

2021 CUB FAMILY - WEBELOS
EXPEDITION
LEADERS GUIDE

CAMP BENJAMIN HAWKINS



OCTOBER 22ND-24TH

ONE WEEKEND PACKED FULL OF OUT OF THIS WORLD FUN.

PURPOSE OF THE CUB and WEBELOS EXPEDITION WEEKEND

The purpose of the Central Georgia Council Cub and Webelos Expedition Weekend is to strengthen families through Scouting. The Cub and Webelo Expedition Weekend experience provides a fun outdoor weekend camp experience for Cub Scouts and their Family. Family camping offers parents a great chance to share quality time with their children. Camp is a place for parents to let down their hair and become one of the gang. Making camp, building fires, cooking meals, cleanup and all related camping tasks become shared experiences. This shared living in camp strengthens the family. If it is good for the kids, it is good for the parents. If it is fun for them, it will be fun for the parents too. Family camp may be the first camping experience for many participants. It provides an environment for parents to introduce themselves and/or their children to the tent camping experience and the Council organized camp experience. Parents and children gain confidence that the Cub Scout can camp at future Council organized events with their unit. Although activities at the Cub and Webelo Expedition Weekend do not count towards advancement for the Cub Scout, the primary focus of the camp is fun in the outdoors for all participants.

PLANNING INFORMATION

WHO CAN ATTEND?

Cub and Webelos Expedition Weekend is open to all Cub Scouts and their families. Scout BSA Youth, Scout BSA Troops and Venturers can volunteer to help at this event.

SUPERVISORY RATIO

Each family group must be led by an adult (18 years or older) related to the registered Scout. Cub Scouts cannot camp without an adult relation, except for Webelos/Arrow of Light, who require two deep leadership. Note: For the remainder of this guide, wherever the term "parent" is used, this refers to the adult relative supervising the registered Scout.

Registration

There are two ways to register. You may either register online at centralgeorgiacouncil.org . (**Online Registration is open now**) Register early! This event has a maximum capacity, once capacity has been reached, registration will be closed.

Participant Type	Fee
Cub Scout Aged Youth	\$25.00
Adults	\$10.00
Scout Age Siblings	\$15.00
Siblings (4 and under)	Free

3 meals Saturday (per person)	\$15.00
Shirts	\$10.00

FEES: The camp fee includes patch, camping, program supplies, shirts for scouts, and activities. Shirts are included for registered scouts only. Shirts will be available for sale in Trading Post on a First Come basis for Adults.

SATURDAY ONLY PARTICIPATION

Saturday Only Participants are asked to check-in at CBH dining hall/Camp Office Saturday Morning by 8:30 a.m., please notate SAT ONLY on Registration Forms. (NOTE: Staff are at the Flag Ceremony from 8:30-9:00) Please remember no meals are provided, but the pavilion at the parking lot will be reserved for SAT ONLY participants to prepare and eat meals.

T-SHIRTS- ORDER DEADLINE OCTOBER 2ND

Youth Sizes – Adult @XL - \$10.00 | Adult 2X-4X – \$12.00

Shirts are available for Pre-Order only, prior to October 2nd. Shirts are \$10.00 each (\$2 additional for XXL or larger). Shirts will not be available for Pre-Order after October 2nd. Shirts for Adults will be available for sale in the Trading Post during the event on a First Come Basis.

MEALS

Meals are not covered by main registration. Packs are responsible for their own food and cooking equipment. **UNLESS** the Pack registers for the meal option for \$15.00 per person for 3 meals Saturday. Deadline for this option is Oct 2nd.

ARRIVAL & CAMPSITE ASSIGNMENTS

- *Packs are responsible for ensuring that they have appropriately trained Leaders, and a First Aid Kit.
- *Each Pack is responsible for ensuring that scouts have current Medical Forms A & B. The forms are to be kept with the Medical Officer at the First Aid Building for the entirety of camp.

Campsite Assignments are made based on unit/campsite size. Campsite assignments will be given upon check-in on Friday. Please make sure that your Pack has One leader to register the whole group and must have all forms present to register. A camp map is included for you to pass out to your participants upon arrival. Please also understand that more than one unit may be assigned to a campsite.

Units may begin arriving at camp at 6:00pm on Friday evening, NO EXCEPTIONS. Due to the number of attendees and persons that will be in camp at the same time on Arrival day, we are asking that each Pack choose ONE VEHICLE WITH TRAILER to transport PACK gear and equipment to the campsite. This vehicle will receive a Camp Permit/Campsite Assignment at the Pavilion located at the parking lot. All vehicles must be moved to the parking lot after you unload your supplies. This vehicle MUST be returned to the parking lot by 12:00 p.m. **Only one vehicle per Pack may be in camp at one time. No vehicles will be allowed to stay in the campsite for safety reasons.**

ALL other vehicles will be asked to park in the camp parking lot, and transfer gear onto the trailer traveling to their campsite. We encourage packs to make sure that they have all equipment/items needed as there will be no vehicles allowed in camp throughout the weekend. **NO VEHICLES WILL BE ALLOWED TO TRAVEL THROUGH CAMP AFTER 8:30 pm Friday night.** Trailers may remain in campsite, provided they are parked and blocked safely.

