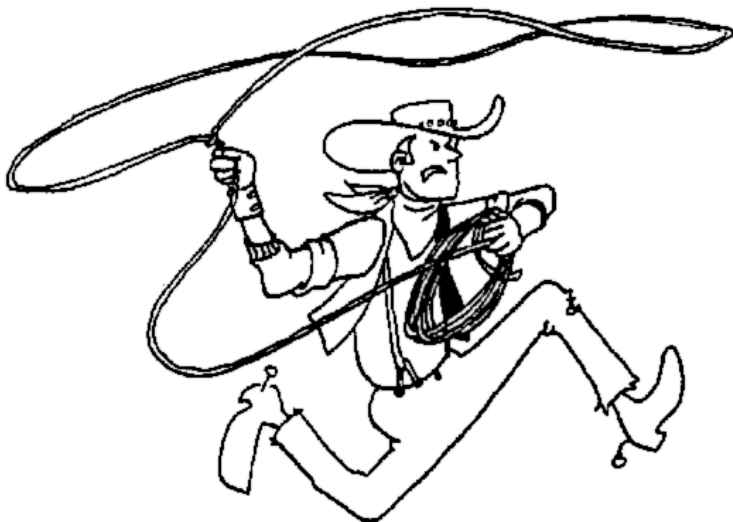


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CUB SCOUTS TO HAVE A **GREAT** TIME!!!



BUSH DISTRICT CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP 2010

JULY 15-17, 2010



LEADER'S GUIDE



Dear Day Camp Coordinators and Parent Volunteers,

Thank you for making this summer's Day Camp possible. The boys are going to have a great time this year thanks to you! This packet should give you all the information you need to be ready for Day Camp. If you have any ideas please share them at one of the Day Camp committee meetings.



In addition to this packet, an orientation will be held for all interested adults on Wednesday, June 16th, at 6:00 p.m. at the Earl and Pat Cook Council Service Center. Every Unit should have at least one adult who will be attending Day Camp come to this orientation. At this meeting the schedule will be covered in detail for Day Camp and some of the harder projects will be explained, so you will better prepared to help your Cubs.

Please read through the parent's information packet (pages 4-6) and then share this information with the parents in your Dens

and Pack. Don't forget to invite them to attend the camp on Saturday afternoon so the boys can show off what they have done!

CONGRATULATIONS! YOU'RE A PACK DAY CAMP COORDINATOR!

You are the person who will get your Pack on
the trail to Day Camp!

You are the person who will give out
information for Day Camp!

You are the person who will collect and turn in the
Pack registration for Day Camp!

Sound like a
lot? It is! But
it is worth it!

Your first task will be to
promote Day Camp to
your boys and their
parents. Remember you
need at least two adults
to attend day camp
with your Unit, and you
should have one adult
per five boys. Webelos
will be organized into
Webelos only Dens, so
make sure you have a
Webelos Leader! There
is a list of
Day Camp Den Leader Guidelines listed in this packet.



DAY CAMP DEN LEADER GUIDELINES

- **ESCORT AND HELP** your group of boys throughout the day.
- **TAKE A DAILY ATTENDANCE**, don't just take a head count. Make sure the names match faces.
- **DISCIPLINE** the boys if necessary. It is not the job of the activity leader to discipline the boys. He or she is busy instructing. It is your job to see that the boys in your group act appropriately.
- **FIRST AID**, a qualified medical officer and equipment is set up at camp. Any boy needing medical attention should be taken there.
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- **KEEP TRACK OF ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES**, be familiar with the requirements in the Cub books. Your Den will have endless opportunities to advance during camp so keep notes. The Camp will provide you with a list of advancements that will be done for Pins, Belt Loops and Rank Advancement in the stations and other programs of Day Camp, tracking these though are your responsibility.
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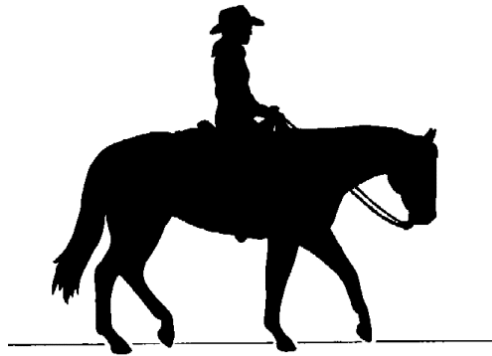
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

