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# SUMMER CAMP

2024





Camp Orr
Jasper, Arkansas
June 15<sup>th</sup>-June 22<sup>nd</sup>





Feedback from Scouts, including Staff, led us to find that a, cooler-weather camp that offers activities for young and older alike.

Last year Camp Orr was 20 degrees cooler the same week we were at Camp Strake.

This facility offers both traditional merit badges and a high adventure component for 13 and up.

## Summer Camp 2024



- Camp Orr, located near Jasper, Arkansas is the only BSA accredited camp sheltered on all sides by the National Park Service.
- This insures a healthy biosphere of wildlife and vegetation, back yard access to scenic backpacking and float trips, awesome climbing opportunities, and a therapeutic isolation from the cares of the outside world.
- Nearly 600 acres of the scenic Buffalo National River Wilderness Area are available for longterm summer camping for Boy Scouts of all ages and abilities.
- Activity opportunities include backpacking, canoeing, rappelling, rock climbing, shooting sports, swimming, and many others. Facilities include 520 person dining hall, trading post, platform tent campsites and shower facilities. It is the perfect home away from home for your Troop.





## High Adventure Base 2024



#### **Trekking Program - The River (Canoeing)**

Established in 1972, Buffalo National River flows freely for 135 miles and is one of the few remaining undammed rivers in the lower 48 states.

Once you arrive, prepare to journey from running rapids to quiet pools while surrounded by massive bluffs as you cruise through the Ozark Mountains.

This trek lets you see and enjoy the Buffalo River from the seat of a canoe. You'll see the Ozark Mountains in all their majesty all while experiencing the clarity, beauty and relaxation while floating the Buffalo River. We will supply you with PFD's (which meet all BSA safety requirements), paddles, meals, an experienced guide, and transportation to and from drop-off and pick-up point



#### **Troop 599 Plan**

**3 Days Canoeing** 

1 Day Rock Climbing

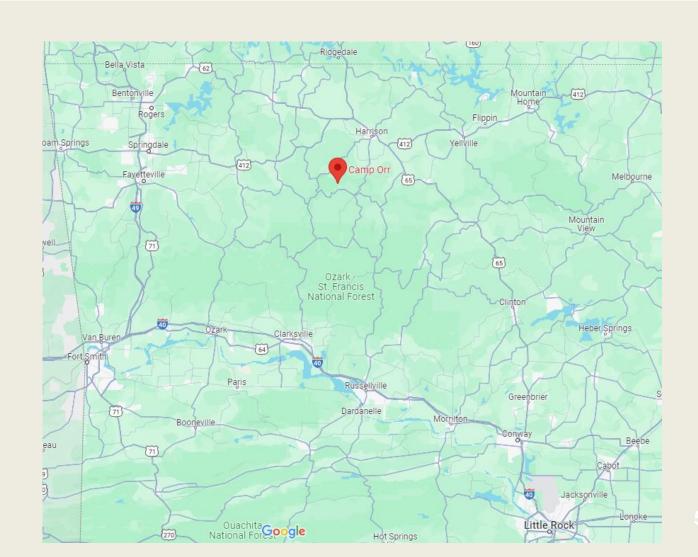
1 Day either Mountain Biking, Hiking or Fishing











# Travel To/From Camp





TRAVEL PLAN: 2-15 Passenger Vans Driven by Troop 599 Parents

Depart Scout Hut: 7am, Saturday, June 15

Arrive Camp: Dinner, Saturday, June 15

Depart Camp: Saturday, June 22 (~8am)

Arrive Scout Hut: ~6pm, June 22

## 2022 Camp Costs



- \$525 camp \$595 hi adventure (Max 25)
- Payments due...
- February 20<sup>th</sup> \$200
- Mar 19<sup>th</sup> Half remaining balance
- April 16<sup>th</sup> Remaining balance
- ADULTS (Max 5 slots)
  - First three adults free of fee. If we hit 20 boys registered the first five adults have fees waived.
- Prepayment appreciated!



