbook
- Pencil & Paper
- Day pack
- Water Bottle
- Flipflops
- Spending Money (average trading post spend per camper is \$50)
- Medications

OPTION BUT USEFUL

- Cooler & drinks
- Snacks in plastic/sealed container
- Outdoor games
- Sunglasses

LABEL ALL ITEMS WITH SCOUT'S NAME

DON'T SEND ANY VALUABLE ITEMS THAT CAN'T BE REPLACED

Camp Guidelines

Vehicles in Camp

All major program and administration sites are within walking distance of each campsite. The access roads leading to the campsites are for camp maintenance vehicles only. Ample parking areas are provided adjacent to the headquarters building, and all vehicles must be parked in the parking lot. **No vehicles allowed in campsites.**

Hours of Operation

Health Lodge: Available as needed.

Sick Call: Routine treatment after each meal.

Emergencies: 24 hrs/day

Trading Post: Times will be posted

Equipment

There will be cabins with bunkbeds (need air mattresses or sleeping pads). Leaders and Scouts need only bring their personal items. The campsites are equipped with covered picnic tables, latrines, running water, and water fountains. There are shower houses nearby.

Pack or Den Equipment

Lantern

Notebook/pencils

First Aid Kit

Lawn Chairs

Trash Bags

Extra Scout Handbooks

*Note: this is only recommended equipment. You may have a need for additional equipment. This equipment should be brought by the Cubmaster or Den Leader. Please note that camp policy prohibits sheath knives.

Visitors

Visitation is encouraged but should not interfere with scheduled programming. All visitors **must** check in at the headquarters building upon arrival and will be asked to show identification. Parents are invited to come for dinner (\$6/visitor) on the third evening.

Scouts Leaving Camp

If it is necessary for a Scout to leave before the end of camp, the person picking up the Scout will be asked for photo identification and a note from the parent (if someone other than the parent will be picking up the Scout).

Spending Money

There is a camp Trading Post where souvenir items, concessions, personal hygiene items, and handicraft kits are available for purchase. Scouts typically spend around \$100 in their week at camp.

Hygiene

All participants should be encouraged to make use of our shower facilities at least once a day. There are separate showers for youth and adults, and also male and female leaders.

Guidelines and Policies

Uniforms

Uniforms will be worn at campfire on Tuesday evening, evening flags, and supper each day. T-shirts and shorts may be worn at all other times. Swimsuits (not street clothes) are required in the pool.

CPAP Machines / Medical Devices

Electricity is not available in campsites. CPAPs and other medical devices **must be battery-operated.** Arrangements will be made for recharging.

Swimming Policy

There are three swimming classifications for participants, which are Non-Swimmer, Beginner and Swimmer. On Sunday, Scouts and leaders will travel to the pool for a brief swim test, which will determine the areas allowed for the Scouts and leaders to swim. The specific areas and requirements for each area are as follows:

- Non-Swimmer- no specific requirements other than to get wet with all your friends. The Non-Swimmer area is at the front (entrance) of the pool.
- Beginner Swimmer - Jump in water over your head, swim 25 feet and come back to where you started. The beginner area is all across the middle of the pool. This is the largest single area of the pool and where most of the Webelos and parents will be allowed to swim.
- Swimmer - A longer test of swimming strength that qualifies the Scout or adult for boating and the deep end of the pool. To pass the test for Swimmer, the participant must jump in water over their head and swim a total of 100 yards, which includes 25 yards of backstroke and at least one sharp turn. The camp counselors will explain the requirements in full detail at the time of the swim test. The Swimmer area is the far end of the pool.

ADULTS PARTICIPATING IN ANY WATER ACTIVITY WILL ALSO BE REQUIRED TO PASS THE SWIM TEST.

****** Anyone using the canoes MUST be a swimmer UNLESS they are in a canoe with an adult-certified BSA Lifeguard. NO EXCEPTIONS – BSA POLICY ******

Refund Policy

The Sequoyah Council will process refunds for summer programming fees under these conditions:

- Greater than 60 days from camp session = Full refund minus deposit
- 30 to 60 days from camp session = 50% refund minus deposit
- 30 days or less = no refund
- Requests must be made in writing and submitted to the council service center via mail, fax, or email.
- Requests must give Scout's name, unit number and the reason for the request.