We understand that everyone may not arrive at camp at the same time. However, only ONE vehicle with a trailer, per pack, will be allowed to drive to the campsite on Friday evening.

It is important that you share this information with your parents. Please do not leave vehicles parked at the campsite.

CHECK IN

Check In will be at the Pavilion at the top parking lot. All medical forms, registration forms, as well as any unpaid fees are due at this time. After stowing gear and setting up camp, Pack Leaders may check-in at CBH Dining hall beginning at 8:30 pm for Cracker Barrel and to receive Maps, Agendas, Patches, T-shirts, and other important information for Saturday morning.

ADULT LEADER/PARENT MEETING

There will be a Cracker Barrel at 8:30 Friday night for leaders at the Dining Hall. Special announcements concerning the camp, its policies and procedures, or any specific needs or questions about the camp operation will be answered at this meeting. It is important that every Pack is represented.

PARKING- VEHICLES IN CAMP

Vehicles are not allowed in campsites. Any exceptions must be authorized by the Camp Director. Parking is available in our parking lot. Scouts, adult leaders, and visitors are expected to park, walk, exercise, and enjoy the beauty of our camp.

MEDICAL FORMS & TRAINED LEADERS

Packs are responsible for ensuring that they have appropriately trained Leaders, and a First Aid Kit in camp at all times.

Each Pack is responsible for ensuring that scouts have current Medical Forms A&B. The forms are to be turned in at Check In and will be kept with the Medical Officer and in the First Aid Building.

REFUND POLICY

Cub Family Weekend is a Rain or Shine Event; therefore, all refund requests must be made in writing to Refund requests will be considered based upon when a written request was submitted using the following schedule.

15+ days prior to the event date will receive a 50% refund.

14 days or less no refunds will be accepted.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Youth Protection Guidelines

Two-Deep Leadership: Two registered adult leaders or one registered adult leader and a parent of a participant Scout, one of whom must be 21 years of age or older, are required on trips and outings. The chartered organization is responsible for ensuring that sufficient leadership is provided for all activities.

No One-on-One Contact: One-on-one contact between adults and youth members is not permitted. In situations that require a personal conference, such as a Scoutmaster conference, the meeting is to be conducted in view of the other adults and youth.

Respect of Privacy: Adult leaders must respect the privacy of youth members in situations such as changing clothes and taking showers at camp and intrude only to the extent that health and safety requires. Adults must protect their own privacy in similar situations.

Separate Accommodations: When camping, no youth is permitted to sleep in the tent of an adult other than their own parent or guardian. Camp has separate shower and latrine facilities for females, or if separate facilities are not available, times for male and female use are scheduled and posted.

Camp Location Details:

Camp Benjamin Hawkins
2251 Boy Scout Road
Byron, Georgia 31008

RESTROOM FACILITIES & PORT-O-POTTIES:

Our restroom facilities are individual stalls and may be used by any age/gender.

Packs may order a port-o-potty for their campsite at a cost of \$90. Please mark the number of Port-o-potties on the registration form, and include payment with registration. Port-o-potties can only be ordered prior to Oct 2nd.

RAIN CAMPING:

This event is a Rain or Shine event. The Council follows the Guide to Safe Scouting for camping. Please come prepared with additional dry clothes and bedding in case the weather is cooler or wetter than you planned. *Closed Toe shoes are required.*

IDENTIFICATION

Each camper, adult leader, and visitor must wear camp issued identification (wristband). Camp visitors will be issued identification bands when they arrive at camp. Staff will be identified by their Camp Staff Shirts.

PETS

All pets are to be left at home. Pets of any type are not permitted; including those brought by parents or visitors. Registered service animals are the only animals allowed; please email us if you have a service animal at sunshine_081203@hotmail.com

CHEMICAL FUELS POLICY

For safety, knowledgeable adult supervision must be present when Scouts are involved in the use, handling, lighting, or storage of chemical fuels (liquids or gas). Propane lanterns and stoves are allowed. All fuels must be stored in a locked container. No liquid fueled lanterns should be used in camping activities. No fuel, lanterns, stoves, or candles are to be used in or near tents and camp structures.