RIDING OFF INTO THE MIDNIGHT SUN 2010 CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP

***BUSH DISTRICT
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Dear Cub Scout Families,

The Cub Scout Day Camp program is designed to teach skills and develop attitudes that make a boy more self-reliant and more at home in the outdoors. He will have fun with a purpose. The purpose is to build character while



providing a memorable experience in the life of a boy. At Day Camp Cub Scouts participate in individual and team sports, games, crafts, explore nature, and work on achievements, electives, and activity badges. Boys have fun in the outdoors -- that's Cub Scout Day Camp. Make sure your boys get Cub Scouting at its best by attending Cub Scout Day Camp.

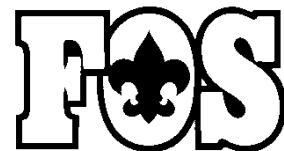
All Cub Scouts, from this year's Tiger Cubs to Webelos Scouts, are encouraged to attend. Day Camp is usually the first camp experience for a Cub Scout. Boys attend Day Camp and return home each day. There is no overnight camping. Cub Scouts participate in outdoor activities centered on a camp theme.

The 2010 theme for Day Camp is *Riding off into the Midnight Sun: Cubs of the Wild West!* Day Camp is a program of the Midnight Sun Council, Boy Scouts of America, and is made available through each of the Council's Districts.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Sven Gilkey
District Executive
(907) 452-1976
sven.gilkey@Scouting.org

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DATES AND TIMES

Day Camp will be held on these dates at the following times and locations: **Thursday** July 15 from 9:15 a.m. for check-in and den assignments to 3 p.m. **Friday & Saturday**, July 16-17 from 10:00 a.m. to 3 p.m. All days will be at the Delta Junction Fair Grounds.

SHERIFF DEPUTIES AND POSSES

Boys will be organized into dens according to age/grade levels, by home pack as much as possible. Some Dens will be asked to merge, in fear that small groups of Cubs would be attacked by bandits. **Incoming Tiger Cubs (boys entering first grade in the fall of 2010) must be accompanied by an adult partner.** The buddy system is to be used for all Day Camp activities.

MUST FOR ALL SADDLE BAGS

A Day Camp T-shirt will be provided each boy. This shirt, along with weather-appropriate clothing, will be the official Day Camp uniform and must be worn to camp each day, dirty or clean. Boys need sturdy shoes, hats, water to drink, sunscreen and a sack lunch. Please label all items with the boy's name. A small day pack/backpack is very helpful.

WELCOME TO TOWN: SIGN IN

Please have boys arrive between 9:15 a.m. and 9:50 a.m. on the opening day of camp. Boys will receive their camp shirts, verify medical records, etc. and be directed to their Den Sites, where they will report each day of camp. We want to be able to start the program as close to 10:00 AM as possible each day so please arrive on time. **Parts A&C of the BSA Annual Health and Medical Record must be on file for ALL participants both youth and adult, to participate in Day Camp.** You can get a form from your Pack Leader or from the Council Service Center, or on the Council website @ www.midnightsunbsa.org.

THE GOOD OLD HOMESTEAD

Each den will have its own area for its Den Site for the week. This is where boys will check in and out each day, store and eat their lunch, etc. Each den will create its own flag, cheer, and other den spirit items. We "circle the wagons" in a camp wide ceremony to open and close camp each day. Please assemble by dens at the appointed time. A Scout is Reverent. Opening and Closing Ceremonies may include non-denominational prayers and dens are encouraged to offer thanks at mealtime.