Mailing address:

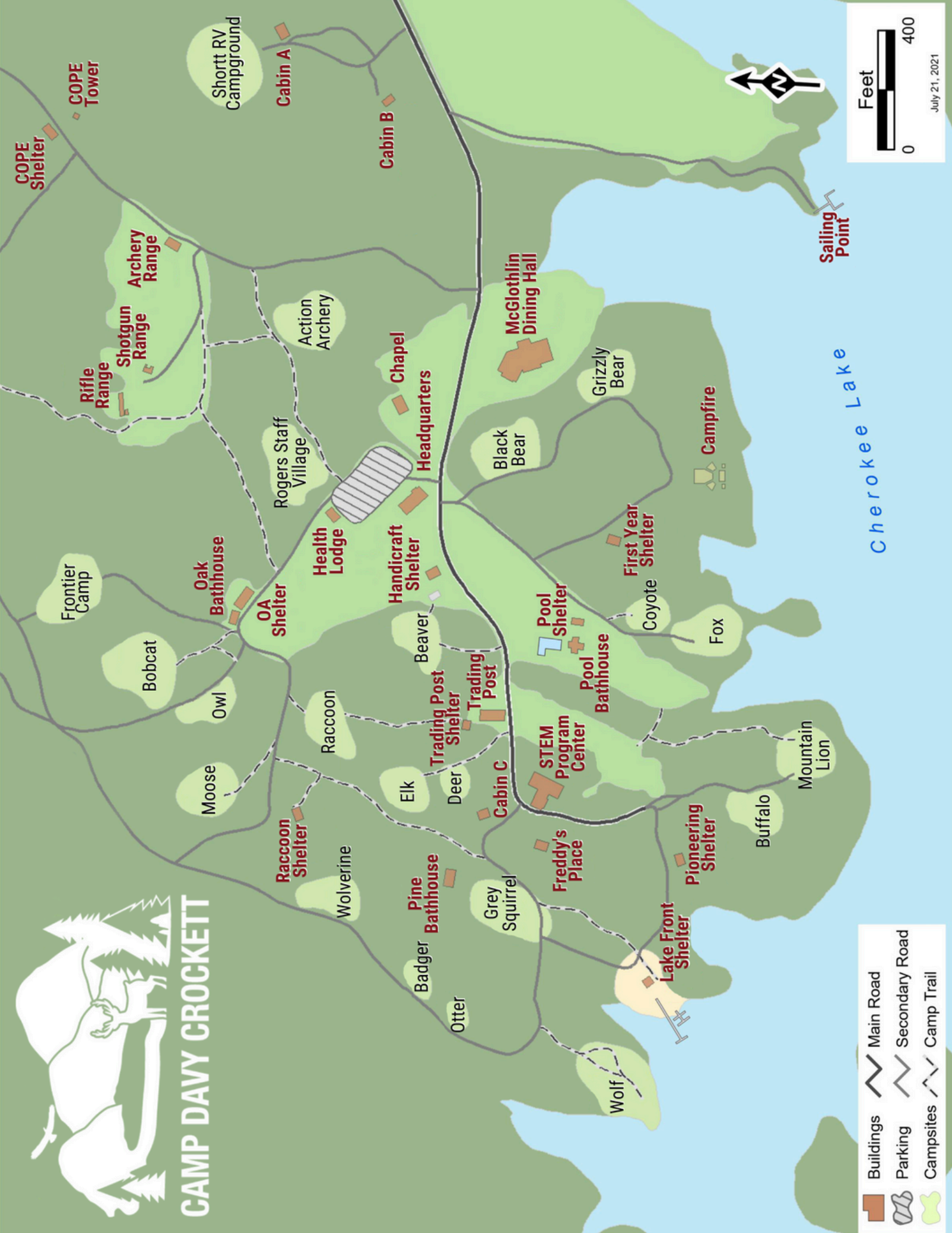
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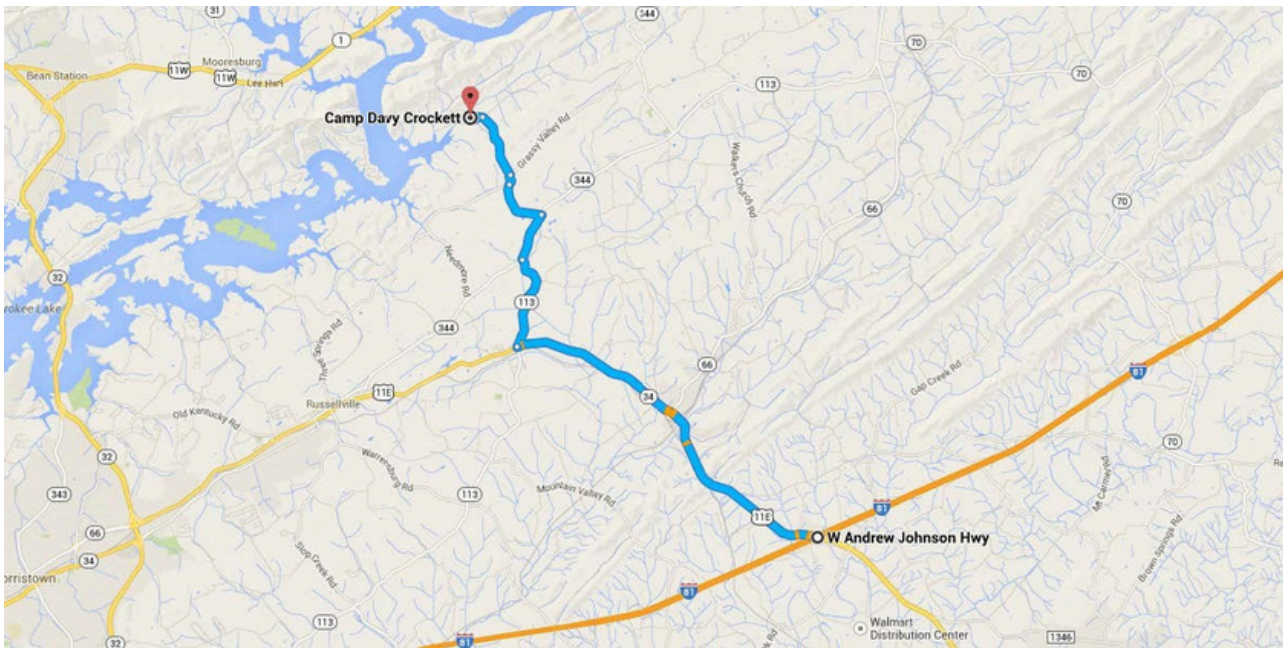
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- Campsites
- Main Road
- Secondary Road
- Camp Trail