UNIFORM

Scouts are not required but recommended to wear Class A uniforms for morning and evening flag ceremonies. Uniforms must always be worn with shirts buttoned up and tucked in. Pack approved activity uniforms are appropriate for the remainder of the day.

TRADING POST

Our trading post is well-stocked to serve you and will be open all day. We have camp supplies, snacks and drinks.

TRASH

Trash can be deposited in the dumpster beside the Dining Hall. Please make sure that all Trash is removed from Campsite.

CAMPFIRE

Saturday night's Campfire will be filled with skits/songs presented by your scouts. Packs that wish to perform a skit, song, joke, etc. at the Campfire may sign-up at the camp office on Saturday. Please come prepared, we would like all packs to participate! If you would like to participate please email sunshine_081203@hotmail.com

ADD ONS

Saturday night we will host our annual Dutch Oven Cook Off Competition. Any Pack or Troop and enter. One entry per Pack/Troop. Entries must be presented in writing at check in. Must supply an individual sample for each judge. Judging will be held Saturday at 7:30 pm. Please remember all dishes must be made according to safe scouting outdoor cooking guidelines.

SUGGESTED PACKING LIST

- *Pack Flag/Stand
- *Class A uniform- for morning/evening Flag Ceremonies
- *Skit, Song, Joke, or Talent for Campfire
- *Sleeping Bag/Bedroll
- *Water Bottle
- *Tent
- *Flashlight
- *Personal Items (Clothing, hygiene items)
- *rain gear
- *insect repellent/Sunscreen
- *Camp Chairs
- *Cooking Equipment and Food
- *Pocket Money for the Trading Post
- *Camera

CAMP RULES

As a Scouting facility, the foremost rules for personal and group behavior are the ideals found in Scouting:

Beyond these ideals, the following rules are enforced at Camp Benjamin Hawkins:

- Packs must always have two-deep leadership while at camp. No exceptions!
- All campers shall wear a wristband to identify themselves.
- All cars must be parked in the designated camp parking area. Only specially authorized vehicles are allowed in campsites or on the roads.
- Throwing rocks is strictly forbidden.
- No flames, fires, or fuels of any kind are permitted inside tents.
- No alcoholic beverages or illegal substances are allowed on camp property.
- All guests are required to immediately check-in at the camp office.
- No fireworks of any kind are permitted on camp property.

Disclaimer

This is a working document, and plans are still in progress and activities may change. This guide is designed to give you an idea of what will be going on at the Cub Family Weekend.

GAMES AND FUN

There are activities designed just for FUN in the outdoors whether you do them as a Pack, as a Den, or just with a buddy. Many will be open free time activities.

SHOOTING RANGES

Range Activities include BBs, and Archery. These events will be scheduled. Tigers must have a parent with them at the range.

STEM EXPERIMENTS

INFLATABLES

HAYRIDE

Webelo Expedition:

Components of Cast Iron Chef Adventure

Scouts will prepare Foil pack dinners and banana boats over coals.

Orienteering

Scouts will work together to learn components that they will use once they cross over to boy scouts.

Team Building

Repelling

Shooting Range

Range Activities include BBs, and Pellet Rifles (pending range masters). These events will be scheduled.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Friday night:

4:30-6:30 Staff check in and set up camp

6:00-7:30 Pack Check In

7:00-8:00 Staff Supper

8:30 Cracker Barrel and Leader's Meeting

9:30 Staff Meeting

10:00 Lights Out

Saturday:

8:30 Opening Flag Ceremony

9:00-9:30 Safety Briefing

9:30 -12:00 Games & Activities
 12:00-2:00 Lunch with Packs
 2:00-5:30 Games & Activities Continued
 6:00 Closing Flag Ceremony
 7:30 Dutch Oven Cook Off Judging
 8:30 Campfire

Sunday:

9:00 Camp Check out in Camp Office
 12:00 Camp Clear

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Registration Information

Pack#: _____

Adult Contact Name: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone # _____

Camping Saturday Night?

Saturday Only Participants?

T-SHIRT ORDER

Youth Small	Youth Med	Youth Large	Adult Small	Adult Med	Adult Large	Adult X-Large	Adult XX-Large	Adult XXX-Large	Total # shirts

REGISTRATION TOTALS

	Before 10/2	After 10/2	
# of Registered Scouts	X \$25	X \$30	
# of Siblings	X \$15	X \$15	

# of Adults	X \$10	X \$15	
# of shirts YS-AXL	X \$10	NOT AVAILABLE	
# of shirts XXL and larger	X \$12	NOT AVAILABLE	
Meal Option	X \$15	NOT AVAILABLE	
Port o Potty	X \$90	NOT AVAILABLE	
		Total	

**Each Pack is responsible for ensuring that scouts have current Medical Forms A&B.
The forms are to be kept on site during campout.**