## No Merit Badge fees



## Tentative list of offerings

- Aquatics
  - Canoeing
  - Kayaking
    - Swimming
  - Lifesaving
- Adventure Area
  - Climbing
  - Cycling
- Shooting
  - Archery
  - O Rifle
  - Shotgun
- Scoutcraft Area
  - Orienteering
  - Geocaching
  - O Signs, Signals Codes
  - Fishing
  - First Aid
  - Camping
  - Cooking
  - Emergency Preparedness
  - Wilderness Survival
  - Pioneering

- Ecology Area
  - Environmental Science
  - Fish & Wildlife
  - O Soil & Water
  - Oceanography
  - Forestry
  - Nature
  - Astronomy
  - Space Exploration
  - Geology
  - Mining in Society
  - Bird Study
  - Weather
  - Chemistry
  - O Nuclear Science
  - Mammal Study
  - O Reptile & Amphibian Study
  - Textile
  - O Pulp & Paper

- Handicraft Area
  - Leatherwork
  - Woodcarving
  - Basketry
  - Welding
  - Photography
  - Art
  - Indian Lore
  - Citizenship in the Nation
  - O Citizenship in the World
  - Communication
- Trading Post
  - Salesmanship
- Evening Offerings
  - Chess
  - Collections
  - Singerprinting

Eagle MBs in red

# Merit Badge Fees



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#### Program Fees (these fees are in addition to the regular registration fees)

Astronomy/Space Exploration Merit Badge	\$25	Leatherwork Merit Badge	\$25
Basketry Merit Badge	\$25	Rifle Shooting Merit Badge	\$25
Bird Study Merit Badge	\$25	Shotgun Shooting Merit Badge	\$25
Cooking Merit Badge	\$25	Woodcarving Merit Badge	\$25
Indian Lore Merit Badge	\$25	Welding Merit Badge	\$25



## **Additional Activities**



- Adult Shootout
- Mile Swim
- Dutch Oven Cookoff
- Horseshoe Tournament
- BSA Swimming & water Rescue
- BSA Lifeguard
- First Aid / CPR / AED
- Games
- Adult Training (see leader guide)



# Personal Gear (preliminary)



### What to Bring

#### **Recommended Participant Packing List**

☐ Alarm Clock ☐ Long-Sleeve Shirts □ Spending Money □ Notebook and □ Backpack (\$30-\$60)Camera Pencils/Pens □ Sunglasses ☐ Official Scout □ Sunscreen Compass Deodorant Uniform ☐ Sweatshirt or ☐ Extra Blanket ☐ Pajamas Jacket □ Pocket Knife ☐ First Aid Kit ☐ Swimsuit ☐ Fishing Gear ☐ Rain Gear □ Toothbrush & ☐ Flashlight or ☐ Scout Handbook **Toothpaste** Headlamp ☐ Shampoo ☐ Towel ☐ Foam Pad or Cot ☐ T-Shirts □ Sleeping Bag □ Hand Sanitizer ☐ Sneakers/Hiking □ Underwear & socks Shoes □ Hat for each day of ☐ Small Pillow ☐ Insect Repellent camp □ Jeans & Shorts □ Soap □ Watch □ Lip Balm



I PRO-TIP: Label clothes & valuables with name AND troop I number. Scouts will probably participate in a water activity or get caught in the rain so be sure to bring extra clothes & footwear.

# Required Forms



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Code of Conduct and Sta	tement of Understanding
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All youth and adult participants are expected to abide by the	code of conduct as follows:
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<ol> <li>Serious and/or repetitive behavior violations by youth including use of tobacco, cheating, stealing.</li> </ol>	and older Scouts must prevent all Scouts from being "imitated" by the Troop with a hazing activity.
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## **DEADLINES**

#### TROOP:

- Ongoing Online Sign-Up
- ASAP \$200 per Scout (deadline Feb. 20)
- March 19 Half of remaining balance due. Adult fees due.
- March 26 Merit badge selections due (first ones in first ones entered)
- April 16 Remaining balance due.
- June 4 MANDATORY Summer Camp Meeting
  - ALL Troop Forms due including MEDICAL FORMS



## Contacts



#### **General Information:**

Adrian Binion: abinion@gmail.com

Don Paullo: dondpaullo@gmail.com

Rick Snell: rsnell.troop599@gmail.com

#### Merit Badges and Forms:

Forms should be available soon - will be posted to troop outings site Check troop website for information, then clear with Patrol Advisor Turn in choices and forms into Mark Babineck (more details as they come)

#### Medical Records:

Michele Oglesby: cheleo@sbcglobal.net



## THANK YOU!



# Come with us to Summer Camp

# Sign up online NOW!