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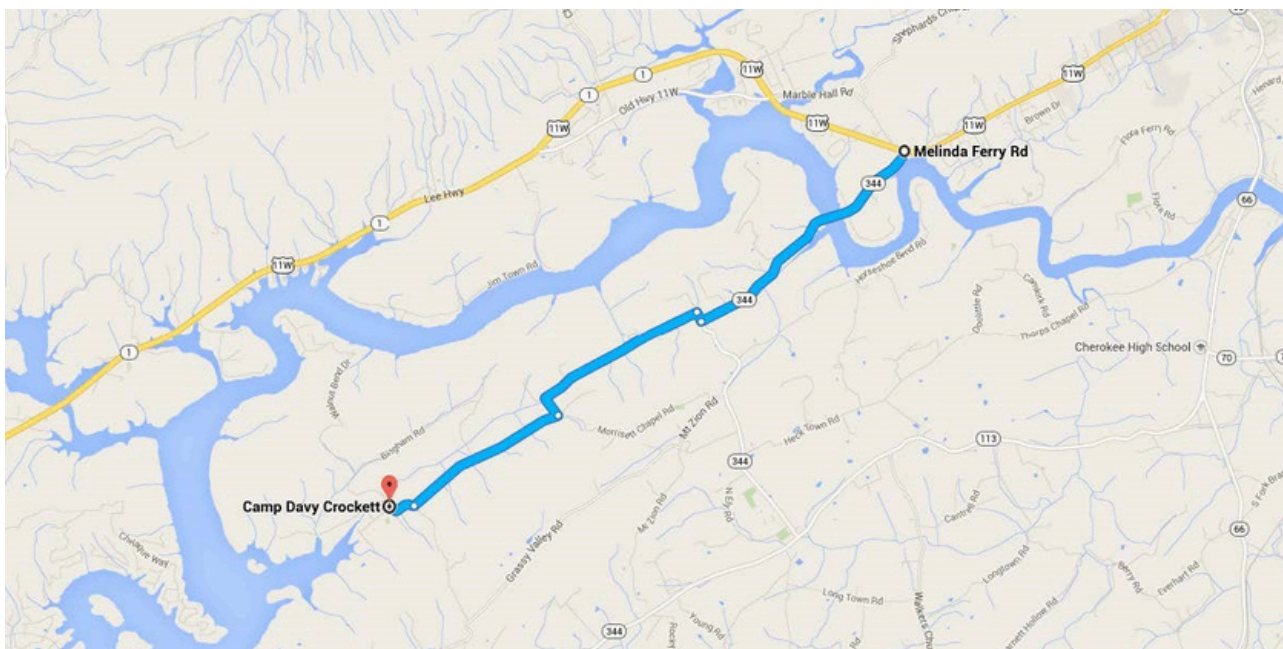
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Driving Directions to Camp Davy Crockett from Interstate 81