PROSPECTING AND PIONEERING

Dens will rotate through a variety of stations each day, activities will include crafts, sports & games, Scout Skills, BBguns, Archery, Science & Nature, and special events. Each day's camp program will vary, each offering unique crafts and nature activities.

TIME AT THE CUB SCOUT SALOON

Boys, leaders, and staff are to bring a sack lunch each day. Avoid menu items that spoil rapidly. Den leaders are

encouraged to bring ice chests or coolers to store their boys' lunches.

SIESTA

There will be a break time after lunch each day for the boys to relax or play games. Den Leaders should be prepared for this time between program times with games or advancement with their dens. There are also trails for hiking in the area!!!

LOCAL TAXES (FEES)

Day Camp is self-supported and staffed with volunteers. The fee provides for staff training, program materials, craft items, patches, T-shirts, insurance, and many other things necessary to conduct a successful Day Camp. The Day Camp Fee is **\$75** if paid **prior to June 7**. After that date the fee is **\$95** and there is no guarantee that the boy will receive a T-shirt or other items, new Cub Scouts who wish to register after the 7th of June can for \$75. Units that meet or exceeded their Friends of Scouting Goal for 2010 will receive a \$11.25 discount for camp which is up to 15% OFF. **A Cub Scout who is attending on his own is \$85 if paid prior to June 7 and \$105 if registered after.**

CAMPERSHIPS FOR THE TRAIL

No boy should be denied camp because of finances. A limited number of Camperships are available. Applications for camperships are available at the Earl and Pat Cook Council Service Center.

IF BANDITS ATTACK

If unforeseen events prevent attendance, requests for refunds must be submitted **in writing by the Pack** before the end of the first day of camp. Requests will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Requests received less than 4 weeks before camp are subject to a 25% reduction to cover costs incurred.

ATTENDANCE AT TOWN HALL MEETINGS

Attendance will be checked as boys arrive each morning. Boys should have no reason to leave Camp during the day, but if necessary, they must be under the supervision of an authorized adult. Boys and parents must check out and in with Camp Headquarters if arriving or leaving during the day. Parents must notify Camp Headquarters in writing if another adult is permitted to pick their Scout up from camp.

VISITORS

Visitors are always welcome at Day Camp, but must check-in and check-out with the Camp Headquarters.

RUN AWAY CATTLE

We understand that, at times, things do not always go the way we would like to see them and that we are not perfect. Day Camp has an open door policy regarding concerns, but we ask that proper channels be used when available. Please address all concerns, and suggestions to your Den Leader, the Program Director, Camp Director or the District Executive.



RIDING OFF INTO THE MIDNIGHT SUN: CUBS OF THE WILD WEST

2010 CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP

CUB SCOUT REGISTRATION FORM

Bush District

Deadline for registration is June 7, 2010. Return this form with registration fee and parts A and C of the BSA Annual Medical form

The fee for camp is **\$75** per boy if paid on or before the deadline date above. The fee is **\$95** per boy if paid after the deadline. Make checks payable to "Midnight Sun Council, BSA." You will receive more information from your Pack. Give this form and your fee to your Pack's Day Camp Coordinator. Cub Scouts attending Day Camp without their Pack register for **\$85**. Units that meet or exceeded their Friends of Scouting Goal for 2010 will receive an \$11.25 discount for camp which is up to **15% OFF!**

CUB SCOUT'S NAME (no nicknames): _____ PACK# _____

PARENT(S) NAME(S): _____

ADDRESS: _____

_____ ZIP _____

PHONE: H _____ W _____ Email _____

BOY'S AGE AT CAMP _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

CURRENT GRADE (2009-10 School Year) _____

DEN LEVEL ON JULY 1 (Circle): Tiger Cub Wolf/Bear 1st-Year Webelos 2nd-Year Webelos

T-shirt Size (Circle **One**):

Youth Medium Adult Medium Adult XL

Youth Large Adult Large



Is there anything else we should know about your child? Any Special needs or Skills? (Feel free to use back of form)