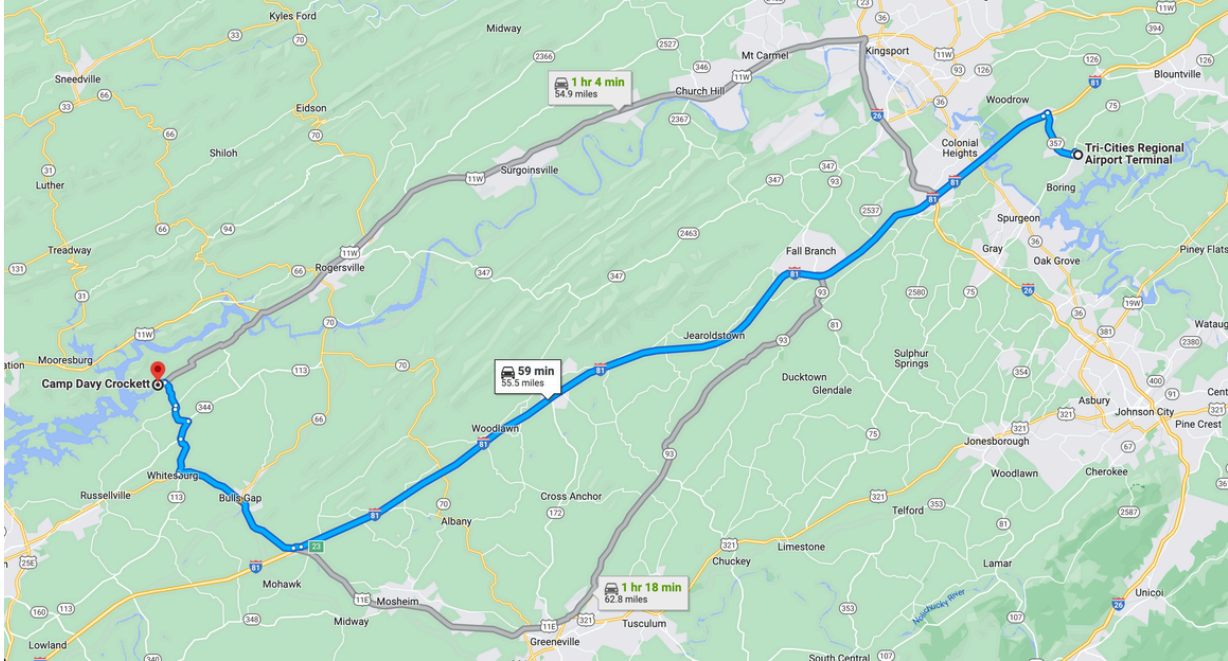
- 1) Take exit 23 onto US 11 E South
- 2) Travel about 6.9 miles then Turn Right on TN 113 N
- 3) After about 2.8 miles turn left on Thompson Road
- 4) In 1 mile continue onto Grassy Valley Road
- 5) Go .2 miles turn left onto Ninny Ridge Rd
- 6) Travel 1.2 miles turn left onto Bingham Road
- 7) In .3 miles turn left into Camp Davy Crockett

Driving Directions to Camp Davy Crockett from Highway 11W



- 1) Turn on Melinda Ferry Road (TN-344S)
- 2) Travel 2.4 miles then Turn Right onto Lee Valley Road
- 3) Travel about 2.4 miles turn Right onto Bingham Road
- 4) In .3 miles turn left into Camp Davy Crockett

Tri-Cities Airport (TRI) 55.5 Miles / 59 minutes



McGhee Tyson Airport (TYS) 74.2 Miles / 1 hour 18 minutes