This Form MUST be completed for EVERY Cub Scout who attends Family Camp

STAFF VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM

BUSH DISTRICT 2010 CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP

DUE July 2, 2010 or contact Sven Gilkey at Council Service Center
ALL STAFF MUST FILE A BSA ANNUAL MEDICAL FORM PARTS A&C FOR DAY CAMP

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ ZIP _____

PHONE: H _____ W _____ Email _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ T-Shirt Size _____ (Free for 3-day STAFF MEMBERS)

Are you a registered Scouter? _____ Unit _____ Scouting Position _____

Are you certified in CPR? _____ First Aid? _____

Do you have any previous Day Camp experience or training? If so, please specify:

Positions for which volunteers are needed for Day Camp are listed below. Please check as many as you feel qualified to lead. As soon as all applications have been received, assignments will be made according to your preferences.

_____ Den Leader for Pack contingent	_____ Scout Skills/Webelos Activities
_____ Camp Health Officer or Nurse	_____ Games & Sports
_____ Trading Post Staff	_____ Nature
_____ Field Sports (Archery, BB Guns)	
_____ Crafts	

We will have a Staff Training Day on Tuesday, July 14, 2010. It will be held @ the Delta Fair Grounds from Noon until 4 PM

By submitting this application, I agree to abide by the Day Camp rules and to follow the directions of the Day Camp Director and administrative staff. I will attend staff training and daily briefings during camp. I will set a good example for the Cub Scout campers and other staff. I agree to notify the camp director in a timely manner if I am unable to work on any day for which I have volunteered to work.

Signed _____ Date: _____

Accepted: Camp Director Init. _____ Date _____ Assignment _____



PACK# _____

DAY CAMP PACK REGISTRATION 2010

TOTAL # OF CUBS ATTENDING _____

TOTAL # OF DENS ATTENDING _____

Total # of Cubs _____ X \$75.00 (\$63.75 if Unit met FOS Goal)= \$ _____

Total # of late fee Cubs _____ X \$95.00 (\$83.75 if Unit met FOS Goal)= \$ _____

Total # of leader T-Shirts _____ X \$12.00 = \$ _____

TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Pack Coordinator

NAME _____ PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

Please provide an e-mail address- Any updates will be sent out via e-mail!

**Return this packet and all Fees to the
Midnight Sun Council Service Center by
Friday June 7, 2010**

This Completed Packet Should Include:

1. Completed Pack Registration
 2. Completed Den Roster Information
 3. Approved Tour Permit with the proper signatures
 4. Individual Cub Registration Form for each Boy (filled out by a parent or guardian)
 5. Individual Adult Volunteer Registration Form for each adult coming to camp.
 6. Part A & C Medical from every person coming to Day Camp (includes parents and leaders)
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DEN ROSTER



Do not write on the back of this form. Copy as needed. Please print clearly or type.

Only one den per sheet- i.e. all Tigers on one sheet, all Wolves on another sheet, etc.

NOTE: List boys according to the Den they will be in during Camp. Remember many boys bridge into a new Den in May when school is out for summer vacation.

Tigers **Wolves** **Bears** **Webelos**

Tigers must attend with their Adult Partner. Adult Partners should be listed with the youth on this roster.

NAME	Adult Partner	PHONE NUMBER	SHIRT SIZE
1. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
2. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
3. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
4. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
5. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
6. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
7. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
8. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
9. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
10. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
11. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
12. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____

CAMP LEADERS	Name	Phone Number	T-Shirt Size(\$12)
Tuesday	_____	_____	_____
Wednesday	_____	_____	_____
Thursday	_____	_____	_____
Friday	_____	_____	_____

DEN CHIEFS	Name	Phone Number	T-Shirt Size(\$12)
Tuesday	_____	_____	_____
Wednesday	_____	_____	_____
Thursday	_____	_____	_____
Friday	_____	_____	_____

COMPLETED BY: _____ PAGE _____ OF _____

